



## **TENNIS RULES**

1. **USE.** The use of the tennis courts at Golden Hills Golf and Country Club is restricted to members of the Club and their guest. The Club Professional shall have the use of a court for giving lessons.
2. Members are required to schedule a court reservation and use the court assigned. Guest names must be listed on court reservations.
3. Court reservations may be made no earlier than 48 hours in advance.
4. A reservation shall not exceed a one and one half (1 ½) hour time limit. When the adult, or family of the adult, finishes playing at the end of the one and one half hour time limit, the adult or family of the adult cannot continue to play under continuous reservation unless the Professional designates another court that does not have a reservation.
5. No member shall have more than three (3) guests at any one time, except by permission of the Professional. If it becomes necessary to cancel a reservation, this must be done at the earliest possible time. Reservations will be held open for ten minutes after their scheduled beginning. After 10 minutes the court will be made available to any member waiting to play.
6. The Club and Tennis Coordinator may reserve courts for tournaments, exhibition match play and in other cases where circumstances justify such reservations.
7. Turn off lights when leaving the courts after night play.
8. **League Play:**
  - a. Each team will have one (1) practice, day or night, and one (1) match<sup>(\*)</sup>, day or night, each week.
  - b. Reservations must be made in advance and can only be made by the Team Captain.
  - c. Each week of the league season three (3) courts can be reserved for matches and two (2) courts can be reserved for practice.
  - d. If additional practice time is needed, only a club member can make reservations for one court. If more than one court is needed, another member of the club must make the reservation. Note: A Club member must be present to play with a non-member.
  - e. Make-up matches have priority for courts. A team that has a practice scheduled will have to give up their reservation to a team that has a make-up match. Arrangements must be made between the Tennis Coordinator and the team captains.
  - f. Non-members of Golden Hills Golf and Country Club are permitted to join the USTA-Sanctioned League Teams that are Golden Hills based. The non-member League Fee is \$75 per person, per Fall and Spring season. The non-member League Fee is \$35 per person for Mixed Doubles and Combos. If a non-member chooses to play on more than one team during the season, the fee for each additional team is \$10 (per team and per season). Non-member fees entitle the player to participate and play on a Golden Hills based team for a designated season and participate in one (1) weekly, scheduled "team practice" at Golden Hills. The "team practices" may start two weeks before the official season of play begins, and will end after the last regular season match is played.

*Notes: \*1 – Matches are scheduled by LATA & there may be times when more than one match is scheduled per week*

- *No courts will be available during league matches*

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