

THE SOUTH CAROLINA INDEPENDENT SCHOOL ASSOCIATION 2020 SCISA Class 2A Girls' Tennis Play-offs



***Carolina Academy**

Tuesday, October 13

Colleton Prep

*Semi-Finals
Friday, October 16
Palmetto Tennis
Center, Sumter
Directly Following 3A*

***Palmetto Christian**

Tuesday, October 13

Pee Dee Academy

*State Championship
Saturday, October 17
Palmetto Tennis Center
12:00 Noon*

***Hilton Head Christian**

Tuesday, October 13

Williamsburg Academy

*Semi-Finals
Friday, October 16
Palmetto Tennis
Center, Sumter
Directly Following 3A*

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***Spartanburg Day**

Tuesday, October 13

Orangeburg Prep

* = Home Team

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***Trinity Collegiate**

Tuesday, October 13

Heathwood Hall

*Semi-Finals
Friday, October 12
Palmetto Tennis
Center, Sumter
12:00 (Noon)*

*** Porter-Gaud**

Tuesday, October 13

Hammond

*State Championship
Saturday, October 17
Palmetto Tennis Center
12:00 (Noon)*

*** Ashley Hall**

Tuesday, October 13

Wilson Hall

*Semi-Finals
Friday, October 16
Palmetto Tennis
Center, Sumter
12:00 (Noon)*

*** Cardinal Newman**

Tuesday, October 13

Hilton Head Prep

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2020 SCISA Tennis Play-offs

- The HOME TEAM shall contact the visiting team to establish match time and to provide directions.
 - The first round is scheduled for Tuesday, October 13. The next round will be the semi-finals in Sumter on Friday, October 16.
- REMINDER: A team's line-up (Singles / Doubles) shall not change once the play-offs have started. Challenge matches end once the regular season concludes. A line-up can change if a player is out or if a player who was out returns.
- NOTE: Play-off Rule - if the match has been determined by singles play, Doubles are not required to be played.
- Rain postponements shall be played the next playable day.

State Semi's & Finals
Play-off Notes...

Site: Palmetto Tennis Center, Sumter, SC

- Both Teams provide tennis balls.
- Format of Play: 2 Sets with a 10 point tie-breaker.
- ** No fans will be allowed inside of the Palmetto Tennis. Fans may come inside to use restrooms and then exit the facility. The Tennis Center will place playoff matches on the outside courts which CAN be viewed from the outside of the facility. Spectators should bring chairs if they wish to sit and watch the match from outside.
- Friday Times: Class 3A begins play at 12:00 (Noon). 2A's will follow directly after the conclusion of the 3A's.
- Saturday Times: Both 3A & 2A are scheduled for 12:00 (Noon). By mutual consent 2 teams may play earlier, not later.

The South Carolina Independent School Association Tennis Line-up Guidelines

The following guidelines are approved and exist to provide the procedures to clear-up any confusion or question regarding a team's line-up. Coaches are duty bound to know and follow these approved procedures.

Singles

Coaches are duty bound to play their singles participants in descending order of ability.

Singles Line-up Requirements.

1. Singles participants shall be listed in descending order of ability (1,2,3,4,5,6)
2. Challenge matches will determine this order.
3. Players shall be ranked according to their head to head competition. Each coach shall maintain a dated copy of all challenge matches including matches which established the initial ladder.
4. Challenge Matches: a player may challenge up One Position only. Recommended: Two sets with a 10-point tiebreaker format. An 8-Game Pro-Set is permitted.
5. Temporary illness or absence of any player: When a player is out, all players must move up to fill the space with any forfeits at the bottom of the lineup. When that player returns, he/she must return in their original position.
6. Once the play-offs begin, the singles ladder may not be changed.

Line-up Questioned:

A coach, who questions the relative order of the opponent's lineup, may request to see the challenge records. Coaches must bring all challenge match data, as well as all previous individual and team scores, to every match. This includes the playoffs. Any challenge matches that change the line-up must be documented, dated and signed by the coach. If these records are not made available at the contest in question, the concerned coach may file a protest with SCISA. SCISA will then expect the challenged coach to present the records by email or fax. If records cannot be properly and promptly submitted, a forfeit will be imposed.

Line-up Exchange: Coaches will exchange singles line-ups 10 minutes prior to start time of the match.

Doubles

Coaches are duty bound to play their doubles teams in descending order of ability.

Doubles Line-up Requirements.

1. First doubles team shall have a combined rank (*based on their singles rank*) which will be **lower than** that of the second team. The second doubles shall have the same in regards to the third doubles team.
2. If this is not the case, then dated challenge match results shall be available for review. If the combined rank is the **same** as the next doubles team, then challenge match data must justify the playing order.

**Note: Doubles may play an 8-Game Pro-Set Challenge Match*

Line-up Questioned:

A coach, who questions the relative order of the opponent's lineup, may request to see the challenge records. Coaches must bring all challenge match data, as well as all previous individual and team scores, to every match. This includes the playoffs. Any challenge matches that change the line-up must be documented, dated and signed by the coach. If these records are not made available at the contest in question, the concerned coach may file a protest with SCISA. SCISA will then expect the challenged coach to present the records by email or fax. If records cannot be properly and promptly submitted, a forfeit will be imposed.

Line-up Exchange: Coaches have the option to hold off announcing doubles until after singles matches have been completed, but must inform the other coach before exchanging singles. If doubles matches are announced after singles matches are completed, doubles line-ups will be exchanged simultaneously.

