

“Road to the Little Mo Nationals”

Rules and Regulations

The "Little Mo" tournaments for boys and girls (ages 7-11) are designed to be fun and competitive with emphasis on meeting new friends and good sportsmanship.

- Players play their own age: 8's play 8's, 9's play 9's, 10's play 10's and 11's play 11's.
- The “LittleMo” tournaments will be played with the yellow ball on full court.
(There will be a green dot option on full court for 8's, 9's and 10's division at most sectionals.)
- Eligibility: 11's - born in 2003
10's - born in 2004
9's - born in 2005
8's - born in 2006 or 2007
- The "Little Mo" Sectional tournaments are open to any player who lives in the United States as well U.S. Territories (Puerto Rico).
- Players may play in any "Little Mo" Sectional they wish and can play in more than one sectional. (Players can only play in one division – either yellow ball or green dot ball.)
- Players must follow the path of the sectional they play to the appropriate regional. (To view the sectionals which comprise each regionals, go to: www.mcbtennis.org and click on Tournaments.)
- Players from California must play either Northern Cal and / or Southern Cal sectionals. Players who live outside California can play in Northern Cal and / or Southern Cal.
- Only yellow ball divisions will advance to the regionals.

The top eight players (quarter-finalists) in each age division from each "Little Mo" Sectional (yellow ball) will advance to the "Little Mo" Regionals. The top four players (semi-finalists) from the Regionals will advance to the prestigious "Little Mo" Nationals. The Nationals draw will feature the top 16 players in each age division in the United States (Boys 8, 9, 10 and 11 and Girls 8, 9, 10 and 11).

The Maureen Connolly Brinker Tennis Foundation reserves the right to refuse the entry of any player registering for the "Little Mo" Sectionals, Regionals, Nationals; reserves the right to not invite a player to the next round of the "Little Mo" circuit; and the right to default any player during any “Little Mo” tournament. This determination will be based primarily on unsportsmanlike conduct on and off the court by either a player, parent, coach or anyone connected to the player. However, other instances may arise other than unsportsmanlike conduct that could result in the same outcome.

The "Little Mo" tournaments are in honor of Maureen "Little Mo" Connolly, who was known not only for her victories but for her outstanding sportsmanship on and off the court. Your participation in the "Little Mo" tournament should reflect this gold standard of behavior.