

Minnetonka Tennis Club

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Junior Tennis Program 2017-2018

SESSION REGISTRATION INFORMATION

Sessions 1-5	Member Registration	Current Non-Member For those who have been in our program within the past year.	Non-Member New to the Program A personal evaluation will be necessary to be allowed to register for our program.
1 st Session (6 weeks) Sept 11 – Oct 22	Aug 16, 2017 (new forms required for the new season; online registration Sessions 2-5)	Aug 23, 2017 (new forms required for the new season)	Aug 30, 2017 (Evaluations will take place 8/21–9/10 by appointment)
2 nd Session (7 weeks) Oct 23 – Dec 17	Sept 20, 2017	Oct 4, 2017	Oct 11, 2017 No classes 11/20 – 11/26
3 rd Session (5/6 weeks) Jan 3 (Wed) – Feb 11	Nov 15, 2017	Nov 29, 2017	Dec 13, 2017 No classes Super Bowl Weekend Feb 3 & 4
4 th Session (6 weeks) Feb 12 – March 25	Jan 10, 2018	Jan 24, 2018	Jan 31, 2018
5 th Session (6/7 weeks) Apr 8 – May 24	Feb 28, 2018	March 14, 2018	March 21, 2018 No classes May 13 (Mother's Day)

INTRODUTION TO TENNIS (45. 60 & 90 MINUTE CLASSES)

TINY STARS	ADVANCED TINY STARS	BEGINNERS	ADVANCED BEGINNERS	TEEN BEGINNERS
Thurs 4:15-5:00 pm	Thurs 4:15-5:00 pm	Thur 5:00-6:00 pm	Thur 5:00-6:00 pm	Fri 6:00-7:30 pm
Sun 11:15-12:00 pm	Sun 11:15-12:00 pm	Fri 3:30-4:30, 6-7:00	Fri 3:30-4:30, 6-7:00	Sun 11:30-1:00 pm
		Sat 12:00-1:00 pm	Sat 12:00-1:00 pm	
		Sun 12:00-1:00 pm	Sun 12:00-1:00 pm	

DEVELOPMENTAL TENNIS (90 & 120 MINUTE CLASSES)

BEGINNING INTERMEDIATE	INTERMEDIATE	ADVANCED INTERMEDIATE	ADVANCED	INVITATIONAL
Tues 4:00-5:30 pm	Tues 4:00-5:30 pm	Wed 6:00-7:30 pm	Mon 6:00-7:30 pm	Mon 4:00-6:00 pm
Fri 4:30-6:00 pm	Fri 4:30-6:00 pm	Thur 6:00-7:30 pm	Tue 7:00-8:30 pm	Tue 5:30-7:00 pm
Sat 1:00-2:30 pm	Sat 1:00-2:30 pm	Sat 2:30-4:00 pm	Wed 7:30-9:00 pm Thur 7:30-9:00 pm	Wed 4-6:00 pm Sun 5:30-7:00 pm
Sun 1:00-2:30 pm	Sun 1:00-2:30 pm	Sun 2:30-4:00 pm	Sun 4:00-5:30 pm	3uii 3.30-7.00 piii
TOURNAMENT PLAYERS GROUP BOYS VARSITY INVITATIONAL GIRLS ADVANCED/ADV INT.			VANCED/ADV INT.	
Mon, Wed 4:00-6:00 pm		Sat 4:00-6:00 pm (no S5)	Sat 10:00 am-12:00 pm (No S1	
Sun 7:00-9:00 pm (no S5)				

CLASS FEES	45 minute	60 minute	90 minute	120 minute
Member	\$85	\$120	\$180	\$240
Non-Member	\$100	\$145	\$235	\$315

MAKE-UP POLICY FOR 2017-18: Only MTC <u>MEMBERS</u> in the TPG, Invitational, Advanced, Advanced Intermediate and the Boy's and Girl's Varsity groups are eligible to make-up a missed class. To be eligible for a make-up class a minimum <u>24-hour</u> notice also must be given. Due to limited capacity and demand, make-ups will not be granted in the <u>lower</u> 7 levels-<u>NO EXCEPTIONS</u>.

<u>Tiny Stars</u> is an introduction to the sport of tennis for children ages 5-7. Each class is 45 minutes long, and having fun is the primary goal. Players will learn forehand and backhand ground strokes and volleys.

<u>Advanced Tiny Stars</u> is for children ages 5–7 who have previously participated in our Tiny Stars Program. The teaching staff will select players for this level. Each class is 45 minutes long and preparing for the Beginner level is the goal. Players will learn forehand and backhand ground strokes, volleys and rally techniques.

<u>Beginner</u> students will experience a one hour long class for children ages 7–11 who have little or no playing experience. Players will be exposed to all aspects of tennis including ground strokes, volleys, serves, and returns, along with a variety of fun tennis games. Introduction to scoring will be covered during the session.

<u>Advanced Beginner</u> students ages 7–11 with some formal instruction. Players will be exposed to all aspects of tennis including ground strokes, volleys, serves, returns, and match play. Students need to be able to "feed" a ball (bounce hit to another player), get in 7 out of 10 serves, rally from the baseline, and keep score before moving up to the Beginning Intermediate level. Players will need to demonstrate proper technique with emphasis on proper serve grip.

<u>Teen Beginner</u> is similar to the Beginner/Advanced Beginner classes, but is for players age 12 and up with limited tennis playing experience. Players will be exposed to all aspects of tennis including ground strokes, volleys, serves, and returns.

<u>Beginning Intermediate</u> players will experience intermediate techniques at a moderate pace. This class is for those students who have moved up from the Advanced Beginner or Teen Beginner class. Students will focus on learning basic singles and doubles strategies and must know how to properly play and score a game.

<u>Intermediate</u> students are required to hit all of the shots and must have the ability to play full court tennis. Improving stroke mechanics along with learning basic singles and doubles strategies is the main focus of the class. Again, proper technique will need to be exhibited before advancing to the next level.

<u>Advanced Intermediate</u> participants are highly motivated, hard-working players who are on their middle school or junior high teams. Players are working on topspin and slice ground strokes, spin serves, and more advanced strategies. Students <u>must play a minimum of two times per week;</u> exceptions will be made for those participating in another same- season sport, with approval by the Junior Tennis Director.

<u>Advanced</u> players have mastered topspin forehands and backhands, spin serves, and display game strategy when playing each point. Students <u>must play a minimum of two times per week</u>; exceptions made for those participating in another same season sport, with approval by the Junior Tennis Director.

<u>Invitational</u> students are typically on their respective high school varsity or junior varsity teams AND compete in tournaments. Students must demonstrate dedication to developing their games! Players will be able to demonstrate a variety of strategies throughout their matches. Players are **selected by the teaching staff**.

<u>Tournament Players Group</u> Players will be selected by the teaching staff through an application process. Players must play at least <u>2 times per week</u> and are expected to independently register for a <u>tournament **EACH session**</u>. Conditioning and physical training are major components of this class.

Boy's Varsity Invitational This class will be for varsity level boys from the area. Stroke development, strategy, competitive/intense games and match play will be the focus. Players are selected by the teaching staff.

Girl's Advanced/Adv Intermediate Stroke development, strategy, competitive/intense games and match play will be the focus.

Note: Course offerings may change due to enrollment interest and demand. At various times during the year we may make modifications in the schedule to accommodate juniors moving into and out of classes.

Members *pre-registering* for more than one session will be charged **15% per class** at time of registration. Balance of class fees will be billed to your member account on the start date of the class. Fees billed to your account are non-refundable. Cancellation of classes are not allowed within 21 days of the session start date.

<u>IMPORTANT:</u> At times, the level above may be full! In those cases, we may have a "hybrid" class of mixed levels. Although very rare, the teaching staff does reserve the right to move a student <u>down</u> a level if the student's performance is below the expected level of the class.