

M | VARSITY TENNIS CENTER

Varsity Tennis Center Policies

- Members must wear a face covering to enter the facility check in area, as well as anytime they are not actively playing tennis on a court.
- Members will enter the check in area via the main lobby only.
- The Front Lobby is a one way corridor. The exit doors are the east doors, not the same doors as you enter.
- All payments can be made via an online system – pay before they come or after, limiting the transactions at the front desk and face time of guests to staff.
- If a restroom is needed patrons will use the downstairs Locker Rooms.
 - Restrictions on number of patrons within a locker room is posted upon entry.
- Towel service, Locker Service, and Cayman stringing service is currently unavailable at the VTC.
- [ResponsiBLUE](#) is required to be completed and the Green Check must be shown to the Front Desk Personnel.
- The second floor of the Varsity Tennis Center is closed to the general public.

Member Code of Conduct/Expectations

- Everyone is highly encouraged to follow CDC guidelines outside of the facility to mitigate risk of transmission
- If you feel sick, stay home!
- No persons on the premises should have any of the following symptoms:
 - Fever (100.4F or higher), or feeling feverish
 - Chills
 - New cough
 - Shortness of breath
 - New sore throat
 - New muscle aches
 - New headache
 - New loss of smell or taste

Come prepared to play

Patrons are encouraged to bring water, be dressed ready to play. Complete your [ResponsiBLUE](#) screening before entering the facility to save check in time.

- Maintain social distancing of at least 6 feet at all times.
- Benches have been removed from the courts.
- Water fountains are not available but a bottle filler is available.
- No congregating or loitering before or after court time.
- All persons must immediately report potential known contact with the virus to a member of staff.
- Limit touching anything but your own belongings.
- Adhere to posted facility signage.
- Players should not enter the facility more than 10 minutes prior to their court time.
- Patrons are encouraged to add credit cards to their account to limit touch points at the front desk.

Specific Guidelines for Tennis Play

PREPARING TO PLAY

- Wash your hands with disinfectant soap and water (for 20 seconds or longer) or use a hand sanitizer if soap and water are not readily available, before going to the court.
- Clean and wipe down your equipment, including racquets and water bottles. Do not share racquets or any other equipment such as wristbands, grips, hats, and towels.
- Bring a full water bottle to avoid touching a tap or water fountain handle.
- Use new balls and a new grip, if possible.
- If you need to sneeze or cough, do so into a tissue or upper sleeve.
- Arrive as close as possible to when you need to be there.

WHEN PLAYING

- Try to stay at least six feet apart from other players. Do not make physical contact with them (such as shaking hands or a high five).
- You should consider not playing doubles, which could lead to incidental contact and unwanted proximity. If you do play doubles, avoid all incidental contact, NO Bryan Brothers Chest Bumps and NO whispering to each other from a close distance to strategize.
- Avoid touching your face after handling a ball, racquet, or other equipment. Wash your hands promptly if you have touched your eyes, nose, or mouth.
- Use your racquet/foot to pick up balls and hit them to your opponent. Avoid using your hands to pick up the balls.
- Stay on your side of court. Avoid changing ends of the court.
- Remain apart from other players when taking a break. If a ball from another court comes to you, send it back with a kick or with your racquet.

AFTER PLAYING

- Leave the court as soon as reasonably possible.
- Wash your hands thoroughly or use a hand sanitizer after coming off the court.
- Do not use the locker room or changing area. Shower at home.