

Policy on the Supervision of Children

We recommend that children under the age of 13 are supervised by their parent/carer whilst at Bearsden Lawn Tennis Club and outside of any venue sessions, such as coaching lessons or tennis camps. Parents must collect their children from any coaching session or Club activity at the designated finish time, as the coach is only responsible from the set time they are involved in the tennis activity.

Children under the age of 13 should never be left at the Club unsupervised by a parent/carer - even if there are other adult venue members or staff present. Parents and carers cannot assume that if there are adults around, one of them will watch their child. If the parent/carer is unable to supervise their own child, they need to make clear arrangements and designate an alternative adult to supervise. The venue, the child, and the designated supervising adult must be aware of any such arrangements, and they should be agreed in advance of any coaching session or activity.

Arriving and leaving a venue alone:

Children aged under 13 should not be allowed to arrive at or leave the venue alone unless they have written consent from the parent/carer.