

A photograph of two young tennis players on a blue court. The player on the left is wearing a blue cap and a dark blue t-shirt with 'BHCC TENNIS' printed on it. The player on the right is wearing an orange t-shirt and white shorts. They are both holding tennis rackets and shaking hands. The background is a blurred outdoor tennis court.

ATTENTION TENNIS PARENTS

FOLLOW THE PATHWAY TO JUNIOR TENNIS SUCCESS

Are you the parent of a junior tennis player? Are you confused on how to guide your young player as they begin their tennis journey? We have some answers for you.

The USTA PNW Junior Competition Committee has created a helpful Player Pathway for all parents of junior tennis players. This Pathway is a tremendous resource for parents, players, and providers, designed to support the growth and development of all levels of juniors in the Pacific Northwest.

The Player Pathway chart which can be viewed **[HERE](#)** shows two pathways for junior players that serve as a guide along their progression in the sport. While everyone's tennis journey will be unique, the Player Pathway helps by providing a clear view for players to follow. It also points you towards the people who can help answer your questions along the way.

For questions about the Player Pathway or help with navigating the world of junior tennis, please contact AnnElise Anderson, the USTA PNW's Manager of Providers and Player Services. You can reach AnnElise at anderson@pnw.usta.com

Tennis is truly a sport of a lifetime. Thank you for introducing tennis to the next generation of tennis players! ■