

Histon Tennis Club 2021-2022 Membership

Due to the Covid-19 crisis membership fees are again reduced for the coming season, membership fees are **£30.00 per Adult, £20.00 for full time students, £15.00 per Junior or £75.00 for a Family Membership.** Family membership covers two adults living at the same address plus children living with them. **£45 for Single Parent Family membership**, one adult and children living at the same address. The children must be, on 01.05.2021, under 17 or under 19 if in full time education. Children older than that count as Adults or Students.

Covid-19 Playing restrictions

You must familiarise yourself with the LTA guidance document that can be found below or through the link on the front page of the Histon Tennis website.

<https://www.lta.org.uk/globalassets/news/2020/lta-guidance-for-tennis-players---covid-19.pdf>

<http://www.histontennisclub.co.uk/>

Booking

First please renew membership your by 30th April. Use of the courts is by online booking **only** using the LTA Club Spark booking system.

<https://clubspark.lta.org.uk/HistonTennisClub/>

You **MUST** first sign up to be a registered user on ClubSpark, this is free and easy to join it needs a name, phone number, email address, dob. Signup is instantaneous. Please follow the link below.

<https://clubspark.lta.org.uk/Account/SignUp?source=ch>

Each household will be permitted to book one hour per day and up to 7 days in advance. Times to be agreed with PC. Some slots may be block booked out for use by our club coach, for club sessions or for matches.

If you have difficulties with the booking system (ie signing up or booking or cancelling a) please contact Nick Armitage on 07941 124349.

Please vacate the court promptly in time for the next players to start.

Balls and Shoe tags

Steve Hopkins will provide shoe tags when members re-join or new members join (each new family membership or new single adult membership will qualify for a tube of balls.) Steve can be contacted via histontennisclub@gmail.com. There will be no communal balls available except for club sessions.

Courts

The grass courts will open on Wed 21 April for exclusive use of the tennis club. They can be booked from 1pm Mon-Fri and 11am at weekends (always weather dependent- the groundsman decides). We will also have use of the hard court and MUGA as per the booking grid. It is likely that the external gate to the

MUGA gate will be locked (meaning there is only access to the MUGA from the hard court), please be courteous to one another and comply with social distancing requirements. Codes for the grass court locks and the hard court key box will be advised by email.

General

Below is an Application Form, to renew existing membership or to apply for new memberships. Please renew your membership by 30th April if you wish to continue playing from 1st May. **New members must also complete the HTC Participant Declaration Form.** There is a request on the Application Form for dates of birth for under 19's. Please complete this, as it will help us in organising junior sessions and teams, and also helps us with the LTA annual return.

David Nation runs our junior coaching. He is happy to coach individual adult members (or small groups once current restrictions are lifted). Please contact him directly on 07974 455735 or davidnation@hotmail.co.uk or see his website: www.tennisnation.co.uk.

Please wear your shoe tag, issued once your subscription is paid, when you play on the courts because if you cannot prove membership and depending on the rules in force, you may be asked to leave or you will be asked to pay a public hire fee.

The Club welcomes members of all standards – whether you're a beginner or a more accomplished player you'll be most welcome at Histon Tennis Club. If you'd like to find out more about the club do ring Jim Wocha (Chair) on 01223 237655 or email histontennisclub@gmail.com.

- 1 On court ALL players should wear proper tennis sports clothing plus tennis shoes.
- 2 The nets will be set up by the groundsman and should not be adjusted.
- 3 The groundsman will put boards up when the grass courts are wet or otherwise unplayable, his decision is final.
- 4 Please obey the prevailing restrictions on use of the club room (one person at a time until 18th May), pavilion toilets (out of use) and public toilets (open from 29th March)- this may change.

British Tennis Membership (BTM)

Histon Tennis Club supports the LTA British Tennis Membership Scheme, which at present is free to all members of Affiliated Tennis Clubs. You can join at www2.lta.org.uk/Membership/Join

We will only use your email address for club communications.

Histon Tennis Club – 2021/22 Membership Application

To renew your membership for the period 1st May 2021 to 30th April 2022 (or to apply for new membership) please complete this form by 30th April and send/deliver it to:

Steve Hopkins, 93 Narrow Lane, HISTON, Cambridge CB24 9YP

When posting please enclose:

Your Payment £30.00 for each Senior Member
 £20.00 for Students aged 19 to 23 in full time Education
 £15.00 for each Junior Member (u17 or u19 if in Full Time Education)
 OR
 £75.00 for Family Membership (see page 1 of the membership details)
 £ 45.00 for Single parent family (see page 1)

- Cash or cheques, cheques should be made payable to **Histon Tennis Club**
- **On-line payment can be made to-**

Sort code 20 17 55 Account number 40338346, and

You must quote Reference 6055578810 (and nothing else please)

If you pay on-line please send Steve Hopkins an email at histontennisclub@gmail.com to say how much you've paid and the names of the members it covers

If you wish Steve to post your shoe tag he needs a stamped addressed envelope. A Shoe Tag is your membership card and should be worn when playing at the Club. Without proof of membership you will not be permitted to play at present.

NB Please inform us if you change your e-mail address at any time so that we can keep our database up-to-date. Thank you.

I / We wish to join/rejoin* Histon Tennis Club for 2021/22 (* delete as applicable)			
Name(s)	Date of Birth (U19's only)	Address	
		Tel. No.	
e-mail address:			
Total Enclosed: £.....		Seniors:	Juniors:
		Students:	Family:

All new members must complete and return this form to Steve Hopkins as above

Histon Tennis Club - Participant Declaration

One form per family

Participant First Names:	Participant Surnames:	Participant DoB if under 18:

I agree to the following conditions for play:

1. You must familiarise yourself with, and play within the current COVID secure regulations. See the link on the website: histontennisclub.co.uk
2. You cannot play unless you have booked a court in advance using the Club's on-line booking system, until the restart of club nights and tournaments.
3. If you cannot keep a booked session, please cancel to allow other members to use the court time.
4. Take your own tennis balls that should be clearly marked with your own initials.
5. Where possible avoid touching court gates, fences and net posts
6. If you do need to touch anything, please clean and wipe down the surfaces and your hands with your own sanitiser.
7. Whilst social distancing restrictions apply; do not make physical contact with other players; stay at least 2 metres away from each other whilst playing and at the change of ends; allow others to leave before you enter the court and leave five minutes before the end of your session; do not congregate after playing; no social activity or gathering can take place.
8. Whilst the Club room, toilets and changing rooms remain closed please note that there will be no access to first aid or water. Bring your own water bottle.
9. If any member of your household has symptoms of Coronavirus (however mild) you must not use the facility – observe government guidance
10. Any member aged under the age of 18 must have this signed by a responsible adult
11. Histon Tennis Club is not responsible for any transmission of the virus perceived to have taken place at the Recreation Ground.

Signed and accepted by (all participants aged 18 and over must sign):
