

TENNIS TEAM

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TENNIS PROGRAMME DELIVERY

The Wentworth tennis programme is structured to provide tennis playing opportunities for all ages and abilities (beginners through to team playing members). The focus is to ensure a balanced programme that provides coaching tuition (group and individuals), social mix-ins, competitive tennis (team and friendly team) and member play opportunities.

TENNIS SESSIONS

Members can book courts for social use up to two weeks in advance at Reception (two hours at any one time). Call 01344 846366.

Members must play on booked courts. Failure to use the court within fifteen minutes of the booking time may result in loss of the booking and a re-let to another member. To book an unused court please see Reception.

A block of coaching sessions (more than two weeks) can be arranged through the Tennis department. Call 01344 846339.

Nine floodlit courts are available to book until 21.00 daily. Before commencing play, a member of the Tennis Team or the Duty Manager will ensure the lights are on.

RACQUET SERVICES

A wide selection of Wilson & Head racquets are available to demo & purchase at the T&H shop. Loan racquets can also be hired at Reception for a £10 charge.

Racquet restring service and regripping available at Reception or directly with Michael Cooper on 07910 891784.

Tennis balls are available for purchase at Reception & the T&H shop.

SOCIAL SESSIONS

Social sessions for various standards of play are available providing the opportunity to mix with other members for social play. A rotation system is used to organise play. Check weekly programme overleaf.

You are required to have an assessment with one of the Tennis Professionals before attending a social session.

CLUB TENNIS RATINGS

Wentworth Tennis & Health Club follow a simple ratings system which incorporates the snooker ball colours: Black (highest grade) / pink / blue / brown / green / yellow (lowest grade).

It is essential for a member to be graded in order to take part in the Club's programme of tennis activities.

JUNIOR TENNIS

Wentworth Junior Tennis Programme caters for all ages 3+ years. The programme is divided into three categories. Pre-school 3-4 years, Mini Tennis 4-9 years and Junior 10+ years. In both Mini and Junior categories children are assigned to groups within these sections according to age, ability and social skills. For detailed class information please contact the Tennis department on 01344 846339.

JUNIOR SOCIAL PLAY

For Juniors who are able to score and are of a full court playing standard. Approximately 10 years old.

TOURNAMENTS

The Club organises a variety of tournaments, clinics, courses, competitions and championships throughout the year. For full details check the noticeboard. Wentworth Club also enters a number of teams in local leagues for the competitive player.

TEAM TENNIS

Player selection is by invitation to team practice by the Tennis Professional/Team Captain. Following the Captains' team selection meeting prior to the commencement of each season, details of all team players are posted on the Tennis noticeboard.

INTERNAL LEAGUES

The department has numerous box leagues which cater for all standards. Members can join at any stage by noting their interest on the Tennis noticeboard. Current ladder leagues include Men's Singles, Ladies' Doubles, Mixed Doubles and Junior Singles.

COACHING

Coaching for groups and individuals is available for all ages and abilities.

PRIVATE COACHING

PER PERSON	30 MIN	BLOCK OF 10 X 30 MIN	60 MIN	BLOCK OF 10 X 60
MIN				
1 person	£25	£225	£44	£410
2 people	£16	£150	£25	£225
3 people	£15	£140	£17	£160
4 people	£14	£130	£15	£140

PROGRAMMED GROUP COACHING

PER PERSON	£11 per hour
	£8 per 30 mins

CANCELLATION AND NO-SHOWS

No-shows and cancellations (less than 24 hours) will incur the full fee. Please ensure cancellations are made through Reception. Call 01344 846366.

ETIQUETTE

All players to ensure they do not cross members' courts whilst play is in progress, use court gate exits where possible.

All players to ensure noise levels on court are kept to an appropriate level.

All players to note that mobile phones are not permitted on the court/courtside.

Clay courts must be swept by members after their sessions.



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January - April

JAN - APR	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
MORNING				ladies 2nd & 3rd team drills ■ 09.00 - 10.00 Michael			
			group coaching * 10.00 - 12.00 James £22 Rating: brown	group coaching * 10.00 - 11.00 Michael £11 Rating: green, brown		men's drills ■ 10.00 - 11.00 Michael Rating: blue, pink, black	
		basic doubles ■ 10.00 - 11.00 Alex Rating: green, brown					adult drills ■ 11.00 - 12.00 Simon Rating: basic playing standard required
		social play ■ unsupervised 11.00 - 12.00 Rating: green, brown	improvers coaching* 11.00 - 12.00 Stuart £11 Rating: green		ladies 1st team drills ■ 11.00 - 12.00 Michael £11 Rating: green		mixed team drills ■ invitation only 11.00 - 12.00 Peter
AFTERNOON					improvers coaching* 13.30 - 14.30 Stuart £11 Rating: green	mini madness ■ 14.00 - 15.00 Stuart 6 - 9 years	
						social play ■ 14.00 - 15.00 Simon Rating: green and above	
						social play ■ unsupervised 15.00 - 16.00 Rating: green and above	
EVENING	theme of the week drills ■ 18.30 - 19.30 Sean Rating: brown and above	social play ■ 18.00 - 19.00 Sean Rating: pink, black	social play ■ 18.00 - 19.00 James Rating: brown, blue		junior social play ■ 18.00 - 19.00 Stuart 9 - 12 years		
		social play ■ unsupervised 19.00 - 20.00 Rating: pink, black	social play ■ unsupervised 19.00 - 20.00 Rating: brown, blue	men's team drills ■ 19.00 - 20.00 Michael Rating: team players only			
			teenage tennis ■ 19.00 - 20.00 James Rating: competent playing standard required				

TENNIS DRESS CODE

- Predominantly white tennis shirts/tops (collars for men and boys from the age of 13 years).
- Predominantly white socks.
- Tennis specific shoes, with non-marking soles must be worn.
- Coloured tracksuits may be worn.
- Coloured skirts/shorts may be worn.
- Please note that any member failing to adhere to the dress code will be asked to leave the court immediately.
- Tennis Professionals are not permitted to teach any member or guest who is incorrectly dressed.

■ Free of charge session (booking required with exception of socials and team drills).

* Payable direct to the Tennis Professional and bookable at Reception.

Please refer to the Café noticeboard for the latest clinics and mini courses.

GROUP COACHING AND PRIVATE LESSONS

- Book at Reception up to two weeks in advance.
- Pay on the day.

BRITISH TENNIS MEMBERSHIP

All tennis playing members at the Club are encouraged to join 'British Tennis'. Currently membership is free to all tennis players who are members of affiliated clubs as per Wentworth. The membership gives individuals access to the latest national tennis news, entry into the Club's ballot for Wimbledon tickets, ratings for all Juniors (and Adults if they wish) and more.

To join simply register online at www.lta.org.uk

6 X TOP TIPS FOR GREAT TENNIS AT WENTWORTH

Don't forget

- To wear the right kit to fit with the dress code and tennis shoes for your own safety.
- Book your court at Reception up to two weeks in advance.
- Check-in on the day to claim/secure your court booking.
- Booking a lesson with a Tennis Professional can help you develop your game to the next level.
- Turn your mobile phone off.
- Respect play on nearby courts, smile and have fun.

Alex's Allsorts - please refer to the Café noticeboard for days and times

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