

DENBY DALE TENNIS CLUB LIMITED

Club Rules

1. A copy of the Club's Memorandum and Articles of Association shall be available for inspection in the Clubhouse.
2. A copy of the Club Rules and LTA Policies shall be displayed on the Club Notice Board.
3. **Amendments to the Club Rules.**
The Board may amend the Club Rules at any time.
4. **Agreement to the Club Rules and Disciplinary Code.**
Each member agrees as a condition of membership:
 - to be bound by and subject to these rules (as in force from time to time);
 - to be bound by and subject to the Rules and the Policies of the LTA;
 - to recognise the authority of the elected Board.
5. **Membership.**
Membership shall be continuous until the member resigns or is removed by the Board. Any member whose subscription fee is more than 3 months in arrears shall be deemed to have resigned his membership.

Details of membership categories and current subscription fees shall be displayed on the Club notice board
6. **Voting Rights of Members**
Honorary, Full and Student Members are entitled to attend and vote at any General Meeting of the Club. Trial members are entitled to attend but not vote.
7. **Property of Members.**
The personal or other property brought on to the Club premises by a Member is the sole responsibility of the Member and the Club shall not be responsible for any loss thereof or damage thereto.
8. **Membership Details**
The Club shall not divulge any of the details held in the membership records to any third party in line with the Data Protection Policy.
9. **Board of Directors**
The rules relating to the Directors, their election, removal and powers are detailed in the company's Articles of Association.
The Club agrees that each member of the Board will be required, as a condition of election or appointment, to agree to be bound by and subject to these rules, the Rules and the Disciplinary Code of the LTA, such agreement to contain an express acknowledgement that the Contracts (Rights of Third Parties) Act 1999 applies and that the LTA and the Club can enforce any breach at its option and in its sole discretion
10. **Coaches and Players**
The Club agrees that all coaches and, so far as reasonably practicable, players and other persons using the facilities of the Club will be required, as a condition of such use, to agree to be bound by and subject to these rules, the Rules and the Disciplinary Code, such agreement to contain an express acknowledgement that the Contracts (Rights of Third Parties) Act 1999 applies and that the LTA and the Club can enforce any breach at its option and in its sole discretion.
11. **Visitors.**
Every Member shall be allowed to introduce visitors, who may use the Courts upon payment of such fee as may be decided by the Board, provided that the Member shall record the

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particulars required in the Visitor's Book and pay the appropriate fee to the Honorary Treasurer or a Member of the Board and also provided that no visitor residing within fifteen miles of the Club shall use the courts on more than four occasions in any season.

12. Access to Courts: Reserved Sessions, Vacating Courts and Court Booking

Monday	18:30 onwards	Ladies' Matches, otherwise Ladies Only
Tuesday	18:30 onwards	Men's Matches, otherwise Men Only
Wednesday	18:30-20:30	Mixed Matches (April-July)
Thursday	16:00-20:30	Junior Night and Coaching
	20:30 onwards	Adult Coaching
Friday	18:00 onwards	Social tennis/tennisette (see court calendar and facebook page)
Saturday	9:30-13:00	Junior Matches (see junior noticeboard)
	14:00-17:30	Social tennis/tennisette (see court calendar and facebook page)
Sunday	9:30-13:00	Team Practice
	16:30-17:30	Family Session for parents/guardians with young juniors

The following playing times are for "**reserved**" sessions:

Social Tennis

Club sessions are open to Adult, Senior, Student, Board-Nominated Junior and Trial members and their visitors.

If other members are waiting to play:

The warm-up period should not exceed 5 minutes,

Players shall vacate the court after playing one short set (tie-break at 5-5),

Members shall not play singles if others are waiting to play.

Tennisettes

Tennisettes are open to Adult, Senior, Student and Board-Nominated Junior members and their visitors.

Court Booking

Courts can be booked at any time other than Reserved Sessions:

- **by members, only for the completion of League Matches and Club Tournaments.**
- **by The Club Coach**

When booking courts, every effort should be made to leave one court free for other play.

Court bookings should be marked clearly on the Court Calendar.

Private Sessions

All Members can arrange "Private" Sessions at any time other than Reserved Sessions:

- Check the Court Calendar for courts booked by the club coach or for match /tournament completions.

If other members are waiting to play:

The warm-up period should not exceed 5 minutes,

Players shall vacate the court after playing one short set (tie-break at 5-5)

Practice hitting sessions should be for a maximum of 30 minutes.

Members playing a pre-arranged session are not obliged to include any other member(s) in their number and no member should expect to be included therein.

THE COURTS SHOULD BE DRAGGED AFTER EVERY SESSION UNLESS THE SURFACE IS EXTREMELY WET OR ICY

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13. Floodlights.

The floodlights are operated from meters in the Ladies changing room. The meters receive tokens, which can be purchased from nominated Token Holders, at a cost determined by the Board. See the Club notice board for the current cost of tokens. The Board shall also determine the length of time purchased by a token.

The cost of using the lights for league matches is covered by match fees. On Club nights or at other times those members playing under the lights should share the cost equally.

The floodlights can be used **no later than 10.30 p.m.**

14. LTA Policies and Good Members Guide

Members are expected to understand and observe the new LTA Policies including Health and Safety; Safeguarding; Diversity and Inclusion; Data Protection and Whistleblowing which will be available in the Clubhouse and on the Club Website.

15. Keys and access to Clubhouse

Clubhouse keys remain the property of the Club and under no circumstances must they be given or lent to anyone other than a current Member of the Club. ***Juniors are only allowed in the Clubhouse when the Club Coaches or a full member is present.***

The last member to leave the Clubhouse should ensure that the door is locked.

16. Care of Club Property

Members should:

- ensure that they do not litter the courts or Clubhouse, take their own rubbish home whenever possible, but, at least, use the bin provided,
- leave the kitchen facilities clean and tidy after use.

The Member locking-up should ensure that all electrical appliances and lights are switched off.

17. Damage to Club Property by Members

Any damage to Club property by a Member, his/her family or guest shall be the responsibility of the Member and he/she shall reimburse the Club for all costs in repair or replacement

18. Match Fees

Members of teams competing in the Huddersfield and District Lawn Tennis League and the Wakefield Mixed League shall pay match fees for all matches played. The match fee shall be the amount decided by the board.

19. Club Maintenance

Members are expected to assist in general club maintenance from time to time and be aware of the workshare arrangements displayed in the clubhouse.