



## ***FPTC Member Guidelines***

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The following guidelines are for the benefit of all our members. They will make operation of the tennis centre more manageable for the committee and coaching staff. In specific circumstances involving, for example, health & safety issues, maintenance, capital works etc, these guidelines may be temporarily amended.

We are a Community Tennis Club and we exist to provide a social environment for playing tennis against members with varying standards of ability. We endeavour to respect the differing abilities of members. All members of FPTC are bound by the Code of Conduct for Forestville Park Tennis Club as a condition of membership.

The courts are available to club members for social play and competition for 60 court hours per week.

**Social Play:** Courts are available for all club members on Saturday afternoons 1 to 6pm, Tuesday afternoons 1 to 4:30pm and Friday evenings from 7:30 to 9:30pm to enjoy organised social play.

**Competition:** The club makes courts available for club members who wish to participate in competitions run by Tennis Northern Beaches and Northern Suburbs Tennis Association on Monday Night (women or mixed), Wednesday Night (men) and Saturday Afternoon (mixed).

**Court use:** Club members who are regularly involved with club activities have access to free court usage outside club allocated times, subject to availability. You must check availability with the management team on site at the time before using a court. The coaching team will require confirmation that you are a member (visible shoe tag is the easiest) as free court usage is available to members only.

Members having free use of the courts outside club allocated times must register in the sign-on book within the clubhouse.

For evening play there is a fee of \$10 per hour to cover the cost of lighting. The coaching team will determine the time at which the lights are required to come on. This is a safety issue.

It's not possible to book in advance for free court usage so, if you wish to ensure a court is available at a specific time, you will need to book and pay through the booking system on the Forestville Tennis Centre web page. Club members are eligible for a 25% discount on bookings using a club member discount code, to be applied at the time of making the booking.

**Visitor:** Club members can bring a visitor along to play in club allocated times by paying a visitor fee of \$10 for each guest.

**Club Amenities:** Club members are permitted free use of the club amenities & BBQ. Please clean after use.

**Inter Club Challenges:** We occasionally play home & away challenge matches against other local tennis clubs on an invitational basis. A team is selected from interested club members to play these games.

**Website:** The club website can be accessed from the Forestville Tennis Centre website under Club Membership. Information concerning past & upcoming events can be found here. The Club Code of Conduct & Constitution are also available through this website.

If you have any need to contact the committee, you can do so by email.

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Thank you for joining FPTC. Enjoy your tennis!

***Forestville Park Tennis Club Committee***