

NRTC Rules and Regulations

All members, guests and coaches shall comply with these rules and regulations. Non-compliance shall be subject to disciplinary action as outlined in the NRTC By-Laws.

General

Smoking and vaping are prohibited on the property including within 20 metres of the property line.

Alcohol may not be consumed on Town property.

No pickleball, pets, bikes, skateboards or other activities not related to tennis are allowed on the courts.

Members must use environmentally responsible products (e.g., re-usable water bottles).

Courtesy and adherence to tennis etiquette is expected at all times. Profanity and abusive language are not permitted.

Dress Code

Proper, non-marking tennis shoes are required for anyone who is on the courts.

Proper tennis attire, including tennis shirts, must be worn at all times.

Court Usage

Scheduled club activities take priority over individual play.

The general principle is to allow members court time of one hour for singles and two hours for doubles. If a court is available at the end of the time, then the occupants may continue to play.

Turnover is on the hour, however, players may use an empty court up to 15 minutes before the hour and then continue to play to the next turnover. After that, whoever is waiting is entitled to use the court.

Players may book a court on the online booking system at nrtc.skedda.com. A booking may be made no sooner than 7 days in advance. Singles may book for one hour and doubles for two hours. A player may have only 2 active bookings at one time regardless of which member of the group makes the reservation.

Reservations are forfeit if the group has not taken the court within 10 minutes after the start time. Bookings may be viewed at nrtc.skedda.com.

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Tennis Pros

Only TPA certified pros registered with NRTC may coach or provide lessons during Club hours. To register, Pros must provide proof of insurance and vulnerable sector check to NRTC. NRTC will post contact information for registered Pros at nrtclub.ca. The member must make the court booking for their lesson.

On Court Behaviour

All players shall conduct themselves in a disciplined manner, demonstrating courtesy and good sportsmanship at all times.

Players should always show consideration for other players on the court and should not disturb their play by moving, talking or making unnecessary noise. All cell phones, pagers and beepers should be silenced.

Do not walk behind courts while play is in progress.

Wait for play to stop before returning balls to a neighbouring court or asking players to return your ball.

If using more than a can of balls (e.g., in a hopper or ball machine), be sure to direct balls to a safe corner so as not to interfere with others on the courts.

Members must ensure that the court is left tidy. Garbage and recyclables must be disposed of in the appropriate municipal bin. All personal belongings must be removed from the court after play has ended.

Ball Machines

Ball machines (battery-powered only) are permitted up to 9am and after 5pm with up to four players. Ball machines are not permitted for commercial usage such as giving a lesson. If booking a court, please list the players and "ball machine" in Booking Title. Note: Ball machines may be used during public hours subject to Town restrictions.

Guests

Individual guest visits are limited to three per season.

Members are responsible for their guests (see Release and Waiver of Liability signed as part of the membership application).