

Gable Oaks Tennis Rules

If you are a resident of Gable Oaks, these facilities are for your enjoyment. As a resident you have an obligation to make certain the facilities remain in good condition. These rules for the courts are in the best interest of the neighborhood, and will insure that our homeowner's dues will not be used to pay for unnecessary repairs or damages.

Homeowners, their children, family members, and their guests should observe the following rules, regulations, and point of etiquette.

1. Each homeowner family will be issued two tennis/pool gate keys. (The same key will open both Gates.) Replacement keys will be provided at a charge of \$5.00 each. **Please lock the courts after each use.** Responsibility accompanies the possession of a key.
2. All children are solely the responsibility of their parents. All parents and members agree to Release and indemnify the Association from any claims, losses, or liability arising out the of use of the tennis courts by any person under 18 years of age for whom they are responsible.
3. Please limit singles play on a court for 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ hours and doubles play on a court for 2 hours when Others are waiting.
4. Persons 16 years of age and older will have priority on the courts on Saturdays, Sundays, Holidays, and after 5:00 p.m. on weekdays. No tennis lessons may be given during peak weekend hours.
5. No one may enter the tennis courts unless they are wearing tennis shoes.
6. **Absolutely no skateboards, bicycles, soccer balls, roller blades, ball bats, etc. are allowed on the courts.**
7. Parents must keep their children supervised at all times around the tennis court areas to keep from disrupting or distracting players.
8. Persons who are not playing tennis are not permitted on the courts. Children under 10 years of age are not allowed on the courts without adult supervision.
9. Unauthorized furniture is not allowed on the courts. Players are responsible for placing trash in the proper containers.
10. Bold and boisterous conduct will be avoided at all times in order not to disturb other tennis players or neighbors. No obscene language will be tolerated.
11. In keeping within the etiquette guidelines of the game. *COURTESY* and *CONSIDERATION* should be observed at all times. Those who disregard common courtesy should be reported to the Pool Committee.

12. Players and spectators should not walk behind a court area while a point is being played.
13. Dogs and other pets are not allowed within the court area.
14. Jumping over the tennis nets is prohibited.
15. No gum is allowed on the courts.
16. Members may invite guests to play, but must accompany them to the courts and remain with them during their court time. Members are responsible for the conduct of their guests on and around the courts. The Pool Committee reserves the right to limit guests as tennis court demand increases.
17. Tennis court cleaning equipment may not be removed from the courts at any time.
18. An offense or rule violation that costs the Homeowners' Association additional money for Maintenance or repairs will be charged to the responsible homeowner.
19. Any person who does not follow the above rules can be expelled for the day from the tennis courts by any Pool Committee member, any Board member, or any GOHA resident. Two expulsions will result in a letter from the Board. Three expulsions will result in loss of tennis court privileges for 3 months. An appeal can be made to the Board.

As the neighborhood grows and the need arises, the Pool Committee reserves the right to change, delete, and/ or add additional rules with the approval of the Board of Directors.