



**TEAM CAPTAIN'S LETTER – PLEASE READ/SHARE WITH ALL OF YOUR TEAMMATES BEFORE MATCHDAY.**

TENNIS BC WELCOMES YOU TO THE 2024 TEAM TENNIS PROVINCIAL CHAMPIONSHIPS!

### Welcome

Congratulations on qualifying for Team Tennis Provincial Championships! We are so pleased to be hosting the 7<sup>th</sup> annual championship at Burnaby Tennis Club.

### Location

Burnaby Tennis Club

3890 Kensington Ave, Burnaby, BC V5B 4V8

### Event Schedule

Friday, August 23<sup>rd</sup> 5:00pm – 8:00pm

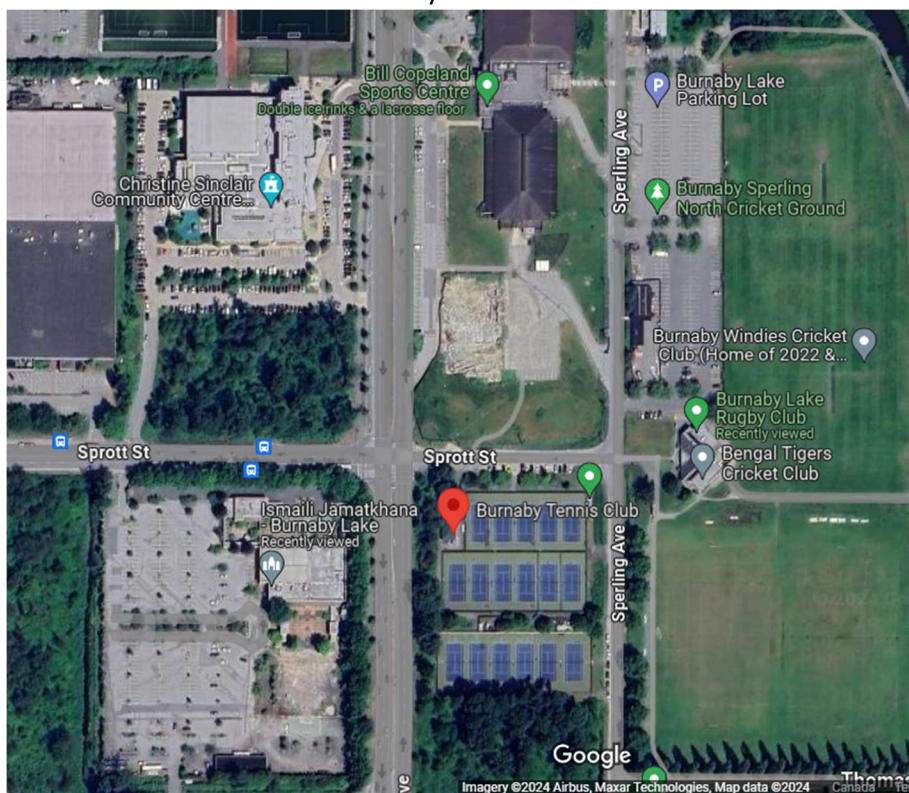
Saturday, August 24<sup>th</sup> 8:30am - 5:30pm (Players Dinner at 6:00pm)

Sunday, August 25<sup>th</sup> 9:30am – 3:30pm

### Parking

Limited parking is available at Burnaby Tennis Club on Sprott Street. If the lot is full:

- Burnaby Lake Parking Lot
- Bill Copeland Sports Centre
- Chrstine Sinclair Community Centre





### Viewing

Spectators are most welcome to attend! Bleachers will be available for spectators at Courts 1, 10, and 11. For viewing on courts 12-17, we highly recommend bringing a camping chair.

### Washrooms

BTC Clubhouse is available for players and spectators on site, ladies and mens room have 2 bathrooms and 2 showers each.

### Food and beverage for athletes

Light snacks of fruit and pastries will be provided in the clubhouse. There is a small kitchen upstairs in case you need to fill your water bottle or heat food. There are limited options for restaurants nearby, so we recommend bringing your own lunch or snacks for the day.

### 30mins Before Match Time - Check-in

Team Roster submitted at Tournament Desk. Once the roster has been submitted listing players by strength, players may then only move 1 position up or down for the duration of the tournament. Players can check in to receive their souvenir!

### 15mins Before Match Time – Captains return to Check-in Table

Submit Match Lineup, and tournament desk will ensure that Match Lineup aligns with Team Roster.

### Match time

Team is to be present at tournament desk. If we have courts available at the time, we will do the coin toss and put you on court. Teams will be assigned courts and will start on court promptly. Players have a 5 min Warm-up.

### Format of Play

- 2 regular sets – 1 deuce scoring, sudden death at second deuce (same format for last 4 years)
- 7-point tiebreaker, if necessary, at 6-6
- If each team wins a set, please play a 10-pt match tiebreak in lieu of third set
- Both captains report scores at check-in table and sign the scoring record.
- All players will have 1.5 hours of rest minimum.

### Player dinner

We will have a very casual dinner put together by our team for the players at 6pm on Saturday. It is Greek night – we will have skewers, wine, spanakopita's galore! Dinner will start being served around 5:30pm. Due to the high volume of players (160!) we kindly ask that it is limited to the players only.

### Prizing

Once the final teams in your division have completed their matches, and we can determine the winner, we will do a prize presentation for the winning and runner up teams.