

CHAMPIONSHIPS RECAP

Doubles teams from around the PNW showed up in force at the recently held 2023 NTRP Doubles National Championships. With three events taking place across the country during the weekend of April 14-16, the Pacific Northwest section put the rest of the country on notice with some amazing doubles results.

For the **Adult 18 & Over** Doubles Championship, held in San Diego, California, here are the results:

Jack Wang & Akash Prasad - 5.0 men's finalist Angela Boice & Maya Kocian - 3.0 women's finalist

Carly Vendegna & Colleen Nolan - 3.5 women's finalist

Nick Moxley & Ryan Paul - 5.0 men's 3rd place

Christina Melander & Audrey Weil - 3.0 women's silver bracket finalist

Rhiannon Brooks & Shannon Robison - 3.0 women's silver bracket quarterfinalist

Kaytlynn Kolb & Nenette Olson - 4.0 women's gold bracket quarterfinalist

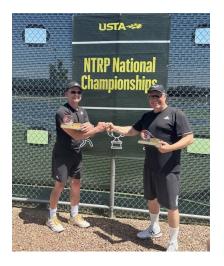
Kenneth Nguyen & Calvey Khim - 3.5 men's silver bracket finalist

Brian Johnson & Aaron Benson - 3.5 men's silver bracket semifinalist

Peter Singson & Kyle McGovern - 3.5 men's bronze bracket winner

Michael Won, the USTA PNW's very own Junior and Adult Competition Coordinator played in the Adult 18 & over tournament at the Barnes Tennis Center in San Diego. Michael reported, "I had a wonderful time, not just playing my own matches, but also watching and cheering for all of the other PWN players. The PNW players were fun to be around and represented our section well on and off the court." He added, "Barnes Tennis Center is a wonderful facility and the staff treated us very well. I hope to be able to make another trip there in the near future!"

The Adult 55 & over National Championship was played In Surprise, Arizona. Once again, the PNW was the section to beat, with outstanding play at all levels. Our very own team of JT Smith and Dean Gaylor walked away with a national title in the 3.5 men's flight. Here are the results from Arizona.



JT Smith & Dean Gaylor - 3.5 men's National Champion Glynn Omoto & Tony Carey - 3.0 men's runner-up Brad Bartol & Michael Bendtsen - 3.5 men's silver bracket winner

Robin Burak & Alana Rhea - 3.0 women's bronze bracket semifinalist

Kim Carey & Lynn Stauver - 3.5 women's silver bracket winner

Kelly Hewitt & Wendy Clarke - 3.5 women's bronze bracket semifinalist

And finally, the Adult 40 & over National Championship took place in Pelham, Alabama. Once again, the PNW brought a national title back home, with the team of Vietlong Le and Justin Low winning it all in the 4.0 men's division.

Here are more results from Alabama:

Vietlong Le & Justin Low - 4.0 men's National Champion **Victor Betancourt & Lohit Verma** - 4.0 men's silver bracket finalist

David White & Joshua Hulburt - 3.5 men's bronze bracket finalist



Congratulations to all Pacific Northwest players who played in this year's National Championships!