#### 2023 EBAL GIRLS' TENNIS CHAMPIONSHIP BULLETIN

Thursday, November 2nd – EBAL/NCS Singles Qualifier and EBAL Doubles Tournament: Preliminary Round, 2nd Round, and Quarterfinals at The Club @ Livermore (formerly the Livermore Valley Tennis Club)

11:00 a.m. – Coaches Meeting/Players Warm-up (nobody can arrive before 11:00 a.m.)

12:00 p.m. – Tournaments (both draws) Begin

- \*Each school brings a minimum of 6 players as follows:
- -2 Singles players for the EBAL Tournament (NCS Qualifier)
- -2 Doubles teams for the EBAL Tournament
- -Note: This leaves us with 22 in each draw as Emerald is included. The remaining positions in the Singles and Doubles draw of 24 will be selected in order of finish by teams during the EBAL season (i.e. 1<sup>st</sup> place team can choose an extra Singles player or Doubles team, 2<sup>nd</sup> place team can choose an extra Singles or Doubles team, 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> place teams fill make selections to fill out the open positions in the Singles and Doubles draw)
- -Preliminary Round: 10-game pro set with tiebreakers at 10-10
- -2nd Round and Quarterfinals: -All matches will be played with No Add Scoring and 12-pt. Tiebreakers for 3rd set

### Friday, November 3rd - EBAL/NCS Singles Qualifier and EBAL Doubles Tournament: Semifinals and Finals. NCS Doubles Qualifier Preliminary Round at The Club @ Livermore

12:30 p.m. – Coaches Meeting/Players Warm-up

1:00 p.m. – EBAL/NCS Qualifier Singles and EBAL Doubles Tournament Semi Finals; NCS Doubles Qualifier Preliminary Rounds

\*NCS Doubles Qualifying Tournament Preliminary Rounds will feature 1 Doubles Pair from the 5 bottom finishers in EBAL standings without players remaining in Singles/Doubles Semifinals seeded 6-10 plus Emerald as #11 seed)

3:30 p.m. (approx. )- NCS Singles and EBAL Doubles Tournament Finals (will take place no fewer than 30 minutes and no longer than 60 minutes following the conclusion of the Semifinal

- Patches awarded to top 4 Singles players and top 4 Doubles teams
- --All matches will be played with No Add Scoring and 12-pt. Tiebreakers for 3rd set

# Saturday, November 4th (NCS Doubles Qualifier Tournament) at The Club @ Livermore

9:30 a.m. – Players Warm-up

10:00 a.m. Quarterfinals and Semifinals Begin

- -Top 5 schools from EBAL regular season will enter 1 Doubles Pair to be seeded with the 3 Doubles teams that advanced out of Friday's Preliminary Round based on EBAL standings.
- -All matches will be played with No Add Scoring and 12-pt. Tiebreakers for 3rd sets

# Monday, November 6th (NCS Doubles Qualifying Final Round) at The Club @ Livermore

12:30 p.m. – Players Warm-up

1:00 p.m. – Final Round - NCS Doubles Qualifying Tournament

- -Winner of the NCS Doubles Qualifying Tournament will play the winner of the EBAL Doubles Tournament to determine which team will represent the EBAL at NCS
- -Final match will take place no fewer than 30 minutes and no longer than 60 minutes following the conclusion of the NCS Doubles Qualifying Tournament
- 3:00 p.m. (approx.) NCS Doubles Qualifying Finals

#### **General Notes:**

-The cost to the EBAL for renting the Club at Livermore is \$750

- -There will be an additional cost of \$350 to pay for a USTA official for Thursday and Friday
- -Each team is responsible for bringing 10 cans of Penn Heavy Duty Tennis Balls
- -All coaches and players should be prepared to serve as line judges
- -USTA, EBAL, NCS, and CIF rules and bylaws apply

If you have any further questions, please call Tournament Director Nicole Cring (Foothill) at nicole.cring@yahoo.com or Frank Haswell (San Ramon Valley) at tennistime542@gmail.com.