

## SAFE PLAY PROTOCOLS

1. Prior to attending the STC facility or participating in any STC activities or programs you must have reviewed and agreed to the terms of the STC Assumption of Risk and Waiver of Liability agreement.
2. **Activity Signup and Court Reservations**
  - a. Contact tracing is a key factor for the protection of all players and the general public. As a result, members are required to ensure that all players taking part in any activity are listed.
  - b. Any use of STC courts or participation in any activities requires either a court reservation on the STC website, or registration with the activity organizer.
  - c. Members only allowed at this time.
3. **On Court Management**
  - a. Each player must use his/her own tennis balls that are clearly marked as their own when serving. Only where all players on the court live in the same household may one can of balls be used/shared.
  - b. Other players are to pass the balls back to the owner using their racquet or feet.
  - c. Ensure no physical contact between players. Proper social distancing, before, during and after play is mandatory.
  - d. No direct contact (hand shaking, high fives, etc.) is allowed at match end. A thumbs up is adequate to acknowledge the match completion or great shots by partners and opponents.
  - e. Please leave the courts and STC facility immediately after playing.
4. **Singles & Doubles – Recreational Play**
  - a. Doubles play is allowed with adherence to proper social distancing. Players are encouraged to monitor and remind other doubles players of the social distancing (6 ft.) rule to safeguard the interests of everyone.
5. **Seating**
  - a. Club members are encouraged to bring their own portable seating if required. Benches will not be available.

## **7. Personal Sanitation**

- a. Stay at home if you feel at all unwell.
- b. Each player is responsible for bringing their own hand sanitizer and wipes for use during a match and to wipe any surfaces touched including your own equipment.
- c. Each player must carry their own drinking water.

## **8. Lessons**

- a. 8 Players permitted per lesson group
  - i. 4 players per court bubble, court bubbles will not mix
- b. Ball Isolation Policy
  - i. New balls will be provided at the start of a lesson session (4 lessons per session)
  - ii. One basket will be assigned for each lesson group (A, B, C)
  - iii. Each court bubble (of 4 players) will have their own assigned balls that do not mix
  - iv. Every effort will be made to keep ball handling by participants to a reasonable minimum

## **9. Facilities**

- a. If there are players on the court you booked, wait in your car or away from the entrance gate until they leave the premises.
- b. The clubhouses and viewing deck area closed at this time.
- c. Use your disinfectant wipes/hand sanitizer to clean the gate code pad and all door handles. Do not touch fence, net, or other objects and if touched please sanitize.

## **10. Responsible Play**

- a. Members have a responsibility to adhere to all safe play protocols to protect themselves, other members, and the general public. Failure to do so may result in the suspension or cancellation of all membership privileges.