

## **Broadmoor Tennis Club: Rules and Regulations**

Tennis Etiquette, Good Sportsmanship and Fair Play- must be maintained by all members and guests. Abusive language or actions on or off the court directed to other members/staff or property of the Broadmoor Tennis will not be tolerated

**Dress Code:** Proper Tennis attire (recognized sports clothing suitable for tennis) in good repair is mandatory and must be worn by ALL players at all times while on the courts.

**Shoes:** **ONLY** non-marking tennis shoes allowed

### **Court Bookings for Members:**

1. Members can book courts via the Court Bookings book in the Clubhouse, on a first-come-first-serve basis. Adult, Student & Junior memberships are allowed 3 bookings per 7days. Family memberships are allowed 6 bookings per 7 days. Bookings can be made 7 days in advance (i.e. Tuesday to Tuesday). Juniors may not book courts during prime time hours (6-10pm weekdays or before 12 noon on Saturdays).
2. **All** Bookings can only be made in person in the Court Bookings Book. Additional reservations are not valid.
3. Members can book courts for up to 60 minutes at a time, at any time when the courts are not reserved for Group lessons, club nights, interclub, club sessions or tournaments. All these special sessions will be blocked out in the court bookings book more than 7 days in advance.
4. Matches, tournaments and special events will be marked in the bookings folder as far in advance as possible.
5. If a member has booked a court but has not turned up to play within 10 minutes after the court booking time started, then the court becomes free and other members can book and play on the court.
6. To ensure members have the maximum opportunity to use the courts, members are asked to try to cancel their entry in the Court Bookings Book if they know they cannot play, and asked not to book courts unless they are fully intending to play.
7. If nobody has booked the court and you turn up to play, you are advised to write your name in the bookings Book: otherwise the court will remain free to be booked by any other member who arrives and writes their name in the bookings book for the next free slot.

### **Court Etiquette:**

1. Members are asked to vacate the court promptly if other members have booked and arrive to play (to safeguard a court members should write their name in the bookings book on arrival for play, if the court has not already been pre-booked)
2. Members are asked to avoid disturbing players on court during play e.g. by walking across the back of their court or conducting noisy conversations on court or nearby.
3. Should a ball roll from adjacent court enter your court, wait for a break in play before returning, or gently roll it back to the back of the adjacent court.
4. Experienced adults and older juniors – if there are younger or less experienced players waiting for a game please try to offer them a chance to have a hit against you.

### **Guests**

Each member is allowed to bring a guest. The member has to register the guest's name with the Club Attendant/booking book. A member can invite a guest up to 3 times during the season.

Out of town guest fee - \$10 per week

Members are responsible for opening and locking the courts and for the behavior of their guests.

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR CO-OPERATION.....**