

ALDERSHOT TENNIS CLUB SNOW EMERGENCY PROCEDURES

Preamble

The tennis bubble represents a substantial investment by the Aldershot Tennis Club. A major winter storm could result in severe damage to the bubble, thus endangering members and putting our investment at risk. It is the responsibility of the Board of Directors to ensure the safety of all members and to safeguard club facilities.

In the event of significant snow accumulation around the bubble, the Board of Directors has adopted the following procedure.

Initial assessment of the situation:

Two members of the Board of Directors or one board member and a designated member knowledgeable about the danger a snowstorm poses to the bubble will assess the situation on site. Based upon the amount of snow accumulating and forecasted weather conditions a determination will be made:

Severe winter storm

- * Snow accumulation around the base of the bubble is considerable, walls leaning in
- * Excessive pressure and weight of snow on bubble could cause severe damage
- * Snow emergency declared - All play immediately suspended
- * Light standards on Court 1 to be lowered
- * All court lights to be shut off
- * Club is shutdown until snow is cleared
- * Club Pro and Booking Clerk to be notified and a message placed on the answering machine
- * As soon as the storm has abated, a general call to the membership will be made for assistance in snow clearing

Moderate winter storm

- * Snow must be cleared from around the bubble, but poses no immediate danger
- * A general call to the membership will be made for assistance
- * Date and time for clearing the snow will be set
- * No shutdown required

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