



# JULIAN KRINSKY SCHOOL OF TENNIS

## Player Protocols for 2020 Tennis Season (Effective June 1, 2020)

Until further notice, the player protocols herein are intended to facilitate the safe incremental reopening of the Club with regard to the playing of tennis. These protocols take into account federal, state, local, and USTA guidelines that address COVID-19 physical distancing and sanitation concerns, and are subject to modification as additional external guidelines and internal experience evolve. Any violation of these protocols may result in the offending party losing their Club privileges.

**Prohibition of Use:** The tennis facilities may not be used by any person who has any of the symptoms identified by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (as listed at the end of this document), or who has been in known physical contact in the past 14 days with someone with COVID-19.

**Disclaimer:** As is the case with any public or other facility outside of one's home, use of the facilities at The Julian Krinsky School of Tennis may result in exposure to the coronavirus. The Club management presumes that players will make their own assessments of the associated risks of coming to the Club and will act accordingly. All such decisions to access and use the Club facilities are presumed to be made voluntarily by each person doing so with full knowledge and acceptance of the risks associated with the coronavirus, and the Club shall not be responsible for any persons who contract the coronavirus.

**Liability Waiver:** Any person who wishes to play tennis at the Club must sign a liability waiver before beginning play. Waiver forms will be at the front desk and on the Club's website, and signed versions must be submitted to the Club when checking into play for the first time.

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The bathrooms will be open but the shower facilities will remain closed. Access to the viewing area will be prohibited.

All players shall arrive at the front desk no more than ten minutes before their court time slot begins, and they shall leave the Club promptly after their time slot has expired.

Facemasks must be worn at all time by players while on the Club premises, except on the tennis courts themselves. In addition, physical distancing must be observed at all times, and social congregating or viewing by players or others is prohibited. Hand sanitizers, which will be strategically located for use by tennis players, should be used before and after play, and should be considered even during play. Doors, curtains, nets, benches, etc., as well as one's own face, should not be touched if avoidable.

Players shall be responsible for bringing their own cleaned and wiped water bottles, towels, and equipment; gloves are recommended. Equipment and other personal items should not be shared.

All court reservations are asked to end their promptly and leave the courts before the next reservation is set to arrive to minimize interaction, and to give the staff an opportunity to ready the courts for the next session. No play is allowed before 8:00 a.m. on weekdays or 8 a.m. on weekends.

Singles play is recommended. Doubles play is permissible, although the USTA discourages the playing of doubles. For those who do play doubles, it is important to avoid all incidental contact, fist or chest bumping, whispering strategies to one's partner, etc. Players shall stay on their side of the court for their entire session.

If a person who makes use of the Club's tennis facilities subsequently tests positive for the coronavirus, that person shall notify the Club so that contact tracing may be conducted with regard to their tennis play

COVID-19 Symptoms as Identified by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (Subject to Periodic Updating)

Any one of:

- Fever (at least 100.4 degrees F or 38 degrees C)
- Persistent cough
- Shortness of breath or difficulty breathing

Two or more of:

- Chills
- Repeated shaking with chills
- Muscle pain
- Headache
- Sore throat
- New loss of taste or smell