



Dear HTWTC Members,

The Board of Directors of the club have made two changes to our customary operating procedures and enacted eight new rules in order to protect the welfare of the club and the health of our members during the first and probably second phase of the Governor's recovery plan - as the COVID-19 surge in Central Mass recedes. These changes and rules are listed below. Although we are fortunate to be an open-air tennis club which is supervised by our excellent Pro Kevin Dunlevy (features which should make us considerably safer than many other recreational facilities), we also recognize that the degree of fear of contagion varies widely across our membership. Therefore we expect not only that members comply with these COVID-19 rules, but also that we all behave in a way that reflects sympathetic understanding of the different concerns fellow members may harbor as well as the particular responsibilities we have to each other during this pandemic.

Changes in customary procedures

- During this crisis, and to avoid waiting for a court, we are asking that members reserve their court **ONLINE** in advance of their play. This system will work very much like the Greendale Y's system. Members will also be able to call the club to reserve a court with Kevin and it will be entered into the online schedule. Details will be provided on Sunday, May 17th.
- Members are asked - please **Do Not** sweep the courts after/before use to avoid handling common items.

New Covid Rules:

- Please **Do Not** come to the club if you are having flu-like symptoms or think you may contracted Covid 19 infection.
- Please **Do Not** come to the club if you believe you have significant exposure to someone with Covid 19 infection (until you have quarantined yourself)
- Please **Do not** gather together on the Deck, in the parking

- lot or anywhere at the club and **Do** maintain safe social distancing if you accidentally find yourself in a group.
- Please **Do Not** enter the clubhouse except to use the bathroom
 - Please **Do** leave court gates open to avoid handling common items
 - Please **Do** bring a face mask and hand sanitizer in your tennis bag when you come to the club - to be used as frequently as necessary.
 - Please **Do** bring your own filled water bottle.
 - Please **Do** leave the club when you are done playing

We look forward to starting the 2020 season and an eventual return to the normal practices in our club.

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