

Pre Match Remarks

Thank you, Coach Smith.

Ladies (Gentlemen),

I'll be your official for today's match and will be moving around among the courts as you play. I'm here to make sure that everything is done fairly and correctly so that all you have to worry about is playing your best tennis.

As I rove around, if I see a clear error on a line call, I will overrule it and you will lose the point. I don't expect to see any disruptive behavior or hear any unacceptable language, but , if I do, I will issue a code violation/point penalty. A second violation is a game penalty and a third is a default. Remember that a code violation against either player in doubles counts as a violation for the doubles team.

Primarily I'm here to help you out. If you have a scoring dispute or a question about a rule, stop play and get my attention by holding your racket up. I'll be right over to help you resolve your problem.

You will have a ten minute timed warm-up and I will attempt to give you a five minute and a two minute heads up so that you can make the best use of your warm-up time.

Start your warm-up as soon as you get out to the court. I'll eventually be around to each court to flip a coin for serving and side choices.

Any questions? Good luck and have a great match.