

COVID-19

Tennis/Pickleball Playing Guidelines

Effective 5/21/2020



Re-Opening Guidelines

Please follow the guidelines below to keep yourself, your family and anyone you encounter safe.

Failure to adhere to these guidelines may result in court closures during the Health Officer's Orders.

- **Play at your own risk.**
- **Exposure:** If sick or exposed to Covid-19, stay home.
- **Masks:** Required while waiting, but not while playing.
- **Singles play only:** Only members of the same household can play on each court. Doubles is not allowed. Group/Leagues are not permitted.
- **Sharing the courts:** Pickleball is limited to one game of singles, played to 11, or a maximum of 30 minutes and tennis is limited to a maximum of 1-hour, if other players are waiting to use the courts. If there are no other players waiting for a court, longer usage is allowed.
- **Recreational use only:** Courts are open for the limited use of exercise and enjoyment of the public. Professional lessons are not permitted at this time.
- **Waiting:** Must be done outside of the courts at 6' minimum intervals marked along the fence. As 2 people leave the courts, 2 may enter.
- **Chairs:** You may bring your own folding chairs and place them at a minimum of 6' apart while waiting in line to play. Do not share chairs or other equipment.
- **Finishing a game:** Both players need to exit the court when a game is finished.
- **Exiting the facility:** When exiting the facility for the parking lot, walk on the side opposite people waiting in order to maintain social distancing.
- **Touching:** Do not touch rackets/paddles, bump elbows, or touch another person.
- **Congregating:** No organized or spontaneous social gatherings of any kind in or around the courts and surrounding area.

Sanitation and Safety Recommendations

- Bring your own hand sanitizer and disinfect your hands before and after each game or as frequently as needed.
- Write your name on your ball with a sharpie. Only pick up, touch and serve with your own ball. If a ball from another court comes to you, send it back with a kick or racquet.
- Avoid touching multi-touch surfaces like gates, fences, and benches. Do not touch your face.
- If you need to cough or sneeze, do so into a handkerchief, tissue or your elbow.
- Be responsible for your own safety and the safety of those around you.

To report violations of the Health Officer's Orders, call the Santa Rosa Police Department (SRPD)

Non-emergency number at 707-528-5222 or email srpdinfo@srcity.org

THANK YOU FOR YOUR COOPERATION!