



ROYAL OAK TENNIS CLUB – 2020

PROTOCOL OF PLAY DURING THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC

1. Only members in good standing of the Royal Oak Tennis Club who have paid their 2020 membership fees in full and have signed this Protocol of Play acknowledging that they have read it and agree to abide by its recommendations and rules shall be allowed on the premises and to use the facilities. No guests are allowed until further notice.
2. Members who have symptoms suggestive of COVID-19 (fever, cough, difficulty breathing or other symptoms that could manifest themselves according to the following site: <https://quebec.ca/en/health-issues/a-z/2019-coronavirus/instructions-directives/#c48262>) are NOT allowed on the premises or the use of the facilities.
3. Presence on the ROTC premises is subject to the respect of social distancing measures.
4. All members must promote hygiene by washing hands with an alcohol-based gel (60% or more) before entering the club grounds and before leaving the grounds. Each member is responsible for bringing her or his own alcohol-based gel when coming to the ROTC.
5. Follow respiratory etiquette (cough into a bent elbow or into a tissue that is discarded immediately after use, then wash hands as soon as possible).
6. All outdoor furniture (including court benches) shall NOT be used by the members.
7. Members shall not touch court fence gates. The gates will be opened at 8AM and closed at 8PM.
8. Rules for playing tennis:
 - a. Only singles play is allowed.
 - b. Each player must ONLY use their own balls for play. The balls SHALL be clearly marked with a distinguishing mark so that they are not confused with another player's balls. No player shall TOUCH another player's balls with their hands.
 - c. Players shall NOT touch the fence posts or net at any time. If they do, they must immediately sanitize them with a hydroalcoholic solution and sanitize their hands afterwards.
 - d. Players shall not share equipment with another player.
 - e. There will be no team practices until further notice.
 - f. There will be no lessons until further notice.
9. Failure for a member to abide by the above rules and recommendations may result in the suspension of the member's right to use of the club facilities.
10. I declare that I have read the above Protocol of Play and agree to abide by it. I also understand that the Royal Oak Tennis Club, the members of the Executive Committee, the ROTC's members, employees or volunteers are not liable for any damages, direct or indirect, whatever the cause, sustained while playing on the premises, including contracting COVID-19 or any other infection or disease. I UNDERSTAND THAT THE USE OF THE ROTC PREMISES IS AT MY OWN RISK AND UNDERSTAND THAT THE ROTC MAKES NO REPRESENTATIONS AS TO WHETHER OR NOT IT IS SAFE TO PLAY TENNIS ON THE PREMISES.

Member name: _____ Signature: _____ Date: _____