

Tennis Protocols

TIER I

Singles play or drilling only (two players per court) with just one ball per person.

- ◆ Players agree to NOT enter the courts if they have any symptoms or exposure risks as listed by the CDC guidelines.
- ◆ Signage shall be installed with social distancing requirements.
- ◆ Volunteer Court Ambassadors will assist city staff in monitoring courts periodically throughout the day to ensure guidelines are being followed.
- ◆ Players are encouraged to bring/use hand sanitizer.
- ◆ Players will label a personal ball that ONLY they will touch during play.
- ◆ Only players participating on the courts will be allowed within the fenced area.
- ◆ All must maintain proper social distance (6 ft. apart) whether engaged, waiting, or observing play in and around the court areas.
- ◆ Players are encouraged to place their personal items (backpack, water bottles, etc.) at a safe distance (6 ft.) from other players' items to avoid any surface contact.
- ◆ Errant balls will be returned to the owner of the ball via foot or racquet push of the ball.
- ◆ When not playing, wearing of face masks is encouraged for inward and outward protection of all players, especially when waiting to rotate on to the courts.
- ◆ Switch sides of court at end of game only.
- ◆ No handshakes, racquet bumps or physical contact between players.
- ◆ Failure to follow guidelines will result in loss of privileges.

TIER II-Effective June 4

Adds Doubles play. This should only take place after players have adhered to the guidelines of Tier I and in accordance with local and state mandates.

- ◆ Each foursome of players would be restricted to a single time block of play per day, in order to allow court time for other foursomes.
- ◆ Social distancing requirements listed for Tier I apply for Tier II.

TIER III

Same as play prescribed in Tier II. Social distancing requirements listed in Tier I still apply.

TIER IV

Tier IV would be the resumption of normal court procedures (pre COVID-19).