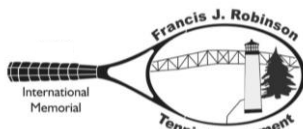


64th Annual



JULY 28 – AUGUST 1, 2021

Francis J. Robinson Memorial International Tennis Tournament

**Welcome back to the Robinson! This year the Robinson is a round robin format.
We look forward to a fun week full of tennis!**

NAME _____ AGE _____

ADDRESS _____ CITY _____ ZIP _____

PHONE () _____ E-MAIL _____

SKILL LEVEL

Beginner ☐ Intermediate ☐ Advanced ☐

NTRP Rating (if rated) _____

DIVISIONS ENTERED

Singles ☐ Doubles ☐ Mixed ☐

T-SHIRT SIZE									
Youth					Women				
S	M	L	XL		S	M	L	XL	
Men									
		S	M	L	XL	XXL			

		<u>SKILL LEVEL</u>			<u>NTRP RATING</u>
<u>DOUBLES PARTNER</u>	<u>AGE:</u>	Beg	Int	Adv	

<u>MIXED PARTNER</u>	<u>AGE:</u>	Beg	Int	Adv
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REGISTRATION

- Entry Deadline is Friday, July 23rd at 5pm.
- Each player may enter up to three events (one singles, one doubles, and one mixed doubles).
- Entry fee is \$40/player which includes all three events and a t-shirt. Payments may be cash or check/money order payable to "The Robinson."
- Each player will provide one can of balls to the tournament desk upon check-in.
- Balls will be supplied for the Finals.
- Each entrant, including doubles & mixed partners entered in no other events, must submit an entry form.
- Get Robinson info at phtennishouse.com/2021-robinson/ and follow the PHTH on Facebook for updates.

DELIVER/MAIL ENTRY TO



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www.phtennishouse.com

TOURNAMENT OFFICE USE ONLY

Received by: _____ Date: _____ ☐ Cash ☐ Check # _____ ☐ Money Order

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TOURNAMENT FORMAT & RULES – PLEASE KEEP FOR REFERENCE

Welcome back to the Robinson! This year the Robinson returns as a round robin event where flights will be comprised of players of like ability. Flight tournaments provide a competitive environment benefiting all players, but most notably they appeal to players who may avoid traditional tournaments in which they could anticipate early elimination. The established practice of seeding in the traditional tournament format generates draws where novice players face more skilled players, making their tournament exposure brief. This year we hope to encourage a wider spectrum of participants to enjoy the Robinson experience along with the opportunity to play several matches against players of similar skill. After missing the 2020 Robinson, this summer is an occasion to play a lot of tennis and enjoy socializing with our community!

Flight sizes will fluctuate based on the number of entries. Groups will consist of between 4 and 10 teams, with larger flights split into two groups. Each flight will be assigned a captain who will track match scores and report results to the Tournament Director.

SCORING

1. Round robin matches will be NO-AD pro-sets. Flight sizes will determine the total games per set played (4, 6, 8 or 10 game pro-sets will be assigned to each flight after groupings are established). A 9-point tiebreak will be played at 4-4, 6-6, 8-8 or 10-10.
2. A 9 Point Set Tiebreak is first to win 5 points (no 2-point margin). The player whose turn it is to serve will serve the first two points, starting from the deuce side. Thereafter, each player/team serves in rotation for 2 points (deuce side, then Ad side). The 4th server will serve 3 points if the tiebreak has not already been decided. If tied at 4-4, the receiving player/team can choose which side will receive. Players/teams DO NOT change ends of the court during the 9-point tiebreak.
3. The top 2 players/teams based on win/loss record from each flight advance to the Finals (or the top player/team from a split flight – a large flight that was split into two groups).
4. In the case of a tie in standings, the players/teams advancing to the Finals will be decided, in order, by: (1) head-to-head results, (2) games won, (3) games lost. If still tied, a random drawing will be used.
5. Finals will be 2 out of 3 sets, Ad scoring, with a 10-point super-tiebreak (first to 10, win by two) for the third set. Set tiebreaks will be first to 7, win by two.
6. All Finals tiebreaks will be Coman format. The player/team who would serve next in the rotation will serve first. The first server begins from the deuce court and serves one point. Thereafter, each player/team serves in rotation for 2 points (Ad side then deuce side), until the winner has been decided. Players/teams change ends after the first point, then after every four points. If the first set ended in a tiebreak, then the player/team that received first in the tiebreak will serve first in the second set. The 3rd Set (10-point super-tiebreak) is treated like a new set, therefore either player on a doubles team can serve first.

SCHEDULE OF PLAY

Approximate Guideline. Matches must be played as scheduled.

Finals will be played on Sunday. To allow time for all evening matches to be played, please be prepared to begin adult matches at 4pm. *Due to limited available court time and the number of matches to be played, flight participants may NOT independently re-schedule match times.*

Official flights & start times will be available online by 5pm, Monday, July 26th at www.phtennishouse.com/2021-robinson. Follow the PHTH Facebook page for updates! If you have questions, please contact Tournament Director, Steve Pillon, at sspillon@yahoo.com or (810) 434-2371.

	Wed July 28	Thur July 29	Fri July 30	Sat July 31	Sun August 1
8am	Junior Singles	Junior Doubles	Junior Mixed Doubles All rounds	Singles & Doubles Last round(s)	Finals Singles & Doubles
9am					
10am					
11am					
12pm					
1pm	First 2 rounds	First 2 rounds		Mixed Finals	
2pm					
3pm					
4pm	Adult Singles First 2 rounds	Adult Doubles First 2 rounds	Adult Mixed Doubles All rounds		
5pm					
6pm					
7pm					
8pm					

