

Tennis Classes, Leagues, etc.

GENERAL INFORMATION

Our programs emphasize fun, fitness and friendship! All tennis programs provide a wide variety of instruction, including stroke development, strategy, court positioning, shot selection, footwork and supervised match play. We're looking forward to a great fall season with our tennis vendor, E-Town Tennis! All youth and adult classes will be taught by top area tennis professionals.

For information about program content and levels of play, please call E-Town Tennis at 847/498-1360. For questions regarding registration and fees, please call Ray Doerner at the Chandler-Newberger Community Center 847/448-8682.

PRORATING AND MAKE-UP POLICY

Tennis classes will not be prorated. Missed classes may be made up by attending an equivalent level class within the same session, but instructor must be notified in advance by calling E-Town Tennis at 847/498-1360. Participants who can not complete a class due to injury or health reasons may receive a prorated refund with a doctor's note.

RAIN POLICY

To find out if your class has been cancelled due to rain, please call the tennis rain hotline at 847/866-8543. If the message is from a previous date and it is one hour or less before your class, then your class has not been cancelled. We will always update the hotline at least one hour before the start of a class if it has been cancelled – UNLESS there is sudden bad weather and it occurs less than one hour before your class. In that event, we'll update it the minute we make a decision.

IMPORTANT! All weekday rain-outs will be made up the Friday after the rain-out at the same time and location of your normal class. If you cannot attend the Friday rain make-up, you may attend an equivalent level class within the same session, but the instructor must be notified in advance by calling E-Town Tennis at 847/498-1360.

For all weekend rain-outs, you will need to attend an equivalent level class on another day within the same session as a make-up. In advance of attending a make-up class, please contact E-Town Tennis at 847/498-1360 to find out which classes are available. If you are unable to attend a make-up class within the session, you will be given a credit for the missed class or classes, which can be used towards the registration fees for the next tennis session.

FREE FRIDAY NIGHT TENNIS LESSONS

Come learn to play tennis! It's a sport you can play all your life; you don't need a lot of equipment and playing in the park is free! This is the fourth year we have offered this free, popular program for Evanston residents. Registration is limited to one hour per evening, but you are welcome to register for both Fridays! Tennis racquets and balls are provided during class for those in need of equipment. Space is limited; please sign up right away. Questions? Please call Ray Doerner at 847/448-8682.

Location: James Park, Oakton St. west of Dodge Ave.
 Fee: **Free** to Evanston residents
 Age Level: Ages 5 years and older

Class #	Dates	Day	Time
632702G9	Aug 21	F	5-6pm
632702H9	Aug 21	F	6-7pm
632702J9	Aug 21	F	7-8pm
632702K9	Aug 28	F	5-6pm
632702L9	Aug 28	F	6-7pm
632702M9	Aug 28	F	7-8pm

WINTER MIDDLE SCHOOL INDOOR TENNIS LEAGUE

This winter boys and girls in Evanston's public and private schools can play and learn the game of tennis, which is a sport that can be enjoyed for a lifetime! Teams will receive instruction and then play matches on Saturday afternoons at the ETHS Fieldhouse. Players at all skill levels are welcome and will play on teams with their classmates. The emphasis will be on skill development, teamwork, and fun!

The league will run for 10 weeks and racquets will be provided for those who don't have one. Registration deadline: Nov 1. No program Nov. 28 and Dec. 19-Jan. 2. For more info., call Ray Doerner at 847/448-8682.

Age Level: Boys and girls in grades 6-8
 Days/Dates/Time: Saturdays, Nov. 7 – Feb. 6, 4-6pm
 Location: ETHS Fieldhouse, 1600 Dodge Ave.

Fee: \$30 per player

Class #	School
632732A9	Haven
632732B9	Roycemore
632732C9	St. Athanasius
632732D9	Baker Demonstration
632732E9	Nichols
632732F9	Pope John XXIII
632732G9	King Lab
632732H9	Bessie Rhodes
632732J9	Chute
632732K9	Chiaravalle



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YOUTH TENNIS CLASS LEVELS

Pee Wee I (3-5 years)

This special program focuses on the fun and fundamentals of tennis. Our program helps children learn gross and fine motor skills, along with tennis skills. Parents are asked to stay for the entire class so they can learn the necessary fundamental exercises and skills, which will help guide their children towards tennis success.

Pee Wee II (NTRP 1.0 and ages 5-7)

This is a fun introduction to different aspects of tennis skills, along with the necessary motor skills. Kids will play tennis-related games to help teach the different tennis skills, including areas of the court, racquet control, ground strokes and volleys. Parents are encouraged to stay for the entire class.

Beginner (NTRP 1.0-1.9)

Ideal for ages 7+ just taking up tennis. Instruction includes eye-hand coordination, racquet skills, stroke production with emphasis on ground strokes, serve, return and volleys. Court position, scoring and singles and doubles strategy are introduced.

Advanced Beginner (NTRP 2.0-2.4)

You've had basic instruction but need further review of fundamentals. Stroke development, footwork, strategy and match play is included.

Intermediate I (NTRP 2.5-2.9)

You've developed more dependable strokes, but still work to keep the ball in play with others at the same ability level. You need to develop court coverage and judgment of ball speed and direction. Classes include stroke development, cooperative consistency drills, footwork, strategy, play action drills and match play.



Tennis (continued)

2009 FALL OUTDOOR YOUTH TENNIS CLASSES

This program is designed to give youth a solid foundation to maximize tennis improvement and enjoyment. All youth classes will be taught by top area tennis professionals. No program on Sept. 28.

Instructors: E-Town Tennis

Location and Age Level: Varies, see below

Fee, 1-hour classes: \$65 R/\$74 NR Fee, 90-minute classes: \$98 R/\$112 NR Length: 6 weeks

Registration deadline: September 9. If we don't have enough registrants by this date the program will be cancelled. We will continue to accept registrations after this date IF the program had enough registrants as of the deadline.

Class #	Dates	Days	Time	Level	Age	Site
632743A9	Sept 14-Oct 26	M	4-5pm	Pee Wee I	3-5	Leahy
632743B9	Sept 14-Oct 26	M	5-6pm	Beginner	7-10	Leahy
632743R9	Sept 15-Oct 20	Tu	4-5pm	Pee Wee II	5-7	Foster
632743S9	Sept 15-Oct 20	Tu	5-6pm	Beginner	7+	Foster
632743C9	Sept 16-Oct 21	W	4-5pm	Pee Wee II	5-7	Leahy
632743D9	Sept 16-Oct 21	W	5-6pm	Adv. Beg.	7+	Leahy
632743E9	Sept 17-Oct 22	Th	4-5pm	Beginner	7+	Crown
632743F9	Sept 17-Oct 22	Th	5-6pm	Adv. Beg.-Int. 1	7+	Crown
632743G9	Sept 19-Oct 24	Sa	10-11am	Pee Wee I	3-5	James
632743H9	Sept 19-Oct 24	Sa	11am-Noon	Pee Wee II	5-7	James
632743J9	Sept 19-Oct 24	Sa	Noon-1pm	Beginner	7-10	James
632743K9	Sept 19-Oct 24	Sa	1-2:30pm	Int. 1	7+	James
632743M9	Sept 20-Oct 25	Su	12-1pm	Pee Wee II	5-7	Lovelace
632743N9	Sept 20-Oct 25	Su	1-2pm	Pee Wee I	3-5	Lovelace
632743P9	Sept 20-Oct 25	Su	2-3:30pm	Adv. Beg.-Int. 1	7+	Lovelace

2009 FALL OUTDOOR ADULT TENNIS CLASSES

These classes have been designed to meet the needs of tennis players of all levels! Players develop a solid foundation, which helps speed improvement and increase enjoyment of the sport. They provide the right balance of a variety of instruction including stroke development, strategy, court positioning, shot selection, footwork, and supervised match play so that players of every level are benefiting from and enjoying the program. We emphasize fun, fitness, and friendship. No program on Sept. 28.

Instructors: E-Town Tennis Location: Varies, see below

Age Level: 15 yrs. and older Fee \$98 R / \$112 NR Length: 6 weeks

Registration deadline: September 9. If we don't have enough registrants by this date the program will be cancelled. We will continue to accept registrations after this date IF the program had enough registrants as of the deadline.

Class #	Dates	Days	Time	Level	Site
633701A9	Sept 14-Oct 26	M	6-7:30pm	Beginner	Leahy
633701B9	Sept 14-Oct 26	M	7:30-9pm	Adv. Beg.	Leahy
633701P9	Sept 15-Oct 20	Tu	6-7:30pm	Beginner	Foster
633701C9	Sept 16-Oct 21	W	6-7:30pm	Int. 1-2	Leahy
633701D9	Sept 16-Oct 21	W	7:30-9pm	Int. 3-4	Leahy
633701E9	Sept 17-Oct 22	Th	6-7:30pm	Beginner	Crown
633701F9	Sept 17-Oct 22	Th	7:30-9pm	Int. 4-Adv.	Crown
633701G9	Sept 19-Oct 24	Sa	9-10:30am	Beginner	James
633701H9	Sept 19-Oct 24	Sa	10:30am-Noon	Adv. Beg.	James
633701J9	Sept 19-Oct 24	Sa	Noon-1:30pm	Int. 2-3	James
633701K9	Sept 20-Oct 25	Su	Noon-1:30pm	Adv. Beg.-Int. 1	Lovelace
633701M9	Sept 20-Oct 25	Su	1:30-3pm	Int. 1-2	Lovelace
633701N9	Sept 20-Oct 25	Su	3-4:30pm	Int. 2-3	Lovelace

Park locations for tennis lessons:

James Park is located on Oakton St. west of Dodge Ave.
Leahy Park is located on Lincoln St. just west of Ridge Ave.
Robert Crown Park is located on Dodge Ave. at Lee St.
Lovelace Park is located on Gross Point Rd. at Thayer St.
Foster Park is located at Foster St. at Ashland Ave.

OUTDOOR AND INDOOR PRIVATE & SEMI-PRIVATE TENNIS LESSONS (AGE 5+)

Private and semi-private tennis instruction is the ultimate way to improve your tennis skills and speed your progress in tennis. We will help you find the proper instructor to meet your individual needs and goals. Private lesson fees include court time (indoor or outdoor) and are well below the cost of similar lessons at private clubs and resorts. Indoor private lessons are available on a very limited basis. Sign up early to reserve your space in this program. 847/448-8682. NOTE: Students who cancel lessons less than 24 hours in advance will not be rescheduled or reimbursed.

Instructor: Will be matched to player's specific needs and requests

Age Level: 5 yrs. and older Skill Level: All

Location: Evanston Township High School Fieldhouse, 1600 Dodge Ave. or various outdoor courts

Private Lesson with Staff Professional

Length	Class #	Outdoor fee
1 hour	632747A9	\$61 R/\$68 NR
5-hour package	632747B9	\$275 R/\$310 NR

Length	Class #	Indoor fee
1 hour	633704A9	\$69 R/\$77 NR
5-hour package	633704B9	\$315 R/\$349 NR

Semi-Private Instruction

Groups range from 2 to 4 people. One person registers and supplies names and addresses of those in the group. Full group fee is due at registration. At least half of the group members must be Evanston residents to receive the resident rate. Note: fee listed is total for group.

People	Length	Class #	Outdoor fee
2	1 hour	632748A9	\$66 R/\$73 NR
2	5-hour package	632748B9	\$300 R/\$335 NR
3	1 hour	632748C9	\$71 R/\$78 NR
3	5-hour package	632748D9	\$325 R/\$360 NR
4	1 hour	632748E9	\$76 R/\$83 NR
4	5-hour package	632748F9	\$350 R/\$385 NR

People	Length	Class #	Indoor fee
2	1 hour	633705A9	\$74 R/\$82 NR
2	5-hour package	633705B9	\$340 R/\$380 NR
3	1 hour	633705C9	\$79 R/\$88 NR
3	5-hour package	633705D9	\$365 R/\$410 NR
4	1 hour	633705E9	\$84 R/\$93 NR
4	5-hour package	633705F9	\$390 R/\$435 NR



ADULT TENNIS CLASS LEVELS

Adult Beginner (NTRP 1.0-1.9)

You have no (or limited) tennis experience and are still working on getting the ball over the net. You may be familiar with scoring, but not with basic positions and procedures of singles and doubles play. Instruction includes stroke production, basic court position and singles and doubles strategy.

Adult Advanced Beginner (NTRP 2.0-2.5)

You have had some lessons but need on-court experience. You have obvious stroke weaknesses, but are beginning to feel comfortable with singles and doubles play. Classes include stroke development, footwork, court position, strategy and match play.

Adult Intermediate I (NTRP 2.6-3.0)

You have more dependable strokes, but can't judge where the ball is going, have weak court coverage and are still working to keep the ball in play with others of the same ability level. Classes include stroke development, footwork, court position, strategy, cooperative consistency drills and match play.

Adult Intermediate II (NTRP 3.1-3.5)

You can place shots with moderate success and can sustain a rally of slow pace, but are not comfortable with all strokes and lack consistency in serving. Classes include advanced stroke development, footwork, court position, strategy, consistency drills, competitive play action drills and match play.

Adult Intermediate III (NTRP 3.6-4.0)

You still lack stroke dependability, depth and variety, but have improved ability to direct shots away from opponent. You rarely double fault, but do not force errors on the serve. You hit forehand and backhand volleys with consistency if ball is within reach. Classes include advanced stroke development, cooperative and competitive play action drills and match play.

Adult Intermediate IV (NTRP 4.1-4.5)

You have more dependable strokes on both forehand and backhand sides, have the ability to use a variety of shots including lobs, overheads and volleys, can place the first serve and force some errors. You are rarely out of place in a doubles game. Class emphasis is on approach shots, footwork, shot selection and the transition game through play action drills and controlled match play.

Adult Advanced (NTRP 4.6 and above)

You can overcome some stroke deficiencies with either outstanding shots or exceptional consistency. You can hit the first serve with power and hit with placement the second serve. You can approach the net at opportune times to force an error with some success and can hit drop shots, half volleys and overhead smashes with above average success.

INDOOR TENNIS LESSONS AT ETHS

Want to continue playing tennis during the winter months and don't want to pay a membership fee to a club? Join our indoor tennis programs at the ETHS Fieldhouse! The programs provide a wide variety of instruction, including stroke development, strategy, court positioning, shot selection, footwork and supervised match play. No program Nov. 25-29.

Please refer to the class descriptions on page 37 and this page to select the appropriate class level, or for more information about the tennis program, please call E-Town Tennis at 847/498-1360. Space is limited; sign up now! Call 847/448-8252 to register by phone or online through our AERO system at www.cityofevanston.org.

Session I – Youth (age 3-14 years)

Instructors: E-Town Tennis

Location: Evanston Township High School Fieldhouse, 1600 Dodge Ave.

Fee, one-hour classes: \$77 R/\$88 NR Fee, 90-minute classes: \$116 R/\$133 NR

Length: 6 weeks

Registration deadline: October 28. If we don't have enough registrants by this date the program will be cancelled. We will continue to accept registrations after this date IF the program had enough registrants as of the deadline.

Class #	Date	Day	Time	Level	Age
632749A9	Nov 1-Dec 13	Su	11am-Noon	Pee Wee I	3-5
632749B9	Nov 1-Dec 13	Su	Noon-1pm	Pee Wee II	5-7
632749C9	Nov 1-Dec 13	Su	1-2pm	Beginner	7-10
632749D9	Nov 1-Dec 13	Su	2-3pm	Adv. Beg.-Int. 1	7+
632749E9	Nov 1-Dec 13	Su	3-4pm	Beginner	7+
632749F9	Nov 1-Dec 13	Su	4-5:30pm	Int. 1-2	7+
632749G9	Nov 1-Dec 13	Su	4-5:30pm	Int. 2-3	7+
632749H9	Nov 4-Dec 16	W	6:30-7:30pm	Beginner	7+
632749J9	Nov 4-Dec 16	W	7:30-8:30pm	Adv. Beg.	7+

Session I – Adult (age 15 and older)

Instructors: E-Town Tennis

Location: Evanston Township High School Fieldhouse, 1600 Dodge Ave.

Fee/length, Sunday, Wednesday, & Thursday classes: \$116 R/\$133 NR; 6 weeks

Fee/length, Monday classes: \$134 R/\$152 NR; 7 weeks

No program Nov. 25-29.

Registration deadline: October 28. If we don't have enough registrants by this date the program will be cancelled. We will continue to accept registrations after this date IF the program had enough registrants as of the deadline.

Class #	Date	Day	Time	Level
633703A9	Nov 1-Dec 13	Su	1:30-3pm	Beginner
633703B9	Nov 1-Dec 13	Su	3-4:30pm	Adv. Beg.-Int. 1
633703C9	Nov 1-Dec 13	Su	4:30-6pm	Int. 2-3
633703D9	Nov 1-Dec 13	Su	4:30-6pm	Int. 4-Adv.
633703E9	Nov 2-Dec 14	M	8-9:30pm	Beginner
633703F9	Nov 2-Dec 14	M	8-9:30pm	Adv. Beg.
633703G9	Nov 4-Dec 16	W	6:30-8pm	Beginner
633703H9	Nov 4-Dec 16	W	8-9:30pm	Int. 1-2
633703J9	Nov 4-Dec 16	W	8-9:30pm	Int. 3-4
633703K9	Nov 5-Dec 17	Th	8-9:30pm	Adv. Beg.-Int. 1
633703M9	Nov 5-Dec 17	Th	8-9:30pm	Int. 2-3