

Waverley Lawn Tennis, Squash and Sports Club

BYELAWS

Waverley is fully committed to safeguarding and promoting the well-being of all its members. The Club believes that it is important that members, coaches, administrators and parents associated with the club should, at all times, show respect and understanding for the safety and welfare of others. Therefore, members are encouraged to be open at all times and to share any concerns or complaints that they may have about any aspect of the Club with the Club President whose name and contact details are posted on the notice board and on the Club's website.

General

1 Subscriptions

- (a) In accordance with the agreement made when joining the Club, any member not handing in a resignation in writing to the Membership Secretary by the due date (at present 31 March annually) is legally liable for the full subscription for the next year.
- (b) Any member whose subscription has not been paid by 30 April in a year may have a penalty charge added of 10% of the subscription plus VAT per month or part month thereafter. Where there is a lapse of three months the member may be expelled from the Club.
- (c) Any member joining the Club during the year shall pay such proportion of the annual subscription as the Committee deem appropriate.

2 Membership

Persons of either sex are eligible for membership of the Club. No person shall be denied membership of the Club on the grounds of race, ethnic origin, creed, colour, age, disability, sex, occupation, religion, political or other beliefs. The Club shall operate an Equality Policy.

3 Bar Licence

- (a) No excisable liquor shall be sold or supplied to any person, whether member or visitor, who is under 18 years of age.
- (b) The permitted hours for the sale of excisable liquors in the Clubhouse are 11am to 1am with seasonal variations as permitted by the Licensing Board.
- (c) The actual opening hours are normally 6.30pm to 11pm on weekday evenings.

4 Visitors

- (a) Two visitors per month may be introduced by senior members.
- (b) The charge for playing visitors shall be £5 for an adult visitor or £1 for a junior visitor per game of squash, racketball tennis or snooker.
- (c) No member may introduce the same visitor more than once a month and no visitor may be introduced more than once in a four week period.
- (d) Non-playing visitors must be signed in to the Visitors Book kept behind the bar before being supplied with liquor.
- (e) A tennis foursome must include two full members on court.

5 Juniors

The Club shall operate Junior Byelaws and a Code of Conduct for Parents and Guardians.

Squash

Appropriate clothing (coloured is allowed as well as white) must be worn on court. Shoes with black or dark coloured soles must not be worn on the squash courts. Outdoor shoes or shoes used for tennis should not be worn on the squash courts.

Tennis

1 Appropriate clothing (coloured is allowed as well as white) must be worn on court. No football strips are allowed.

2 Tennis Court Bookings

(a) The Club Tennis Coach and Tennis Convener are responsible for pre-booking courts for matches, coaching and social sessions and for adjusting the bookings. Bookings for matches will take priority over other bookings.

(b) Members may book courts up to one week in advance.

(c) Members are only allowed one booking per day.

(d) Bookings are of one hour's duration. Extended bookings may be made with the permission of the Club Coach or Tennis Convener for the completion of competitive ties.

(e) On standard senior East League match nights the match courts must be vacated by 5.45pm.

(f) Any unbooked court may be used by any members on a first come first served basis.

(g) A booking will be forfeited if the players who made the booking are not on court on time.

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