



JUNIOR RULES AND EXPECTATIONS AT COMPTONS TENNIS CLUB

THE CAR PARK

All children must be accompanied by an adult to the gate

UNACCOMPANIED CHILDREN AT THE CLUB

NO CHILD under the age of 11 years may be left unaccompanied at the Club. However, provided an agreement has been reached **prior** to a coaching session or holiday camp, a child under the age of 11 may be left unaccompanied. The Coach has the right to refuse this permission if it is felt the child is unable to behave in the correct manner to allow this. Children over the age of 11 are expected to behave in a responsible manner around the Club and on court. Provided the parent/carer considers the child able to follow the rules, the child may be left unaccompanied.

Should these expectations not be met, the Club reserves the right to request the child be accompanied.

All children should ensure they have used the bathrooms before playing and bring the correct equipment and a drink with them.

WELFARE OFFICER

Hannah Gretzer is the named Welfare Officer, and any issues should be directed to her in the first instance. It has been agreed that Rhys Hanger will deputise should the need arise and this information will be displayed on the posters around the Club

KITCHEN

This area is out of bounds to all children. If they require water, they should ask an adult to get it for them, or bring their own water bottle

THE BAR

The bar is strictly out of bounds to all children.

PICK UP FROM COACHING SESSIONS

All children under 11 years of age must be collected from the Clubhouse by a parent/carer. Children 11 years and above may walk to the gate and wait for their parent/carer. They should not enter the carpark until they know their parent/carer is there waiting

FIRST AID

For minor treatments to bumps, scrapes and falls, the Coaches will ask parents to administer the required care such as cleaning and applying plasters to the wound. First Aid equipment is provided by the Club and can be found in the kitchen.

If no parent/carer is available, a Coach will give First Aid with a chaperone. A First Aid form will be completed which the parent will be asked to sign. Please be aware that for more serious injuries or incidents, the Coaches are First Aid trained and are therefore able to deliver the appropriate response.

HOLIDAY CLUBS

These are well organised and run, with the appropriate level of supervision, contact details checked and the children are signed in and checked out to the correct adult collecting them

SCHOOL HOLIDAYS

If Junior members of 11 years and above book a court and arrive to find there are no Coaches or other members on site, then the Club expects that at the end of their game, the court is swept, and the court gates closed on leaving. If the Clubhouse has been used, then before leaving the Juniors **MUST** ensure the Clubhouse is securely shut. On collection, it is the parent/carers responsibility to ask if these things have been done, and if necessary, check for themselves.

If the Junior member/s bring non-members to play, a visitor's fee needs to be paid, and under **NO** circumstances must the door code be given out to the visitor

At all times, Comptons reserves the right to stop any Juniors from accessing the courts without adult supervision if they do not adhere to the above expectations

SAFEGUARDING CONTACT DETAILS

Comptons Tennis Club Safeguarding Lead is Hannah Gretzer

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JUNIOR RULES/EXPECTATIONS

CAR PARK

You must be accompanied to the gate by your parent/carer

ACCOMPANIED/NOT ACCOMPANIED

If you are under 11 years of age, your parent/carer must stay with you until your coaching session has finished. If you are 11 and over, then you may be left on your own, provided you behave sensibly at all times around the Club, in the Clubhouse and on court. If you misbehave then the Club will ask your parent/carer to stay with you

KITCHEN

You are not allowed to go into the kitchen for any reason. If you need a drink, then you must ask an adult to get one for you, or bring your own water bottle from home

THE BAR AREA

This area is strictly out of bounds

PICK UP AFTER COACHING SESSIONS

If you are 11 and over, then you may walk to the gate and wait behind it until you know your parent/carer is there waiting for you

FIRST AID

If you hurt yourself either on court or around the Club – and if your parent/carer is there you should go to them for help. If your parent/carer is not there, then a Coach will give you First Aid with someone else helping them. A form will be filled in which your parent/carer will be asked to sign. The Coaches are all trained in First Aid so know what to do

SCHOOL HOLIDAYS

If you are 11 years old and over, you may book a court and come and play. However, if when you arrive and find there is no-one else on court and the Coaches are not there, then you are expected at the end of your game to sweep the court and close the court gate on leaving. If you have used the Clubhouse, then you must make sure the door is firmly shut. If you bring non-members to play with you, then a visitor's fee must be paid and on **NO** account should you give the door code to them.

If you do not keep to these rules, then the Club has the right to stop you from accessing the courts without an adult present.

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