



## **Moore Park Tennis Club Rules / Information for the 2020 season**

**Due to the effects & threat of COVID-19 the club will be operating differently from previous years for the safety of the staff, members and community at large. We thank everyone for their cooperation and understanding.**

### **City Permit Condition and Guidelines for play during the Covid-19 pandemic**

Please familiarize yourself with club permit conditions and City guidelines - posted at [www.mooretennis.com](http://www.mooretennis.com) - so that you will be ready to sign a club waiver and, once your booking account can be activated, will be ready to play.

Conditions of the Permit issued by the City of Toronto to the Club concerning COVID-19 precautions

Conditions issued by the Club (following City guidelines) concerning COVID-19 precautions

Please sign into your account at [www.mooretennis.com](http://www.mooretennis.com) to complete the waiver.

### **Basic rules:**



- **Stay home if you feel unwell**, or have been in close contact with people exhibiting [Covid symptoms](#), or have returned from travel outside Canada, in the last 14 days.
- Even if you feel well, **stay 2 metres/ 6 feet away from other people**.
- Book your court in advance and don't linger at the club.
- Follow [public health guidelines](#) and signs posted at the club.
- **Follow the instructions of club staff** and take care to keep 2 metres away from staff at all times.

### **Additional Rules and Information for the 2020 tennis season:**

#### *Club hours for the 2020 season (staffed)*

The club will be staffing the following hours this year, but not supplying balls.

**Monday-Friday - 8:00am – 10:00pm**

**Saturday & Sunday - 8:00am – 6:00pm**



Unstaffed hours will be considered public hours this year.

### *Clubhouse Operation – Staff only*

The clubhouse is restricted to staff and scheduled volunteers only.  
(Until further notice, there is no club washroom available.)

### *Court Operation (opening phase)*

We are starting the season with only courts 1, 3 and 5 in operation. Court times are staggered, as your bookings will show, to help people stay apart.

Spots will be marked on the fence outside each of the three gates to show where you can wait for your court.

Until further notice, under directions from public health, only singles play is allowed.

Bring your own balls, and handle only your own tennis balls.

### *Booking a court*

Members must electronically sign and submit a waiver before they can use the booking system this year. This applies to both the person



booking and the person booked. Sign in to your account at [www.mooretennis.com](http://www.mooretennis.com) to sign the waiver.

To play during staffed hours, member must book a court in advance through [Gametime](#).

- Bookings are particularly important this year in case someone gets sick and public health needs to find people to keep them safe.
- There are no walk-ons this year, that is, you may not just show up and play. You must book ahead.

There are no guests allowed in 2020.

Players on the court must be those players who booked the court. **If a member plays as a substitute, the booking must be amended** to reflect the change. This is for your safety: the Club is required to be able to identify each player and their time of play if asked by the City of Toronto or the Board of Health.

### *Entrance Restrictions*

Anyone exhibiting symptoms of **COVID-19** will be asked to leave by the Court Monitor. Anyone who has had close contact with someone sick with Covid symptoms, or been travelling outside the country in the last 14 days, should not come to play.



Members who have not booked a court in advance will be asked to leave the club, book, and return once they are booked.

The clubhouse is closed to members until further notice. Only required staff and scheduled volunteers are allowed in the clubhouse.

Spectators are not permitted at the club. If you are not playing, please go home.

### *Getting on and off the court*

When you are waiting to go on court, please arrive no more than 5 minutes before your scheduled time.

Players who are on court will be told that their time is up by the monitor. On-court players will exit first following the exit arrows. Players waiting to get on court will wait at designated waiting spots at a 2 metre distance from each other.

At no point, should players be entering and exiting the court at the same time, or be within 2 metres of each other, or anyone else.

### *Penalties*

Members who do not follow the new playing rules, including the City guidelines, or who abuse the booking system in any way, will have their booking privileges suspended.



First infraction: warning.

Second infraction: 1 week suspension of booking/ playing privileges.

Third infraction: Suspension for the remainder of the season.

**Welcome back, play safe,**

Your Moore Park Tennis Club Board of Directors

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