



## COVID-19 FACILITY GUIDELINES (as of September 22, 2021)

As the health and safety of all players and staff remains our number one priority, in addition to adhering to the Province of Ontario's "[Framework for Reopening our Province](#)", we will also be referencing the [recommendations from the Ontario Tennis Association](#).

### PROOF OF VACCINATION:

- All patrons ages 18 and older will need to be fully vaccinated (two doses plus 14 days) and provide their proof of vaccination along with a photo ID to enter the club.
- Unvaccinated people under the age of 18 will be permitted to enter the club without proof of vaccination.
- Individuals ages 18 and older who cannot receive the vaccine due to medical exemptions will be permitted entry with a valid doctor's note.
- A negative COVID-19 test or recent COVID-19 infection will not entitle a person to enter the club.

### PERMITTED ACTIVITIES:

- Maximum of 100 players in the Bubble.
- Doubles play.
- Singles play.
- Private Lessons.
- Semi Private Lessons.
- Group lessons.
- Round Robins.
- House Leagues.
- The Facility's Ball Machine will be available for use.

### COACHING:

- All drills will comply with social distancing requirements.
- Limited use of cones and targets and this equipment can only be touched by the coach.

- When possible, coaches will stay on the same court throughout the day to limit unnecessary contact with others.
- All balls used on a court would be immediately replaced if a player or coach is suspected to have been infected by COVID-19.
- All coaches will be required to disinfect their hands between each lesson.
- Staff will disinfect ball hoppers, cones and markers each day.

## PREPARING TO PLAY:

- Booking Courts:
  - Blackmore Tennis Club: Online or by Telephone
  - Marilyn Redvers Tennis Centre: Online or by Telephone
  - Milton Winter Tennis Club: Online or by Telephone
  - Newmarket Winter Tennis Club: Online or by Telephone
- Clean your equipment, including your racquets and water bottles before each visit.
- Bring Hand Sanitizer.
- Make sure you have enough water before leaving the house.
- Prior to entering the facility, complete an online self assessment by clicking on the link below for the club you will be visiting:

[Blackmore Tennis Club](#)

[Marilyn Redvers Tennis Centre](#)

[Milton Winter Tennis Club](#)

[Newmarket Winter Tennis Club](#)

If you exhibit any symptoms, or answer yes to any item on the self assessment, take the province's [self assessment](#) from Ontario.ca. If the result of the assessment indicates that you require a COVID-19 test, or to self isolate, do not enter the facility until you receive medical clearance that it is safe for you to enter the facility.

## ENTERING THE FACILITY:

- Wear a mask prior to entering the facility.
- Apply hand sanitizer at the hand sanitizer station as soon as you enter the facility.
- The Club will only be accepting credit card and debit card payments at this time.
- Only players and staff are permitted in the facility at this time. If a child requires supervision, please contact the Club for direction.

## Blackmore Tennis Club:

- Please arrive approximately 10 minutes before your court time to pay for your court.

- Follow the markers outside of the clubhouse and inside it until you reach reception. Markers will be separated by 2 meters/6 feet.
- The receptionist will confirm that you've completed your self assessment.
- In the clubhouse, there will be chairs and boot trays, to change into your indoor shoes. There will also be a coat rack on each court.
- After paying for your court, the receptionist will ask you to proceed to the walkway inside the bubble, where you may wait to go on court. While in the walkway, wait on a marker closest to your court. At the sound of the second buzzer, proceed to your court.
- When entering the bubble, only two people will be allowed into the double door airlock at a time.
- In the airlock, keep a distance of 2 meters/6 feet apart from each other.
- Once you have left the court, proceed through the walkway to the clubhouse.
- The Club reserves the right to refuse entry to anyone it feels presents a health risk.

### **Marilyn Redvers Tennis Centre:**

- Please arrive approximately 10 minutes before your court time to pay for your court.
- Follow the markers outside of the clubhouse and inside it until you reach reception. Markers will be separated by 2 meters/6 feet.
- The receptionist will confirm that you've completed your self assessment.
- After paying for your court, the receptionist will ask you to proceed to the walkway inside the bubble, where you may wait to go on court.
- In the walkway, there will be a boot tray behind every court, to change into your indoor shoes. There will also be a coat rack on each court.
- While in the walkway, wait on a marker closest to your court. At the sound of the second buzzer, proceed to your court.
- Once you have left the court, proceed through the walkway to the clubhouse.
- The Club reserves the right to refuse entry to anyone it feels presents a health risk.

### **Milton Winter Tennis Club:**

- Do not enter the Facility until 10 minutes before the start of your court time.
- Follow the markers outside of the clubhouse and inside it until you reach reception. Markers will be separated by 2 meters/6 feet.
- The receptionist will confirm that you've completed your self assessment.
- The receptionist will then direct you to a chair in the clubhouse to change into your indoor shoes. Once you have changed into your shoes, you are to immediately go into the Bubble and wait behind your court in the walkway. While in the walkway, wait on a marker closest to your court. At the sound of the

- second buzzer, proceed to your court.
- There will be a court rack on each court.
- Once you have left the bubble, walk directly to the parking lot. Do not re-enter the clubhouse.
- The Club reserves the right to refuse entry to anyone it feels presents a health risk.
- Only Players and required Staff are to enter the Facility. Parents will be asked to drop off their kids and pick them up at the end of the lesson.

### **Newmarket Winter Tennis Club:**

- Please arrive approximately 10 minutes before your court time to pay for your court. After paying for your court, the receptionist will ask you to line up outside until your court time begins. As players leave the facility from the previous hour, you will then be able to enter the clubhouse to change into your indoor shoes.
- Follow the markers outside of the clubhouse and inside it until you reach reception. Markers will be separated by 2 meters/6 feet.
- The receptionist will confirm that you've completed your self assessment.
- The receptionist will then direct you to a chair in the clubhouse to change into your indoor shoes. At the sound of the second buzzer, proceed to your court.
- There will be boot trays in front of the window inside the Bubble.
- There will be a coat rack on each court.
- The Club reserves the right to refuse entry to anyone it feels presents a health risk.

### **ON COURT SAFETY POLICIES:**

- You may take off your mask when you reach your court.
- Maintain social distancing of at least 2 meters.
- Avoid touching your face. If you do touch your face, immediately disinfect your hands with hand sanitizer.
- When possible, avoid touching door handles and other objects where the virus could survive. If you touch something, disinfect your hands with your hand sanitizer or the hand sanitizer station located within the facility.
- Do NOT open the Court Dividers.
- Unless you live in the same household, do not share food, drinks, towels and equipment with anyone else in the Facility.
- If you cough or sneeze, do so in a tissue or in your sleeve.

### **AFTER PLAYING:**

- Before leaving your court:
  - Put on your mask.
  - Disinfect your hands with your own sanitizer or the sanitizer station located at the exit of the Bubble.

- Stop playing when you hear the first buzzer and prepare to leave.
- You should exit the Facility before the second buzzer.

#### **FACILITY SAFETY AND MAINTENANCE:**

- We have placed a Hand Sanitizer station at the following locations:
  - Reception
  - Next to the Clubhouse exit doors
  - Next to the exit of the Bubble
- We have installed an Acrylic Barrier at the Front Desk.
- Signage related to Health and Safety Policies and Procedures will be posted throughout the Facility.
- Clubhouse use will be limited to the following:
  - Reception Area
  - Washrooms whereby only 1 person is permitted in at a time. Wash and dry your hands thoroughly with the provided paper towel before leaving the washroom and dispose in the provided waste bin. Washrooms cannot be used for changing clothes or shoes.
- There are markings on the ground to provide proper social distancing for players and staff.
- In addition to our regular maintenance, all touch points within the facility will be cleaned and disinfected by our Receptionist frequently throughout the day.
- Additional court and clubhouse maintenance will be completed off hours.
- At Marilyn Redvers Tennis Centre, access to the viewing area will be closed.
- Our booking system allows us to keep a log of who has played.