

CLUB RULES



RATOATH TENNIS CLUB RULES

By joining Ratoath Tennis Club, you agree to abide by;

- the club rules below
- expected codes of conduct (available on website/ on clubhouse noticeboard)
- the club constitution (available on website/ on clubhouse noticeboard)
- all child protection policies (available on website/ on clubhouse noticeboard)
- the rules of tennis play
- show respect and courtesy to other members and visiting players.

Failure to abide by the above, could result in a disciplinary warning from the committee and your membership could be revoked.

Rules:

- Membership Fees and Joining Fees are non-refundable
- Memberships are non-transferable
- Access to RTC members only. No bystanders are allowed.
- Appropriate tennis clothing and footwear should be worn on court at all times.
- Tennis shoes should be cleaned before entering courts. Remove grit or stones to minimise damage to the courts.
- Pre-book your court on-line using the court bookings app on the RTC website - if you have any issues please contact a member of the committee.
- Court bookings are limited to 1.5 hours during busy periods.
- Juniors (Under 19) are not permitted on courts after 7:00pm in winter months and 8:00 pm in the summer months **unless** for club run social or training sessions where junior is between 14 - 19 years and supervised by a parent or a Garda vetted trained member of the committee.
- Access gates must be kept secure at all times. Members must lock up the courts, clubhouse and outside gate when leaving.
- Bad language will not be tolerated.
- Verbal abuse of any members, club committee, officers or coaches may result in immediate expulsion from the club.
- No food or chewing gum allowed on courts.
- No other ball games except tennis allowed on courts.
- The Executive Committee reserves the right of admission to the club's grounds and or premises.
- Smoking in the club grounds is forbidden.
- The decision of the committee is final.

Guests:

- A member may book in a maximum of 3 guests per month.
- A guest fee of €5 per guest is payable.
- Members and guests must register all names on the court booking system and inform the membership secretary of guest booking by email at payments@ratoathtennisclub.ie and
- Guests must also abide by club rules.

Competitions:

- By taking part in club competitions, such as the ladder, round robin or club championships, you agree that your phone number may be made available to enable other members to contact you to arrange matches.