

2022 Rule Change Summary Table Tennis

Change From	Change To
Old Formatting	See also date change at footer to reflect October 2022
2 Official Events 2.1 Target Serve 2.2 Racket Bounce 2.3 Return Shot 2.4 Individual Skills Competition 2.5 Singles 2.6 Doubles 2.7 Mixed Doubles 2.8 Wheelchair Competition 2.9 Unified Sports® Doubles 2.10 Unified Sports Mixed Doubles	CHANGED: The following is a list of official events available in Special Olympics. 2.1 Target Serve 2.2 Racket Bounce 2.3 Return Shot 2.1 Individual Skills Competition 2.2 Singles 2.3 Doubles 2.4 Mixed Doubles 2.5 Wheelchair Competition 2.6 Unified Sports® Doubles 2.7 Unified Sports Mixed Doubles
5.3 Individual Skills CompetitionEntire Section5.4 Unified Sports Doubles and Mixed DoublesEntire Section	CHANGED: 5.3 Individual Skills Competition has changed to 5.4 5.4 Unified Sports Doubles and Mixed Doubles changes to 5.3
5.3.3 Forehand Volley 5.3.3.1 Athlete stands on his/her side of the table with another player (feeder) on the other side. Using a total of five balls, the feeder tosses each ball to the athlete's forehand side. The athlete scores one point for hitting the ball back to the feeder's side of the table. The ball must hit the table to count as a point. The athlete scores five points for hitting into either service box.	CHANGED: 5.4.3 Forehand Volley 5.4.3.1 Athlete stands on his/her side of the table with another player (feeder) on the other side. 5.4.3.2 Using a total of five balls, the feeder tosses each ball to the athlete's forehand side. 5.4.3.3 The athlete scores one point for hitting the ball back to the feeder's side of the table. 5.4.3.4 The ball must hit the table to count as a point. The athlete scores five points for hitting into either service box the particular region (refer to Diagram A). *Diagram A inserted at the bottom of the document
5.3.5 Serve 5.3.5.1 The athlete shall serve five balls from the right side of the table and five balls from the	CHANGED: 5.4.5 Serve 5.4.5.1 The athlete shall serve five balls each as the directions below:



left side of the table. A ball that lands in the correct service box will count as one point.	5.4.5.1.1from right court to right court
	5.4.5.1.2 from right court to left court
	5.4.5.1.3 from left court to left court
	5.4.5.1.4 from left court to right court
	5.4.5.2 A ball that lands in the correct court, counts as two points
	5.4.5.3 A ball that lands in other court, counts as one point