

# **THE WOODS OF PARKVIEW HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION (WOPHA)**

## **TENNIS RULES**

Effective January 1, 2017

### **USE OF COURTS**

1. The Woods of Parkview tennis courts are for the use of: (i) full members of WOPHA; (ii) annual members; and (iii) their out of neighborhood guests. Residents of Woods of Parkview who are social members of WOPHA or who are not a member of WOPHA may NOT be guests.
2. All full members, annual members and their out of neighborhood guests must sign in upon arrival at the tennis courts.
3. Guests may not enter the tennis courts before their accompanying full or annual member arrives, and the guests must depart when their accompanying full or annual member departs.
4. Court hours: 7:00 A.M. until 11:00 p.m.
5. No food, glass containers, bicycles, strollers, skateboards, skates, chairs or similar items are allowed inside the fence.
6. Proper attire and tennis shoes must be worn. Shirts must be worn and sport bras must be covered up. Basketball and running shoes are not to be worn on the tennis courts.
7. Children seven (7) years and younger will not be permitted to use the courts unless accompanied by an adult.
8. No one, including small children, will be permitted inside the court enclosure unless playing tennis.
9. The last players of the night shall make sure the lights on all the courts are turned off.
10. Vandals will be prosecuted and parents will be held responsible for the actions of their children and/or their guests. Members will be responsible for payment of any damage caused by themselves, their children, and their guests.
11. It is the responsibility of each member to report court rules violations and court abuse. Report the violations to the Tennis Coordinator or any Board Member.

12. Penalties for violations shall range from verbal warnings to suspension of court usage.

## **RESERVATIONS**

1. Reservation playing time is one and one-half hours for singles and/or doubles.
2. Reservations may be made two (2) days (48 hours) prior to play. Violations should be reported to the Tennis Coordinator. Reservations must include first and last name.
3. Reservation playing time is divided into one and one-half hour increments with the first increment starting at 7:00 a.m.
4. Members eight (8) years old and older can reserve the courts at all times.
5. Courts may be closed to regular reserve play during scheduled team lessons, team practice, tennis tournaments and social functions. Schedules will be posted in advance and must be cleared through the Tennis Coordinator.
6. Each member is limited to a maximum of one (1) reserved time period per day and three (3) reserved time periods per week. Team practices, team lessons and ALTA or other League matches or practice matches are not considered to be one of the reserved times.
7. Reservations not kept within ten (10) minutes are forfeited. No one can play past their scheduled time if someone is waiting, except with the consent of the waiting party.
8. Good sportsmanship and common courtesy dictate that reservations be kept. Cancellations should be made as soon as possible.
9. An OPEN COURT exists when no one has reserved the time period or when the persons reserving the time period forfeits the court by not keeping the reservation within ten minutes.
10. If a court is not reserved or is forfeited, any member may sign for that court by signing their name in the appropriate time/day slot and adding the word "OPEN." This does not affect the reserve time limitation for that member. Members may play as many times on an "OPEN" court as desired without affecting their reserve time limitation.
11. Anyone playing on a court who has not signed up a reserved court or an "OPEN" court will be obligated to give up the court.

## **ALTA & OTHER LEAGUE RULES**

1. These rules apply to any ALTA or other League team utilizing the WOPHA courts for practices or matches.
2. If there are more teams than are allowed by the number of WOPHA courts, the teams shall take turns rotating their turn to use the WOPHA courts for matches. Teams which are not allowed to have matches at the WOPHA courts may hold matches at other courts and conduct practices at the WOPHA courts. New teams organized pursuant to these rules start their rotation with matches away from the WOPHA courts if there is not room at the WOPHA courts. It is the responsibility of the team captain to reserve non-WOPHA courts for matches. If there are more tennis teams that want to use the WOPHA courts than the number of available slots at the WOPHA courts and the Lilburn City Park courts, then the use of the WOPHA courts for practice and games will go to the teams with the highest number of WOPHA members actually participating in the team matches.
3. ALTA & Other League team captains must submit complete team rosters with outside member fees to the Tennis Coordinator prior to each season. Rosters must be approved and any fees paid for outside players and annual dues for WOPHA members shall be paid prior to the beginning of practice sessions for the ALTA & Other League season.
4. Each ALTA & Other League team will be permitted one and on-half hours per week (both courts) for practice or lessons, beginning three (3) weeks prior to each season and running through the ALTA or League season. No instructor is required.
5. The tennis team captains shall be responsible for cleaning up courts and spectator areas after each home ALTA & League match. This includes picking up trash, emptying trash cans on the courts, taking trash cans and recycling bins to the curb at the top of the driveway, returning empty trash cans and putting in new trash can liners.
6. The Tennis Coordinator shall establish team practice schedules for the next season prior to the final regular season match of the previous ALTA season. The Tennis Coordinator shall establish team practice schedules as soon as they are requested to do so for teams.
7. A \$35.00 fee/season will be charged to each adult non-member player and a \$25.00 fee will be charged to each junior non-member player and given to the Tennis Coordinator. A player may be on multiple rosters for teams playing during the same ALTA or Other League season for one fee. Team captains are responsible for coordination of the fee payment.

8. Non-members may not reserve tennis courts for use at any time.
9. Residents of Woods of Parkview who are social members of WOPHA or who are not a member of WOPHA may not participate on ALTA or Other League teams as non-members.

**OTHER**

1. These rules may be amended at any time by the Board of Directors of The Woods of Parkview Homeowners Association.