

Battle Green Tennis League 2010 Recreational Application (rev. 03/10/10)

Name: _____ Home Phone: _____

Street: _____ Office Phone: _____

City, State, Zip: _____ Cell Phone: _____

E-mail Address: _____

Estimate your tennis rating (link available at www.battlegreentennis.com): _____

Please check all that apply:

_____ Doubles _____ Singles Ladder

Doubles: Please indicate what level of player you'd be willing to play with. (If you are too selective, you'll be playing with the same people each week!)

_____ 2.5 Novice _____ 3.5 High Intermediate
_____ 3.0 Intermediate _____ 4.0 Advanced or above

How many days would you like to play each week (1-4): _____

Nights available (6-8 pm) for doubles (add comments on back) _____

_____ Mon. _____ Tues. _____ Wed. _____ Thurs. _____ BYE ONLY

Vacations: Please circle the weeks below (designated by Mondays) that you **DO NOT** want to be scheduled (¹ = start of new session):

¹ April 19	April 26	May 3	May 10	May 17
¹ May 24	May 31	June 7	June 14	June 21
¹ June 28	July 5	July 12	July 19	July 26
¹ August 2	August 9	August 16	August 23	August 30
Extended Season:		¹ September 6	September 13	

Membership fees are: \$50 for all players under 62, \$40 for Seniors (62 and over)

(fee includes Lexington Rec. Dept. Tennis Pass for Lexington residents)

I agree to abide by all of the conditions of League participation detailed on the following page:

Signature and Date in Pen: _____

(application **will not** be processed without your signed affirmation)

Application instructions:

Use one form per person. Please mail the completed application with the required fee payable to: **Battle Green Tennis League**, c/o Rebecca Shrum, 1027 Massachusetts Avenue, Lexington, MA 02420. All applications and fees must be received by **March 26, 2010** to be part of the scheduled play beginning **April 19**. Completed applications, availability updates and payments **must be received** 3 weeks before the start of each new session to be included in the scheduling (due dates to be posted on www.battlegreentennis.com). There are no discounts for partial seasons.

League information and rules:

1. This League promotes tennis by scheduling recreational doubles matches. Successful operation of the league depends on each individual fulfilling her/his responsibilities with good sportsmanship and common courtesy.
2. Approximately once per month you **may** be scheduled on the "BYE" list as someone available to call to substitute. You can request to only be scheduled as a BYE (full fees apply).
3. You grant permission for your name and phone number to be on the schedules and rosters distributed by email.
4. Singles matches are scheduled as round-robins. Players consult the schedule to see who to play, schedule their play and court times and report results by the designated date. Matches are the first to 10 games or best in 1 hr. There are separate men's and women's tournaments, each **limited to the first 12 players**. Semi / Finals are based upon best total number of points won and communicated to webmaster (2 points for win, 1 point for tie, 0 points for loss) **by August 15, 2010**.
5. Approximately monthly you will be the Game Captain responsible for providing a new can of balls, **VERIFYING** that four players will be at the court.
6. Any player not able to participate in the scheduled game **MUST SECURE THEIR OWN REPLACEMENT**, preferably from BYE list or other scheduled players, and notify the Game Captain.
7. Players are to be at the designated tennis court (Lexington's Center Tennis Courts on Worthen Road, unless Game Captain makes other arrangements) at the scheduled start time and commit to playing through the scheduled end time unless otherwise agreed to in advance by all of the players.
8. Players not following rules 5, 6 or 7 on three (3) separate occasions as documented by at least one League Member for each occasion will be relegated to the BYE list for the remainder of the season. Fees will not be refunded.
9. Rained-out games are usually not rescheduled. If weather is questionable, check with the Game Captain who will determine whether or not the game will be played.
10. The League has a Zero-Tolerance approach to any violence. A player will be ejected from the League upon receipt of a signed, documented request from at least 3 direct witnesses (League Members) of a violent, threatening or other severe event. Fees will not be refunded for ejected players.