



SCTTA Tennis Club **Guidelines for Transitional Operation**

Revision Date: May 1, 2020

The CA Board has approved the following modifications and guidelines for a transitional period which will remain in effect until further notice.

General Guidelines

- All players must agree to NOT play if they have any symptoms or exposure risks as listed by the CDC Guidelines.
- All players must agree to practice social distancing at all times by standing at least 6 feet apart.
- All players must agree to NOT congregate around the courts or at the tennis gazebo at any time.
- Players that do not adhere to these guidelines and modifications may lose their court privileges for the remainder of the transitional period. The Tennis Board will be monitoring activities.

Suspended Activities

- Ball Draw Lottery for Court Reservations
- Posting Court Sheets at the Information Center Bulletin Board
- Club League Play
- Open Tennis
- Ball Machine Usage
- Pre-Scheduled Courts

Format Modifications

- All players may show up no more than 10 minutes before their scheduled play time.
- Players will go directly to and remain on their designated court during play.
- Do not use clipboards or pencils on the court.
- No more than four players on the court.
- Play with a new, unopened can of balls.
- No physical contact on the court. Maintain social distancing at all times: at least 6 ft. apart.
- Use your racquet/foot to pick up balls and hit them to your partner/opponent. Avoid using your hands to pick up balls.
- If a ball from another court comes to you, send it back with a kick or with your racquet.
- No spectators allowed.
- Wash hands or use hand sanitizer before and after the match.
- All players will leave the tennis facility within 10 minutes of play completion.
- Wipe down the gate latch with hand sanitizer when you exit the court.
- Discard tennis balls - do not reuse them.

Reservations Modifications

- Courts may be reserved for 1.5 hours instead of 2 hours.
- Thirty minutes transition time between reservations. This will allow sufficient time for players to exit and the next players to enter and start on time.
- For the peak court start times, a reservation is required.
- Peak court start times are each day at 8:00 am, 10:00 am and 12:00 noon.
- For non-peak start times later than noon, court reservations are optional.
- For evening play, be advised that courts 9-12 do not have lights.

How to Make a Court Reservation

- Reservations for peak court start times can be made two days in advance.
- **Reservations will be accepted VIA EMAIL** on a first come, first serve basis between 8 am and 4 pm daily. Emails sent earlier than 8 am will be rejected.
- Send your email request to Kim Harris kim@harrisreal.com
- Include your name and phone number, along with the date and time you are requesting.
- One person will be allowed to request one court – no multiple courts.
- If there are more requests than courts available, you will be assigned/offered an alternate day and/or time.

How to View a Court Reservation

- Court reservations received and accepted before 4 pm will be posted on the Tennis Club Website by 5 PM daily. Go to suncitytennis.net and click on See Schedule.

Please contact Kim Harris at 512-963-2280 if you have any questions.