

# Tennis

## **AGENDA**



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#### ASSISTANT ATHLETIC DIRECTORS

**Director of Athletics** 



**Brian Polk** 



Joseph Garmon



**AJ Martinez** 



**Brandy Belk** 



#### LEAGUE GOVERNANCE

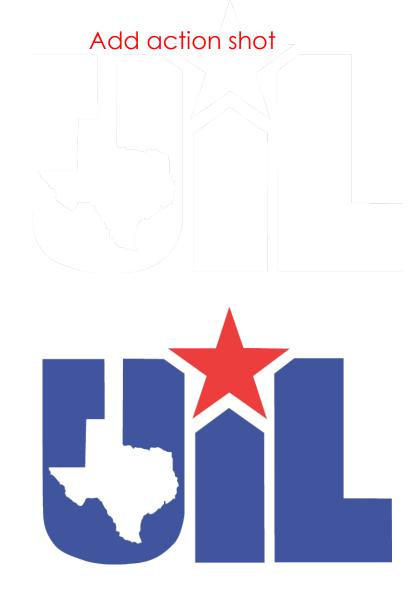
- ✓ **LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL** RULE MAKING BODY, 32 SUPERINTENDENTS, ALL REGIONS, ALL CONFERENCES REPRESENTED.
- ✓ STATE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE (SEC) 12 SCHOOL ADMINISTRATORS APPOINTED BY THE COMMISSIONER OF EDUCATION.
- ✓ WAIVER REVIEW BOARD 10 PERSON COMMITTEE, REVIEWS DECISIONS OF THE UIL WAIVER OFFICER ON APPEALS
- ✓ **DISTRICT EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE (DEC)** CONSISTS OF ONE VOTING MEMBER PER SCHOOL IN A GIVEN UIL DISTRICT.





# CONSTITUTION CHANGES 2020-2021

- COACHES CERTIFICATION PROGRAM (CCP) COACHES NOW REQUIRED TO HAVE ALL CCP COURSES DONE BY THE START OF THEIR FIRST PRACTICE OR THE START OF SCHOOL. WHICHEVER COMES FIRST.
- <u>Unified Activities</u>— Pilot Program to collaborate With Special Olympics Texas for Unified Sports.
- <u>SEPARATED PARENTS</u>— SEPARATED PARENTS WILL NOW BE CONSISTENT WITH THE GUARDIAN RULE (3 YEARS).
- AREA TRACK MEETS AREA TRACK MEETS ARE NOW REQUIRED UNLESS THE TWO DISTRICTS ARE MORE THAN 150 MILES APART.
- OFFICIALS FEE INCREASE \$5 INCREASE ACROSS THE BOARD FOR OFFICIALS FEE

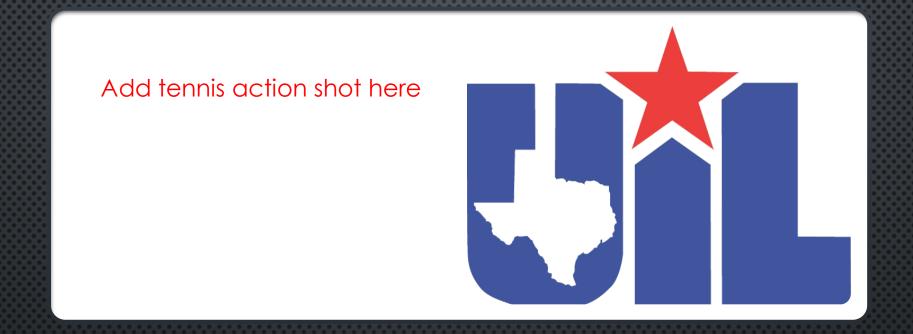




## **UIL Staff Studies**

- ✓ Study the possibility of Home Field Advantage for all sports and all classifications.
- ✓ Study the possibility of changing the Junior High start time for athletic contests.
- ✓ Study the possibility of adding 1A volleyball, softball, and baseball to their own district

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## TENNIS SPECIFIC INFORMATION



# USTA Rule Changes (Update) 2020

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## UIL Tennis Rule Changes (Update) 2020-2021

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# UIL TENNIS UPDATES 2020-2021

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# CONCERNS (Update) 2020-2021

Didn't know if you wanted to leave this as is...update to be relevant to tennis

- ✓ <u>Video Usage</u> Know the Rules…Too many coaches call wanting to protest and use video
- ✓ Event Limitations Know the Rules...There is a difference in HS and JH, we had multiple kids/teams get DQ'd violating this...
- ✓ <u>Don't Compare</u> Comparisons are negative...Team sports are different than individual sports, individual sports are different from one to the other...We do not have a sport in the state of Texas that is in bad shape!
- ✓ Social Media Call us, email us, negativity on social media is not a good look!

## COACHING REMINDERS

- Know Your Rules
- YEARLY REQUIREDTRAINING
- EDUCATE / LEAD YOUR STAFF

"I didn't know what the outcome would be but I committed to the purpose."

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# KNOW YOUR RULES

- ✓ Make sure you have a sport rule book (NFHS, NCAA, USTA, USGA).
- **✓** Download and / or print your **SPORT MANUAL** 
  - Manuals include C&CR sport plan language, NFHS rule changes, UIL rule changes and they are updated annually.
- **✓** Download or bookmark the Side by Side Manual
  - Will answer questions about no-pass / no-play, eligibility and more.



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# ELIGIBILITY



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#### ELIGIBILITY - 1ST SIX-WEEKS OF SCHOOL YEAR

- GRADES NINE AND BELOW PROMOTED
- SECOND YEAR OF HIGH SCHOOL FIVE ACCUMULATED CREDITS
- Third Year of High School Ten accumulated credits or five credits within the last twelve months
- FOURTH YEAR OF HIGH SCHOOL FIFTEEN ACCUMULATED CREDITS OR FIVE CREDITS WITHIN THE LAST TWELVE MONTHS



# ELIGIBILITY VARSITY ATHLETICS

- ✓ MEETS ALL REQUIREMENTS OF SECTION 400 & 403
- ✓ IS AN AMATEUR
- ✓ MEETS PARENT RESIDENCE RULE
- ✓ MEETS THE AGE RULE
- ✓ HAS NOT CHANGED SCHOOLS FOR ATHLETIC PURPOSES
- ✓ PREVIOUS ATHLETIC PARTICIPATION FORM

# PREVIOUS ATHLETIC PARTICIPATION FORM (PAPF)

- •REQUIRED FOR ALL **NEW** STUDENTS IN GRADES 9-12 WHO HAVE:
- **REQUIRED** IF A STUDENT <u>PRACTICED</u> OR <u>PARTICIPATED</u>
  WITH A FORMER SCHOOL IN GRADES 8-12 IN ANY UIL
  ATHLETIC ACTIVITY.
- NEW SCHOOL MUST VERIFY THAT THE STUDENT MEETS
   THE PARENT RESIDENCE RULE.
- STUDENT DID NOT MOVE FOR ATHLETIC PURPOSES AND APPROVE PAPF BEFORE A STUDENT IS ELIGIBLE TO PARTICIPATE AT THE <u>VARSITY</u> LEVEL AT THE NEW SCHOOL
- SUBMITTED TO THE UIL OFFICE.



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# CONTACTS & LINKS

#### LINKS FOUND ON UIL WEBSITE

- CONSTITUTION & CONTEST RULES (C&CR)
- TEA-UIL SIDE-BY-SIDE
- ATHLETIC RULES (SECTIONS 1200 THROUGH 1210 C&CR)
- RULES VIOLATIONS AND PENALTIES (SECTION 1207 C&CR)
- BOOSTER CLUB GUIDELINES
- SUMMER STRENGTH & CONDITIONING REGULATIONS
- Non-School Participation Regulations

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