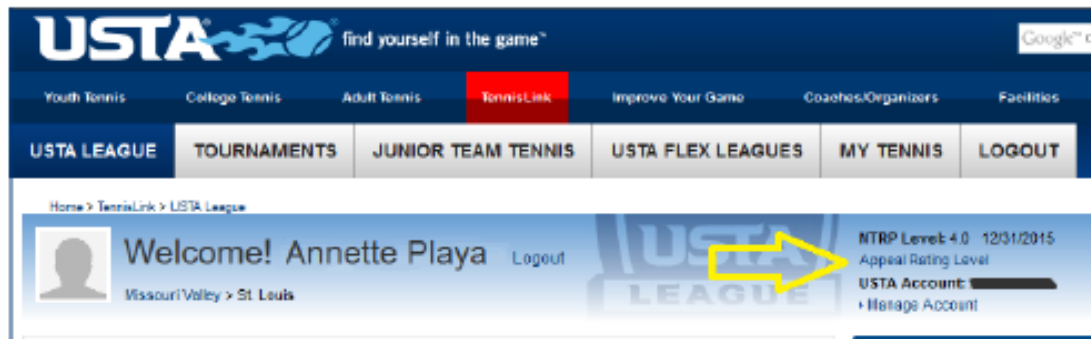


NTRP RATING APPEALS

(as of 12/01/17)

SELF-RATE APPEAL GUIDELINES / STEPS

- An individual must play at their self-rating or higher, or they may appeal their self-rating.
- Only a player logged into their USTA Account may appeal their rating.
- Click on the "Appeal Rating Level" link below the player's NTRP Level to initiate the appeal



The screenshot shows the USTA TennisLink website interface. At the top, the USTA logo is displayed with the tagline "find yourself in the game™" and a Google search bar. Below the logo is a navigation menu with categories: Youth Tennis, College Tennis, Adult Tennis, TennisLink (highlighted in red), Improve Your Game, Coaches/Organizers, and Facilities. A secondary menu includes USTA LEAGUE, TOURNAMENTS, JUNIOR TEAM TENNIS, USTA FLEX LEAGUES, MY TENNIS, and LOGOUT. The main content area shows a breadcrumb trail: Home > TennisLink > USTA League. Below this, a user profile is visible for "Annette Playa" with a "Logout" link. The profile information includes "Missouri Valley > St. Louis" and "NTRP Level: 4.0 12/31/2015". A yellow arrow points to the "Appeal Rating Level" link next to the NTRP level. Other links include "USTA Account" and "Manage Account".

- If you wish to appeal your self-rating UP choose your desired rating and submit; your appeal up will be automatically granted.
- However, once you select UP and click SUBMIT at the bottom of the appeal page your request is final. You cannot go back.
- If you wish to appeal your self-rating DOWN please choose your desired rating and click SUBMIT at the bottom of the page.
- Please be advised that DOWN appeals will be directed to the section in which you are registered as a USTA member. If you moved or are playing in a different section please make sure your address information is up to date by logging in and updating your membership record. You will be required to fill out a background history form. Click "submit" and the form will be directed to your USTA membership section.
- Your section's NTRP Self-Rate Appeal Committee will review your information and you will be notified by the section if they Grant or Deny your appeal.