

MILTON TENNIS CLUB
WELCOME TO THE 2020
SUMMER SEASON
JULY EDITION

INTRODUCTION

Hello all! If we haven't already, we would like to take this opportunity to formally welcome all members, new and veterans to the 2020 Summer season in Milton. We've made some changes, as some of you have seen when playing at the club but we hope this newsletter will bring you up to speed. This will be our first of three newsletters for this season. We welcome all feedback and suggestions any of you may have.

CLUB NEWS and UPDATES

All of our original programs with the exception of intercountry and inter club league play are running this year. This includes Junior programs; Mini Tennis, Smashing Aces and High School Team. Coach Brandon and Coach Jay have also been running the U12 - U14 Competitive Camp. These junior sessions are running during the day and in the late afternoon for 1 hour each. Our Adult ladder and Doubles Round Robin as well as Clinic's are in full swing. The Adult House League will begin running the week of July 13th. We hope to see as many of you on the court and hitting as we can. Our lovely club has also received Site Approval from OTA which will allow us to host OTA Sanctioned Tournaments for this Summer Season as well.

*Please note that for all program offering this year, all participants must be members. *



- ALWAYS CHECK-IN WITH SUPERVISOR BEFORE HEADING TO COURT!
- Please refrain from touching net, net posts and trash cans
- Each player handles their own tennis balls, passing balls with foot or racquet only. Bring your own marked balls and refrain from touching other player's tennis balls and equipment
- Keep physical distancing at all times
- Leave gates slightly open
- All Players and Guests must sanitize hands before being cleared onto Court
- Washrooms open for emergency only

KIND REMINDERS

We would like to kindly remind members to cancel their bookings ahead of time. If within 24 hours, please contact the club or email to let us know of your cancellation to open up bookings for other members. Due to restrictions and protocols, spectating is not permitted within gated area.

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STAFF BIOS



Anisha – COURT MONITOR

Hi my name is Anisha, and this is my first season here at Milton Tennis Club. I spent many years in the aquatic world, first as a competitive swimmer and currently as a lifeguard/swim instructor and a competitive coach. I also tutor young children, and I enjoy spending my time reading, hiking with my dog, and watching the sunrise! In September I will be attending the University of Ottawa for Political Science and Public Administration and have hopes of being able to work in the Nonprofit sector in the future. A fun fact about myself is that my birthday is on April Fool's day. I look forward to meeting everyone soon and spending my summer with you!



Rachel - COURT MONITOR

Hi my name is Rachel. Im currently studying kinesiology at the University of Waterloo. Some hobbies of mine is to spend some time outdoors doing activities such as hiking and venturing around with friends, as well as playing sports such as volleyball and swimming. I also travel a lot and I love dogs. In the future, I aspire to become a chiropractor or a doctor of physiology in neuroscience.



McKenzie - COURT MONITOR

Hi my name is Mckenzie and I will be working as a court monitor for the 2020 summer season. I have just graduated from Milton District High School and I will be attending Confederation College for Aviation. I aspire to be a pilot working in the commercial aviation industry. I previously was a lifeguard and worked for the city of Burlington as an instructor. As well I work for stables and feed around 40 horses every night. I was a competitive springboard diver for 7 years and I am now a qualified coach. I enjoy travelling and finding new adventures. I hope to gain lots of experiences through new cultures and other ways of life while travelling. Although I am not familiar with the sport of tennis I look forward to learning more about it and learning about everyone that plays here at the **Milton Tennis Club!**



Zach - COURT MONITOR

Hi, my name is Zach. I am going into my second year at the University of Waterloo for Health Studies. For the next few years I will be completing my degree and then hopefully going to medical school or pursuing a masters in public health. Sports have always been a big part of my life as I have played soccer and tennis since a young age. I've been a member at MTC for many years and have always enjoyed playing at the club and meeting all the friendly members!



Oubaida – Club Manager Tournament Director

Hello all! My name is Oubaida Ikharbine. I am your Club Manager. A little bit about me, I started playing Tennis at the age 4, played competitively until 13, and have been playing recreationally ever since. In recent years, I have been involved in the logistical and operational aspects of the sport and event planning. For the past couple years, I've moved my way up in becoming one of the youngest Tournament Directors, responsible for organizing and executing tournament play for everything from Rookie, Future Stars, **Transition, Provincial Circuit, Provincial and National** Selections, National and Open level events and ITF Junior events. I've also been involved as an official for Tennis Canada and the OTA and I hope to make a small career out of this whilst I enter my final year at the University of Waterloo. I also carry a TPA instructor rating so you'll often times see me helping the junior pros when needed. I am a licensed pilot and hope to one day truly kick off my career once again during more favourable times. Some of my other hobbies and interest are in soccer, almost all things aviation, tourism and geopolitics. I hope to see you all on the court this season, playing lots of tennis and having lots of fun!