# 2023 NW District #1 4A Boys Tennis Championships

Lake Stevens, Mariner, Kamiak, Jackson, Glacier Peak

## **Fact Sheet**

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### 1. Date / Time / Site

Tuesday October 17 11:00 a.m. Glacier Peak High School

Wednesday October 18 11:00 a.m. 7401 144th Pl SE

Snohomish WA 98296

Times and dates may have to be adjusted depending on the weather.

There will be coaches meeting at 10:30 a.m. Tuesday, October 17th, at the courts.

### 2. Type of Tournament

This will be a single elimination tournament for the first round. The rest of the tournament will be a modified double elimination to determine places  $1^{st} - 3^{rd}$ 

#### 3. Entries

Each Wesco school is allocated 2 singles and 2 doubles teams for a total of 6 participants. It is possible the top two **or** the top finishers in singles and the top two doubles (WIAA Allocations will be determined in the spring) teams will advance to the 4A State High School Tennis Tournament to be held in the Tri-Cities.

### 4. Seeding

The WESCO 4A seeding meeting will be held via zoom on Mon. October 16th, at 7:00 p.m. Each coach is asked to email their representatives for singles and doubles to <a href="mailto:Jason\_Pearson@lkstevens.wednet.edu">Jason\_Pearson@lkstevens.wednet.edu</a> no later than 9:00 am Monday October 16th. If a coach cannot make the meeting please send an assistant.

### 5. Regulations

USTA rules will prevail. All matches will be the best two out of three sets. Regular ADD SCORING will be used throughout the tournament. The twelve point tiebreaker will be used in the event sets are tied at 6 - 6. Warm-ups are limited to ten minutes. Players are expected to play all matches.

A two-minute break will be allowed between sets 1 and 2. Players will not be allowed to leave the courts, unless it is to use the bathroom. A five-minute break will be allowed between the second and third sets. A player who defaults in a match (does not show up to play) will default all subsequent matches for the remainder of the tournament. A Player who retires will continue on in the bracket. Each contestant will have a minimum of 30 minutes between matches, unless mutually agreed upon by both contestants to be shorter.

### 6. **Awards**

Medals will be awarded to the finisher in both singles and doubles. A first place trophy will be awarded for the **NW District 4A Team Championship**.

### 7. **Team Points**

8 points for 1<sup>st</sup> place; 6 points for 2<sup>nd</sup> place; 5 points for 3<sup>rd</sup> place; 4 points for 4<sup>th</sup> place and 1 point per win to an entry that doesn't place in the top 4. The team with the most points for singles and doubles is district champion.

### 8. **Coaching**

A two-minute coaching period is allowed between sets one and two and up to five minutes between sets two and three. Coaches may coach during changeovers, provided it does not interfere with pace of play and must remain outside of courts. Only one coach at a time may interact with their athlete(s)

### 9. **Warm - up**

Each contestant will be allowed a maximum of 10 minutes to warm-up. Doubles matches are to warm-up using two balls.

### 10. Spectators

All spectators, players and coaches are restricted to the areas outside the courts during the progress of a match. Unnecessary noise or distractions are not customary at a tennis match. The applauding of unforced errors is considered poor etiquette. All coaches are expected to supervise their respective followers and spectators and assist the tournament director, who is empowered to remove any spectator from the facility that he feels is not exhibiting proper sportsmanship.

### 11. **Dress**

Each participant will wear their appropriate tennis uniform representing her school. Cutoffs or jeans are illegal, as is all other "non tennis" apparel.

### 12. Conduct

The Tournament Director or designee is given the authority to warn or disqualify any player who displays unsportsmanlike behavior, including temper and profanity. This would also apply to hitting the ball or throwing the racquet from the playing area in a fit of temper. Point penalty system will be in effect, so please cover the **USTA Code-of-Conduct** with your players. Penalties are cumulative throughout the tournament. The Tournament Director, Site Director, or any Umpire assigned to a match will have the authority to impose penalties.

### 13. **Dressing & Eating Facilities**

Dressing and shower facilities will not be provided. Each team is responsible for their own valuables. All players and coaches are limited to the courts, stadium restrooms and parking lot areas. No eating or drinking from glass bottles allowed on the courts.

### 14. Officials & Arbitration

Matches will not have line judges. Each player is expected to observe USTA rules and call lines fairly. In the event a player should request a line judge, the request should be made to the Tournament Director through that player's coach. Coaches will be expected to serve as line judges if requested.

### 15. Tournament Committee:

Rory Rosenbach Tournament Director Two coaches chosen by tournament director