

Ojibway Club Tennis 2020 Covid-19 Protocols

The following rules/protocols, in addition to the Ojibway Club's Rules and Club By-Laws, will be strictly enforced. Members who do not follow outlined rules/protocols will not be permitted access to the tennis courts and/or will be asked to leave the Club property immediately. Member and employee safety is paramount; your cooperation is appreciated.

Do not play if you:

- Exhibit any coronavirus symptoms, such as a fever, cough, difficulty breathing, or other symptoms identified by health experts.
- Have travelled outside of the country, or been in contact with someone with COVID-19, in the last 14 days.
- Are considered vulnerable or at risk (elderly individuals, immunosuppressed persons, individuals suffering from serious health problems, notably high blood pressure, pulmonary disease, diabetes, obesity and asthma).

Waiver:

- Members are required to sign the Member Waiver and Declaration Form prior to accessing the tennis courts. Access to online court booking will not be provided until the waiver is signed. *(Recommend strongly that a waiver is included for tennis. Follows all other tennis club protocol. Waiver can be completed online.)*

Court Booking:

- Advanced bookings are mandatory.
- Courts can be booked through <https://oc.gametime.net> or 705-366-5085); no walk-on play.
- Singles and doubles are permitted.
- ALL players must be entered into GameTime upon booking; **Players who do not appear on GameTime will not be permitted access to the courts.**

Accessing the Courts:

- Arrive a maximum of 5 minutes prior to your booking.
- Maintain a distance of 2m from other waiting players prior to entering your court.
- Each court must be accessed through the entry door assigned to each court, and exited through the designated exit door. Follow entry and exit signage on site.
- Hand sanitizer is provided and must be used before and after entering the courts.
- Players may not enter the tennis hut, which can only be accessed by Ojibway tennis professionals.
- Members are required to leave the tennis area immediately after finishing play; no socializing or gathering before, during or after games.

Member/Guest Policy

- Guests or spectators are not permitted, including children of players.

On-court Management

- Physical distancing of 2 metres or more is required at all times between players and tennis professionals.
- Each player must use their own clearly marked tennis balls and not pick up tennis balls that are not theirs.
- Balls that roll onto your court can be returned by kicking the balls or batting them back with your racquet.
- Please see the [Tennis Canada and Ontario Tennis Recommendations for safe play.](#)

Tennis facility/services

- The water fountain is not in service; members are required to bring an adequate supply of water in personal water bottles.

Washrooms

- For your convenience, our tennis washrooms will be open.

- Housekeeping staff will be cleaning and sanitizing these routinely throughout the day.
- Hand sanitizer wipes are provided on the counter to personally wipe all touch points like door knobs, taps and handles.
- Please dispose of the cloths in the garbage container provided.

Equipment:

- Tennis balls are available for purchase from the tennis professionals.
- Tennis racquet stringing is available from the head professional.
- Each player must have their own racquet; demo racquets are NOT available for borrowing.

Lessons:

- Private and semi-private lessons can be booked directly through Steve Maher, Head Tennis Professional at *TBD*

Clinics:

- Clinics will be available for four players per clinic. Physical distancing requirements will be part of all clinic drills.

Round Robin & Events:

- No round robin, tournaments, events or group bookings of more than 10 tennis members.

Cancellation Policy:

- Cancellation policy is in effect: four hours notice is required; \$20 charge for late cancellations or no-shows. All Members on the booking will be charged.

Changes to Tennis Protocols:

- The Ojibway Club reserves the right to change the tennis protocols as changes to provincial guidelines for Covid-19 safety dictate.