## Ranked Tournaments Comparison

|  | Level 7 | Level6 | Level5 | Level4 | Level 3 | Level2 | Level1-Gold Ball |
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| Event Duration | Up to 1 day | Up to 2 days* | Up to 3 days | Up to 4 days | 3+ days | 3+ days | 4+ days |
| Geographic Level | Section/District | Section/District | Section/District | Section | Section/National | National | National |
| Recommended Skill Level | Intermediate |  |  |  |  | National Ch |  |
| Ball Colors | ** $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ |
| Draw Formats | - Round robin | - Round robin | - Round robin | - Round robin | - Round robin | - Round robin | - Round robin |
|  | - Round robin with playoff <br> - Compass draw <br> - Team format | - Round robin with playoff <br> - Compass draw <br> - Team format <br> - Feed-in or modified feed-in championships | - Round robin with playoff <br> - Compass draw <br> - Team format <br> - Curtis consolation <br> - Feed-in or modified feed-in championships <br> - First match consolation <br> - Voluntary consolation | - Round robin with playoff <br> - Compass draw <br> - Team format <br> - Curtis consolation <br> - Feed-in or modified feed-in championships <br> - First match consolation <br> - Voluntary consolation | - Round robin with playoff <br> - Compass draw <br> - Team format <br> - Curtis consolation <br> - Feed-in or modified feed-in championships <br> - First match consolation <br> - Voluntary consolation | - Compass draw <br> - Team format <br> - Curtis consolation <br> - Feed-in championships | - Compass draw <br> - Team format <br> - Curtis consolation <br> - Feed-in championships |
| Scoring Formats | - Single short set (first to 4 games) | - Best 2 of 3 sets (3rd set is 10-point tiebreak) <br> - Best 2 of 3 short sets (3rd set is 7-point tiebreak) | - Best 2 of 3 tiebreak sets | - Best 2 of 3 tiebreak sets | - Best 2 of 3 tiebreak sets | - Best 2 of 3 tiebreak sets | - Best 2 of 3 tiebreak sets |
|  | - Best 2 of 3 short sets (3rd set is a 7 point tiebreak) |  | - Best 2 of 3 sets (3rd set is 10-point tiebreak) | - Best 2 of 3 sets (3rd set is 10-point tiebreak) | - Best 2 of 3 sets (3rd set is 10-point tiebreak) | - Best 2 of 3 sets (3rd set is 10-point tiebreak) | - Best 2 of 3 sets (3rd set is 10-point tiebreak) |
|  | - Single set (first to 6 games) <br> - Timed matches | - Best 2 of 3, 10-point tiebreak games | - Best 2 of 3 short sets (3rd set is 7-point tiebreak) | - Best 2 of 3 short sets (3rd set is 7-point tiebreak) | - Best 2 of 3 short sets (3rd set is 7-point tiebreak) | - Best 2 of 3 short sets (3rd set is 7-point tiebreak) | - Best 2 of 3 short sets (3rd set is 7-point tiebreak) |
|  | - Best 2 of 3,10-point tiebreak games | - Single set (doubles only) | - 8 game pro-set (doubles only) | - 8 game pro-set (doubles only) | - 8 game pro-set (doubles only) | - Single set (doubles only) | - 8 game pro-set (doubles only) |
|  | - Single 10-point tiebreak (doubles only) | - 8 game pro-set (consolation and doubles only) | - Single set (doubles only) | - Single set (doubles only) | - Single set (doubles only) | - 8 game pro-set (consolation and doubles only) | - Single set (doubles only) |

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[^0]:    * A Level 6 event may last up to 3 days based on court availability and section discretion
    ** Sections have the option for green ball play for 12 s divisions only

