



## REOPENING GUIDELINES FOR THE ALDERSHOT TENNIS CLUB - COVID-19 Protocol

### Aldershot Tennis Club: Step 1 (June 11<sup>th</sup> @ 12:01 am)

The following rules will be strictly enforced and must be adhered to ensure continued play at the Club during the pandemic. **Membership privileges could be removed if guidelines are not followed.**

Please review the “Members” section of the website for court access information. Protocols will be adjusted as the Ontario Government and Halton Region adjust their guidelines.

### Prior to Booking Court Time

Before attending Aldershot Tennis Club we ask all members to please take note of the following:

- **DO NOT COME TO THE CLUB** if you have coronavirus or have been in contact with someone who is diagnosed or presumed COVID-19 positive in the last 14 days.
- **DO NOT COME TO THE CLUB** if you are feeling unwell or exhibiting flu-like symptoms. Please refer to Ontario [COVID-19 Self-Assessment](#) if you exhibit any related symptoms.
- **DO NOT COME TO THE CLUB** if you have returned from travel or have come in contact with someone who has returned from travel in the past 14 days.
- **DO KNOW** your Risk Level – Older adults or individuals with underlying medical conditions may be at a higher risk of severe illness if exposed to COVID 19. If uncertain of your Risk Level, check with your family doctor before returning to activities.
- Members are asked to complete an Ontario [COVID-19 Self-Assessment](#) prior to coming to the club.

### General Club Guidelines

- Club House will **ONLY** be open to ACCESS the Courts and USE Accessible Washroom. **DO NOT congregate in the clubhouse.** Door code is available on Court Booking page.
- Sanitizing wipes will be made available to wipe down the washroom. Members are asked to **sanitize the washroom with wipes provided before and after use.**
- Hand sanitizer will be made available for members use. If possible please bring your own sanitizer and wipes.
- Sanitizing wipes will be made available to wipe down the doors. The doors must be wiped at least two times a day.
- **No Guests or Walk-Ons** will be permitted. Play **MUST** be booked through Gigasport.
- **Doubles** is allowed, players **MUST** maintain **3 m (10 feet)** at all time when playing.
- Group lessons can be offered to a maximum of 10 participants (including guardian(s)). Any guardians must wear a mask for the duration of their stay. Participants must remain 3 m (10 feet) apart during the lesson.
- **Juniors:** All juniors will be required to have a waiver signed by a parent or guardian. Juniors may be accompanied by at least on Parent or Guardian.
- Ball Hoppers and Ball Machines can be used in accordance with Winter restrictions.
- Report any safety concerns to the ATC president: [president@aldershottennis.ca](mailto:president@aldershottennis.ca)

## Rules for Tennis Play

While playing tennis please note the following:

- **MAINTAIN PHYSICAL DISTANCING** at all times (be at least 10 feet to 3 meters from all players and staff).
- **Please** review and understand the Tennis Canada guidelines for players, [http://www.tenniscanada.com/wp-content/uploads/2020/05/Post-covid-RecommandationsJoueurs-ENG\\_compressed.pdf](http://www.tenniscanada.com/wp-content/uploads/2020/05/Post-covid-RecommandationsJoueurs-ENG_compressed.pdf)

## Before Play

- Wash your hands and if possible bring hand sanitizer.
- Wipe down your equipment and bring water. No water fountain available on the courts.
- If possible leave space in the parking lot between cars.
- Members **MUST** wear a mask/face covering when inside the clubhouse, facility and walking to and from their reserved courts. Masks can be removed **ONLY** when playing tennis.
- **Maximum of five members** will be allowed inside of the clubhouse to access the courts at one time. Please be courteous and provide 3 m (10 feet) at the exits.

## During Play

- **DO NOT** show up at the club until your booked time.
- **DO NOT** walk onto the court, until the previous players have left.
- **DO NOT** share any equipment, water or food.
- **DO NOT** walk onto any other court to retrieve a ball during play. If you need to walk through a court, please communicate with the players first.
- **MAINTAIN 3m (10 feet)** of physical distance when on the courts.
- Avoid touching:
  - Your face;
  - Where possible communal surfaces, like the gates or doors.
- If you need to cough or sneeze, please do so into your elbow or clothing.

## After Play

- Please leave the courts when the next players show up.
- **DO NOT** shake hands.
- Collect all of your garbage prior to leaving the courts.
- Members **MUST** wear a mask/face covering when inside the clubhouse, facility and walking to and from their reserved courts. Masks can be removed when playing tennis.
- Members are to leave the facility though the 2 emergency doors (Court 1 and Court 2) and not go through the clubhouse.
- Once play is complete, **leave the courts and parking lot immediately**. Do **NOT** congregate in the parking lot.
- Wash your hands at home after visiting the courts.