



# MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION AND RENEWAL FORM

Chobham and District Lawn Tennis Club



To apply for, or renew your Membership for 2010, please complete this form, enclose a cheque made payable to "Chobham and District Lawn Tennis Club", and send them both to the Membership Secretary (address below).

The Tennis Club is open to players of all ages and abilities and offers a range of membership options to suit individual needs.

Annual Membership commences on 1st April 2010 and renewal subscriptions should be received by 14th April 2010

Membership Option	Definition	Joining Fee	Annual Subscription	Quantity	Total
Full Member	Play any time, including Woking League matches	£75.00	£110.00		
Full Member (over 60)			£100.00		
Full Member (under 21)			£60.00		
Off-Peak	Play any time, excluding weekend Club sessions	£50.00	£77.00		
Off-Peak (Over 60)			£70.00		
Off-Peak Plus			£95.00		
Off-Peak Plus (over 60)	Play any time, excluding Saturday Club sessions		£86.00		
University Student	Play any time	£0.00	£27.50		
Junior Plus	Age* 12 - 18		£38.00		
Junior	Age* 7 - 11		£27.50		
Friends of Chobham	Non-playing social Member (incl. Bonus Ball)		£25.00		
Non-Playing Member	Non-playing social Member		£5.00		
Subscription Discounts: Two Family Members - less 10% Three Family Members - less 15% Four Family Members - less 20%				Sub Total	
An Early Payment Discount of £10.00 per Full or Off-Peak Member may be deducted if your renewal subscription is received before 14th April 2010				Deduct Family Discount	
				Sub Total	
				Deduct Early Renewal Discount	
Bonus Balls can be purchased for £20.00 each				Bonus Ball	
* Age at 31st August 2009				Final Total	

## Members Contact Details

First name:		Surname:	
Home Tel:	Day Tel:	Mobile Tel:	
Address:			
Postcode:	Email Address:		
Additional family Members joining under family discount			
Name	Date of Birth (if under 18)		
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### Privacy and Data Protection Act

If you do not consent to photographs of you or any family member being used in the Club's newsletter, website or occasional local advertising, please tick this box

All personal details submitted on this form will be held by the Club only for the purposes of administering the Club and shall not be disclosed to any third party without the consent of the Member(s) concerned.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

## General Membership Information

Chobham and District Lawn Tennis Club has three tarmac courts, all of which are floodlit, and a club pavilion that are sited in the corner of Chobham Recreation Ground (opposite the Village Hall).

The Club caters for approximately 100 Senior Playing Members and 70 Junior Members ranging in ability from Junior and Senior beginners through to a large number of seasoned League Tennis veterans. Adult teams are entered in the Woking League.

### Membership Options

Full membership is offered to those over the age of 16 who can demonstrate that they meet the playing in standard. This entitles a member to play in any of the mix-in sessions, enter the club knockout tournaments and be eligible for selection to play in the Woking League matches.

Off-Peak membership is offered to those who are not yet ready to "play in" or who wish to play only during the week and not at weekends. These members are not eligible to enter the club knockout tournaments or to play in the Woking League matches.

Junior membership is available for players between the ages of 7 and 18yrs. Junior members are encouraged to attend the various coaching groups run throughout the year, and they can also play in the court time on Saturday and Sunday morning and Thursday evening after school.

New juniors are welcome at any time. They require only tennis shoes and ideally a tennis racket (though rackets can be loaned at first). Tennis clothing is preferred but not required. Balls are provided but must be returned to the box on the court after use and collected when they go outside the courts.

For the younger children Mini Tennis is offered. Red Mini Tennis is offered to children aged 5 - 7yrs. The children play with a smaller net, small rackets and foam balls. These children do not need to join the Tennis Club but pay for the coaching sessions each half term.

Orange Mini Tennis is the next stage for the U10 age group, where a  $\frac{3}{4}$  sized court, marked out with yellow and blue strips and soft (not foam) balls are used. Any juniors in the Red Mini tennis group who play outside in the Mini Tennis session on a Saturday must pay the membership fee for the juniors 7 – 10yrs.

Complimentary Non Playing Membership for a parent or Guardian is provided with each junior membership, although parents/guardians are strongly recommended to take out playing membership so that they can assist their children in the development of their tennis.

There are discounts for family membership subscription and details of this can be found on the application form and on the Club's website.

Admission to Full Membership: Juniors with an LTA rating of 9.2 or above may ask to be considered for Full U21 Membership. This incurs no extra cost for the current year.

### Guests

Members may bring guests to the Club on payment of a small fee. The name of the Guest and of the Member introducing them should be entered on the guest list on the notice board. The fee should be paid to a Committee Member as soon as possible. Guests may play in Club Sessions at the discretion of the Committee.

### Court Access

The Club has exclusive use of the courts from 8.00 am to 10.00 pm each day except Monday and Wednesday mornings and 8.00 am to 10.00 am on Sunday mornings. The courts may be accessed using a combination padlock. All members are issued with the combination number.

The courts are reserved in advance for club social tennis sessions, American tournaments, senior/junior matches (usually two courts), and senior/junior coaching sessions. At all other times they may be booked for privately arranged play with other club members. The booking sheets are on the notice board in the pavilion.

Floodlights are always available until 10.00 pm when they must go off. They may be used free of charge for Club sessions (Tuesday and Thursday evenings) and Matches. At other times Members (senior/junior) may purchase tokens to operate the floodlights. One token costs £1 and lasts for 45 mins.

### Pavilion Access

The pavilion has a large club-room, a small kitchen area and also toilet and changing facilities. It is locked with two combination padlocks, the numbers of which are given to Full, Off Peak and Non-Playing members. Junior members are not allowed in the pavilion unless accompanied by an adult member.

All Full and Off Peak members are expected to assist with cleaning the pavilion and routine maintenance, including tidying of the surrounding area and sweeping the courts. In order to prevent damage, members are asked to refrain from brushing snow off the courts and from pulling up any weeds.

A duty rota is posted in the pavilion and distributed to all members either by post or email.

### Dress Code

Club rules state that players must observe a "predominately white" dress code. Members are asked not only to comply with the literal interpretation of the words but also to recognise the intent that they dress appropriately for tennis rather than for jogging, training or football. The dress code does not apply to junior members.

### Tennis Balls

Tennis balls are provided for League Matches and Senior Club sessions. Ex-match balls are used for Junior Club Sessions. Members must use their own tennis balls for knockout matches and their own arranged games.

Tins of the type being used in matches and Club sessions are available for members to buy at the Club's discounted rate.

### Coaching

The Club's Coach can provide individual and group coaching for adults and juniors.

A complete copy of the Club's Membership Rules, General Membership information and Membership Application Forms can be found in the pavilion or on the Club's website:- [www.chobhamtennis.org.uk](http://www.chobhamtennis.org.uk)