

Week #3 – August 26, 2024

Please read through this information as this is important information coaches need to be aware of this season. These newsletters will be sent weekly throughout the season. If you are aware of an unusual situation(s) or rules/protocols that should be addressed, please email ssmith@kshsaa.org. Thank you for all you do for Kansas athletes!

ENTERING WIN/LOSS RECORDS

Coaches are expected to enter win(s)/loss(es) within 48 hours of competition. There are additional options when entering tennis scores this year regarding defaults/medical defaults/medical retirement. Accurate and updated information is essential to the seeding process for postseason. Please ensure this information is being entered throughout the season – this is a communication piece between coaches and ADs.

To enter win/loss records: Login to kshsaa.org – Click on “Activities” – scroll to tennis – click on “Girls Win/Loss Report”

GIRLS TENNIS SEASON WIN/LOSS RECORD

** DOUBLES **

MATCH INFORMATION

Enter the information below pertaining to the match, then click the “Save Match Information” button. KSHSAA member schools are listed first, followed by approved schools, then non-member schools. Member schools will be listed town/city by alpha order. If your opponent is not listed, please contact [Mikaela Cox](mailto:Mikaela.Cox) to request adding the non-member school to the list.

Team	Date	Location	Opponent's School	Opponent's Name	Position	Score	W/L	If default, select type
Simone Biles & Gabrié	08/23/2024							<input type="text"/> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Default Medical Default Medical Retirement

Save Match Information

Return to School List

COACHING OPPORTUNITIES DURING A MATCH

On page 25 of the Tennis Manual, under Time Issues #3, here is the clarification on when coaches are allowed to coach.

- Changing ends = 90 seconds max
- End of a set = 2 minutes max
- Split sets = 10 minutes max (shorter if players agree)
- Before tiebreak = 90 seconds max (6-all or 8-all pro set)
- Before super tiebreak = 3 minutes max**

All times listed above must be adhered to by the one (1) coach that is salaried by the school.

POTENTIAL POSTSEASON CONFLICTS

The KSHSAA office has been made aware of potential conflicts with other scheduled events during Regional Tennis. It is important for coaches and athletes to have conversations about conflicts prior to postseason. This list may not be all-inclusive of potential conflicts.

Central States Marching Festival: KState- <https://www.k-state.edu/band/festivals/csmf.html> (October 12, 2024)

Small School Marching Championship: <https://kansasbandmasters.com/> (October 12, 2024)

REMINDER(S):

August 30, 2024 – DEADLINE TO NOTIFY KSHSAA OF NON-PARTICIPATION

To ensure schools are assigned to Regionals equitably, it is imperative that schools communicate with the KSHSAA if your school does not end up having a girls' tennis program. If the KSHSAA office is not made aware of this and a school is assigned to a Regional with no athletes, this creates an unequal distribution of schools amongst Regionals. PLEASE EMAIL SARAH SMITH (ssmith@kshsaa.org) by August 30, 2024, if your participation status has changed. Tennis season is a short window – please communicate as the season progresses.

Looking Ahead:

August 30: Deadline to communicate to the KSHSAA participation status

October 11-12: Regionals

October 18-19: State Tennis

Girls' State Tennis (October 18-19, 2024)

Class 6A: Prairie Village-Harmon Park Tennis Complex (Host - Shawnee Mission East HS)

Class 5A: Andover District Tennis Complex (Host - Andover Central HS)

Class 4A: Topeka-Kosover Tennis Center (Host - Topeka-Hayden HS)

Class 3-1A: Wichita-Riverside Tennis Complex (Host – Wichita-Collegiate HS)

Useful Websites/Links

KSHSAA Tennis Website: [KSHSAA Tennis](#)

KSHSAA Tennis Manual: [Tennis.pdf \(kshsaa.org\)](#)

USTA: [USTA](#)

USTA Newsletter Registration: t.email.usta.com/lp/ustaCTAP