

Firstly I hope everyone who has played so far this season has had some good games! We are hoping to start a singles ladder in the next week or so, one for adults and one for juniors, more information on this will follow next week.

Thank you to the vast majority of you who are following the guidelines in place. It really is important that we continue to do this. I've put the guidelines as the bottom of this email if anyone needs a revisit them.

Just a quick reminder about courts 1-3 being out of use tomorrow until 5pm and all day on Wednesday. The reason they can't be played on Wednesday afternoon is that the last thing is a weed kill spray so it has to have time to settle.

Any questions at any point please get in touch.

Best wishes

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RLTC CLUB RULES AS OF 13/5/20

Whilst the rules of the lockdown have been relaxed the danger from the COVID-19 virus is still high. So there are certain rules you must follow in order to play tennis safely.

- 1) In order to play at the club you must be a member. You can only book a court once you have paid your membership. <https://www.roundhaytennis.org.uk/membership>
- 2) In order to play you MUST use the court booker. This is to help with social distancing but also contact tracing should it be required. Each member can book courts 3 times a week. The maximum time you can book a court for is two hours. <https://www.roundhaytennis.org.uk/court-booking>
- 3) You can play singles with someone not from your household, but if you play doubles then all 4 people on court must be members of the club from one household.
- 4) You must clean your hands before and after playing. You should bring your own hand sanitiser with you. There will be a facility to sanitise the gates and locks after you have been through them.
- 5) You should not touch any benches, nets, net winders and essentially try avoid touching any court furniture.
- 6) You must bring your own balls to play with and they should be marked up with a symbol that you recognise such as your initials. You should not be picking up any ball that does not have your initials on it. If you are playing as a household you can share balls but if you are playing singles with someone from another household both players must have their own marked balls.
- 7) Please leave your court 5 minutes before the end of your allocated time in order to help with social distancing.

- 8) To access the bottom courts you will have to go round the back of the club house to the gate at the far side, the corridor in front of the clubhouse is not to be used until further notice.
- 9) Due to the clubhouse being shut you should bring any water/first aid equipment with you.
- 10) Social Distancing must be followed at all times.
- 11) It is recommended when playing singles not to change ends or to swap at opposite sides.
- 12) Spectators are not allowed.
- 13) If you are showing any symptoms of illness please do not attend the club.

The full guidelines for tennis players can be found here

<https://www.lta.org.uk/globalassets/news/2020/lta-guidance-for-tennis-players---covid-19.pdf>