



SOUTH REGIONAL TENNIS CHAMPIONSHIPS

Activities Director: Tony Beardsley

Administrative Assistant: Julie Seymour

**South Regional Tennis Championships
Green River, Wyoming
September 20 & 21, 2024**

**Tournament Director: Tony Beardsley, Athletic Director
Assistant Tournament Director: Phil Harder, Head Coach**

SCHEDULE

Friday, September 20

Play begins at 8:00am

Saturday, September 21

Play begins at 8:00am

Bus Parking will be available in the back parking lot of Lincoln Middle School and the far outside of Green River High School's parking lot during school hours. After school hours, Green River High School and Lincoln Middle School parking lots will be fully available and accessible **See attached bus parking map for GRHS and LMS. Bus Parking at Rock Springs High School will be available along the street to the Parking Lot.

ENTRIES

Tennis Regional Entry Form and Tennis Record Report Form (see attached) must be emailed by 4:00pm on Tuesday, September 17th to Tony Beardsley @ anthony.beardsley@swcsd2.org These forms are included with this packet and can also be found on the WHSAA website. Brackets will be sent to coaches Wednesday evening.

HEAD COACHES MEETING/TEAM PACKETS:

Thursday, September 19th at 7:00pm in the Green River High School Media Center, Room #364. Please enter through the main doors of the building. Playing times, locations, and instructions will be reviewed. Dinner will also be provided.

TOURNAMENT RULES

Rules established by the United States Tennis Association shall prevail except where modified by the WHSAA. Once play has begun in a match, it will be continuous with no breaks unless permitted by the referee (site director). The site director shall have authority to appoint service and line officials as deemed necessary.

SCHOOLS

Green River
Rock Springs
Rawlins
Laramie
Cheyenne East
Cheyenne Central
Cheyenne South
Torrington

Home of the Wolves and Lady Wolves

1615 Hitching Post Drive

Green River, WY

(307) 872-8806



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TEAM SCORING

Place	#1 Singles	#2 Singles	#1 Doubles	#2 Doubles	#3 Doubles
1st	18	15	15	12	9
2nd	15	12	12	10	7
3rd	12	9	9	7	4
4th	8	6	6	4	3
5th & 6th	4	3	3	3	2

SEEDING

The **top 8** schools will be seeded in each bracket. Priority will be given to those schools who have won the most league matches in that bracket. **We will “seed” 1-8 for the South Region.** Seeding will be completed by Wednesday evening, September 18th. You will be emailed the seeding results and will have 24 hours to communicate any seeding concerns. The seeding will be considered FINAL Thursday, September 19th at 9:00am.

COACHING

Coaching may take place before the match or within the ten (10) minutes between the second and third sets of split sets. Coaches are reminded that they are responsible for their team’s actions on and around the court and also the actions of any spectators from their respective schools. Do not intentionally interrupt concentration or play in any way. Players may receive coaching from coaches or designated players with the number of persons coaching limited to two persons per site. (WHSAA Rule 7.13.33)

WARM-UP and MATCH PLAY

All locations will begin play at 8am. A ten (10) minute warm-up will be given starting at 7:50am. Athletes will be informed as to the next available court when it opens up. Once the players have been informed that a court is open, they will have no more than 10 minutes of warm up on the court. Athletes will be given thirty (30) minutes between back-to-back matches. Sight supervisors are instructed to keep the play moving.

Only first round matches each day will be assigned court location and starting times. All other matches will not be assigned to specific courts and times. Athletes should be ready to play as courts become available. Players need to keep track of speed of play at the location they are assigned. It is the players responsibility to be ready when the court becomes available. Players must check in personally with the site director in advance of playing time and be ready to play. Default is the penalty for failure to report. The hope is to get through everything but the consolation championships and the championship matches on Friday. This will leave a total of 20 matches on Saturday weather permitting. **Championship Matches will be played at Green River High School (begins @ 9am) and all Consolation Championship matches will be played at Lincoln Middle School (begins @ 8am)**

WINNERS

The winner of a match must win two (2) out of three (3) sets. Sets that are tied at 6-6 will employ a tie-breaker (12-point tiebreaker) with the first team/player to reach 7 points, win by two.

AWARDS

All-Conference awards will be provided by the Wyoming 4A League and all Regional awards will be provided by the WHSAA.



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Conference Awards

- Plaques presented to Boys Team Champion and Girls Team Champion
- All Conference medals presented to First and Second place finishers in #1 Singles, #2 Singles and #1 Doubles
- All Conference medals presented to First place in #2 Doubles and #3 Doubles

Regional Awards

- Name plates presented to First, Second, and Third place Boys and Girls Teams
- Medals presented to top four finishers in each bracket.

COACH OF THE YEAR

Conference Girls Coach of the Year and Conference Boys Coach of the Year will be selected at the Regional Tournament. *Please turn in your vote by noon on Saturday, September 21st to Tony Beardsley.* This form is included with this packet.

HOSPITALITY

A hospitality room or area will be available for coaches, administrators, and drivers. Location of hospitality areas will be announced at the coaches meeting.

CONCESSIONS:

Will be available at GRHS after 3pm on Friday and all day Saturday. No other concessions will be available at any other site.

TEAM PICTURES

Please email a team picture with name identification to Julie Seymour (Activities Dept Admin Asst) julie.seymour@swcsd2.org by Monday at 4:00pm, September 16th.

WATER

Water will be available at all sites. Please remind your athletes to keep their area neat and clean.

LOCKER ROOMS AND RESTROOMS

Locker Rooms can be made available upon request at GRHS and LMS Courts... there are no locker rooms at Edgewater Park. Restrooms are available at all sites.

ATHLETIC TRAINING

A certified athletic trainer or sports physical therapist will be available if needed. Contact information will be provided at the Coaches meeting. Please bring your own training supplies.

EQUIPMENT

Each coach is asked to bring one squeegee in case of rain. Courts will be assigned at the Coaches meeting.



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4A League By-Laws Applying to Tennis:

9.10 TENNIS

- a. All Wyoming High School Activities Association rules will prevail for the conference tournaments and matches.
- b. All conference teams shall participate in all scheduled conference dual matches plus the Conference Championship Tournament.
- c. School day matches shall begin at 4:00 p.m. and weekend matches shall begin at 9:00 a.m. unless otherwise agreed upon by both schools.
- d. The Conference Awards for both boys and girls teams and individual players, determined by conference dual records will be a team championship plaque, medals for the top two singles in Division I, top two singles in Division II, top two doubles players in Division I, Top two doubles players in Division II, and top two doubles players in Division III.
- e. When seeding for Conference Tournament, the #1 seed of the tournament does not have to take an automatic bye, but be given the choice to defer the bye to the #2 seed.
- f. At the Conference Tournament the points for the #3 Doubles should be the same as those established for the State Tournament.
- g. In conference matches both coaches shall make their lineup list prior to a match. This list will certify that the squad's best tennis player, which has been determined by play, will represent the team and play #1 singles. The coach at his/her option may play the #2 player at either the #2 singles position or at the #1 doubles position.
- h. The doubles team may be any combination of squad members after the two best players have been designated. However, as determined by play, the #1 doubles team must be the squad's best doubles team. The #2 doubles team will be the second best doubles team. The #3 doubles team will be the third best doubles team. No player will be allowed to play both singles and doubles in any conference match or tournament.
- i. No player may drop more than one position per league match.
- j. Substitutions: During season play, direct substitution may be allowed by a lesser-ranked player if the original player, because of injury or illness, becomes unavailable.
- k. Tennis Etiquette: Tennis etiquette will be strictly enforced. Proper tennis attire, which excludes jeans, cut-off jeans, and the like, is mandatory. Team shirts will be worn that are appropriate as a member of a school team uniform. The two coaches or the tournament director will deal with improper language or



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other acts that detract from the game of tennis. Disciplinary action could result in forfeiture of a game, set, or match.

- l. Coaching may take place before the match or within the ten (10) minutes between the second and third sets of split sets. Coaches are reminded that they are responsible for their team's actions on and around the court and also the actions of any spectators from their respective schools. Do not intentionally interrupt concentration or play in any way.
- m. The suggested maximum time for rest between split sets is ten (10) minutes.
- n. Warm-up time for the start of a match will be ten (10) minutes from the time the match director presents the players with the new balls.
- o. The winner of a match must win two (2) out of three (3) sets. Sets that are tied at 6-6 will employ a twelve (12)-point tiebreaker.
- p. In the event of inclement weather or limited time factor, competing teams may agree to shorten the matches when mutually agreed upon.
 - a. Suggested options:
 1. Play one Pro-set
 - a. First one to win 8 game pro-set with tie breaker at 8 games all.
 - b. All tie breakers will be a seven-point tie breaker, must win by two (2) points.



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COACH OF THE YEAR

BALLOT

Girls Coach of the Year

Boys Coach of the Year

Name

Name

Please return form to Tony Beardsley by NOON on Saturday, September 21st



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EMERGENCY ACTION PLAN

RESPONSE PROTOCOL: Lincoln Middle School – Tennis Courts

Event:	Wyoming 4A South Regional Tennis Tournament
Site:	Lincoln Middle School – Tennis Courts 350 Monroe Avenue Green River, WY 82935
Emergency Contact 1:	911
Emergency Contact 2:	Castle Rock Ambulance Service: (307) 872-4545
Lead Responder:	Josh Lewis, SWCSD2/GRHS Athletic Trainer: (307) 871-0376
Responder:	Tony Beardsley, SWCSD2 Athletic Director: (406) 581-9638
Responder:	Jason Fuss, SWCSD2 Asst Superintendent: (307) 871-1820
AED Location:	LMS Tennis Courts – AED at Supervisor Table
EMS Access Point:	Back Parking Lot to Lincoln Middle School off of Shoshone Avenue
EMS Cross Street:	Shoshone Avenue
Spine Boarding Procedures:	Athletic Trainer and/or Sports Physical Therapist will take control of the head/neck and will instruct a coach or administrator to call 911 or retrieve EMT (if they are onsite) to come with spine board and gurney. The Athletic Trainer and/or Sports Physical Therapist will take lead while spine boarding and instruct coaches and administrators to help as needed. The coaches and administrators that are not hands on with the athlete will keep athletes and spectators away from the injured athlete so we may keep the athlete as safe as possible. Under NO circumstance will we let ANYONE other than uniformed EMT on site around the athlete to assist.
Additional Information:	There will be an Athletic Trainer and/or Sports Physical Therapist available at all times – Site Supervisors will have Cell Phone Numbers



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RESPONSE PROTOCOL: Green River High School – Tennis Courts

Event:	Wyoming 4A South Regional Tennis Tournament
Site:	Green River High School 1615 Hitching Post Drive Green River, WY 82935
Emergency Contact 1:	911
Emergency Contact 2:	Castle Rock Ambulance Service: (307) 872-4545
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Responder:	Tony Beardsley, SWCSD2 Athletic Director: (406) 581-9638
Responder:	Jason Fuss, SWCSD2 Asst Superintendent: (307) 871-1820
AED Location:	GRHS Tennis Courts at Site Supervisors Table
EMS Access Point:	Paved Road off of Hitching Post Drive – Near Port-A-Potty’s
EMS Cross Street:	Hitching Post Drive
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EMERGENCY ACTION PLAN

RESPONSE PROTOCOL: Edgewater Park – Tennis Courts

Event:	Wyoming 4A South Regional Tennis Tournament
Site:	Edgewater Park 1810 Montana Way Green River, WY 82935
Emergency Contact 1:	911
Emergency Contact 2:	Castle Rock Ambulance Service: (307) 872-4545
Lead Responder:	Josh Lewis, SWCSD2/GRHS Athletic Trainer: (307) 871-0376
Responder:	Tony Beardsley, SWCSD2 Athletic Director: (406) 581-9638
Responder:	Jason Fuss, SWCSD2 Asst Superintendent: (307) 871-1820
AED Location:	On site at Supervisors Table – Edgewater Park
EMS Access Point:	Off of Montana Way in front of Tennis Courts
EMS Cross Street:	Montana Way
Spine Boarding Procedures:	Athletic Trainer and/or Sports Physical Therapist will take control of the head/neck and will instruct a coach or administrator to call 911 or retrieve EMT (if they are onsite) to come with spine board and gurney. The Athletic Trainer and/or Sports Physical Therapist will take lead while spine boarding and instruct coaches and administrators to help as needed. The coaches and supervisors that are not hands on with the athlete will keep athletes and spectators away from the injured athlete so we may keep the athlete as safe as possible. Under NO circumstance will we let ANYONE other than uniformed EMT on site around the athlete to assist.
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