



SOUTHERN

After School Program Grant Application

Date: **Organization:** **Tax ID #:**
Program Name: **Contact Name:**
Street Address:
City: **State:** **Zip:**
Phone Numbers **Day:** **Night:** **Cell:** **Fax:**
E-mail Address:
USTA Organization Membership # *(required for funding)*

Eligibility: Programs must provide organized play with team formats involving high school, middle school or elementary leagues. The expectation is that participant fees be charged and that students will have their own equipment, similar to other organized youth sports.

Funding support expectations: Grant funds may be used for an organizer/coordinator stipend, equipment or promotional expenses incurred to advertise the program.

Proposal Review Process: Applications will be reviewed as they are received.

Evaluation Reporting Process: Within 30 days of completing the program the USTA/Southern Section will require a report describing activities and outcomes from the support awarded.

Suggested range: Grant must be matched with additional funding and/or in-kind contributions through the CTA, Parks/Recreation Dept, other supporting organization or participant fees and fundraising efforts. Grant amounts will be based on the number of expected participants and grant matching level. The maximum amount awarded for Jr. Team Tennis programs (TennisLink required) will be \$10 per player for new leagues or \$10 for each additional player for expanding leagues. Non Jr. Team Tennis programs may receive a maximum award of \$5 per player for new leagues or \$5 for each additional player for expanding leagues.

Funding Amount Requested: (minimum request is \$250)

1. School program format you will offer (check all that apply):

- Elementary School Interscholastic tennis league
- Elementary School Intramural tennis league
- Middle School Interscholastic tennis league
- High School Interscholastic tennis league

2. Is your program new or expanding ?

If program is expanding, what was the number of participants last season/year?

3. Is this league a Jr. Team Tennis program? If not, when do you expect players from this league to be participating in a Jr. Team Tennis program?

4. Estimated number of schools involved in this program:

5. Estimated number of participants:

6. Location of the program (school, park, tennis facility, other):

7. Number of weeks and number of hours per week program will be conducted:

of weeks Hours per week Starting date:

8. Amount of fee charged per participant: (minimum recommended fee is \$10)

9. Name of the program organizer:

- Has the program organizer attended a Recreational Coaches Workshop?
- Has the program organizer attended a school in-service or school workshop?

10. Is this program linked to an in-school PE program?

11. On a separate page, show your program's budget with details of income and expenses.

12. How will you promote your after school tennis program? (Check all that apply)

- Email Direct mail Radio/TV Flyers/posters Web site In-school announcement

13. Provide explanation of how your program will be financially sustained next season without the use of these funds:

Send via email to: Jeff Smith – smith@sta@earthlink.net Application deadline – October 15, 2008 or until funds are depleted.