

MARINA HILLS PLANNED COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION

TENNIS RULES - Revised October 2009

Tennis court hours are from 7:00 a.m. - 10:00 p.m.

1. No Marina Hills court may be used unless accompanied by a resident/homeowner. No guests may enter or use a Marina Hills' court unless a resident/homeowner is present. Guests are required to wait outside of the courts until the resident/homeowner arrives. No more than 4 players on any court and a Marina Hills resident/homeowner must be present at all times on the specific court. Proof of residence may be required by the patrol officer on duty or clubhouse manager – please have identification at all times.
2. Court time is limited to 90 minutes, from sign-in time, for singles as well as doubles on all courts if there is a waiting list or if other residents/homeowners are waiting for that specific court even if other courts are available. Residents/homeowners waiting for courts must remain outside the court and in the immediate area in order to retain the position in line for court use.
3. Individual practice or use of a ball machine is only allowed for 30 minutes from sign-in time, if there is a waiting list or if other residents/homeowners are waiting for that specific court even if other courts are available.
4. Residents/homeowners must sign up. Residents/homeowners must also include starting time on the list BEFORE starting to play, otherwise, they may forfeit the use of the court when others come to play.
5. Non-marking soled shoes and proper tennis attire (shirts required) must be worn by all persons using the courts. Shoes which leave a mark on the court surface are not allowed. No bare feet allowed.
6. Age restrictions: Anyone under 18 is not permitted in the tennis court area without the accompaniment of a resident/homeowner adult member, with the following exception; those between the ages of 14 and 17 may do so after being registered with the Marina Hills Recreation Center. Only Marina Hills' residents/homeowners can be registered. No infants allowed on the court.
7. Common courtesy and respect should be shown by all persons using the courts. Strong language, poor behavior, abuse of windscreens, nets, etc. may result in players being requested to leave.
8. Food and drinks are not allowed on the courts. Bottled water is permitted. All trash is to be disposed of properly.
9. Players are not to cross occupied courts to reach an assigned court or retrieve balls.
10. When leaving the courts, gates are to be securely locked. Access to courts is for residents/homeowners and their guests only.
11. Misuse or vandalism of the tennis facilities may cause suspension of privileges. Residents/homeowners are responsible for their guests. When anyone is found damaging the courts, they will be held financially responsible for repairs.
12. No pets are permitted inside tennis court gates.
13. No other activity is allowed on tennis courts. This includes skates, skateboards, bicycles, roller blades or other wheeled vehicles.
14. No tennis lessons shall be given during prime hours or on any/all Federal Holidays:
Monday – Friday: between 8:00 – 11:00 a.m. or between 6:00 – 9:00 p.m., Weekends: Before 11:00 a.m., Holidays: New Year's Day, Martin Luther King Jr. Day, President's Day/Washington's Birthday, Memorial Day, Independence Day, Labor Day, Columbus Day, Veterans Day, Thanksgiving and Christmas Day.
15. If a resident/homeowner wishes to engage the services of a sports instructor for lessons or coaching, they must contact the Clubhouse Manager, at the recreation center office, to obtain an agreement form. The form must be completed and accepted by the association, prior to the sports instructor providing any services utilizing association property. Anyone attempting to provide any such services on association property, without having previously completed the agreement, will be required to immediately cease such activities and leave the recreation center area.
16. Residents/homeowners only can sign-up on tennis whiteboard – guests cannot write on the whiteboard.