# **Tournament Bracket Placement Rules**

#### Men's + Women's Doubles

For Men's and Women's doubles tournaments you are placed at the higher playing level of the two partners. If your most recent Men's or Women's league was more than a year ago we will use Senior league participation following by Mixed leagues, if needed.

## Men's + Women's Senior Doubles

In Senior doubles tournaments you are placed at the higher playing level of the two partners from your most recent Senior's league. If your most recent Senior's league was more than a year ago we will use Men's and Women's league participation following by Mixed leagues, if needed. If you participate in a Men's or Women's league at a higher level than Seniors, you may be placed at the higher level.

### Men's + Women's Singles

For singles tournaments your playing level is the same as your respective Men's or Women's league. If your most recent Men's or Women's league was more than a year ago we will use Senior league participation following by Mixed leagues, if needed.

#### **Mixed Doubles**

For the Mixed Doubles tournaments the two player's mixed levels are used. The highest level played by either partner is the proposed playing level. If this level is below both player's respective Men's or Women's leagues the Men's and Women's levels are used. If your Men's and Women's league levels are used your tournament level will be the average of these. If one player has not played mixed doubles we use that player's Men's or Women's level. If neither player has played mixed doubles their Men's and women's levels are used and a playing level is determined at the discretion of the Tournament VP.

Playing levels are converted to tournament bracket as follows:

- AA levels are assigned to the AA bracket
- A1-A4 play in the High A bracket
- A5-A8(9) is the Low A bracket
- B1-B4 is the High B bracket
- B5-B8(9) is Low B
- C1-C4 is High C
- C5-C8(9) is Low C.

Note that if you recently moved to a lower playing level in league play, you may be placed at the higher bracket in tournament play.