LUNCHTIME SOCIAL SPORT
Mixed Tennis (Doubles) Rules

Laws of the Game: Tennis

Modifications

Rules to note:

Ratios
  - There is no set mixed ratio eg. Each team can have both players the same gender or mixed

Umpires
  - Each match is self-umpired

Game Structure
  - First service will be decided by a toss of a coin or racket spin between 2 players on opposing teams. The winner will decide if to serve or receive. The opposing teams will chose ends.
  - The pair who have to receive service in the first game of each set shall decide which partner will receive the first service. Partners shall receive the service alternately throughout each game and the order will not be altered during the set.
  - Matches start with a 5 minute warm up – followed by 35 minutes of match play. Matches are to be played under the ‘super set’ scoring system.
  - Each match will consist of one, 10 game super set (first team to 10 wins – you do not need to win by two). Each game will use the No-Ad Scoring System. The first to 4 points – with no deuce.
  - If the 40 minutes is up and the super set not complete – the team in the lead at that time will be declared the winner. If the games are tied at that time – the match will be declared a tie.

Score cards & Balls
  - Score cards and balls will be available from the Sports & Aquatic centre reception prior to each game. Balls returned and each scorecard filled out completely and returned to reception immediately after the match.

Any abuse or gross misconduct directed at officials or other players will result in exclusion from the game, possible suspension of the team from the competition.