

SWAY TENNIS CLUB – ADULT/STUDENT Membership Application/Renewal Form 2017/2018

SUBSCRIPTIONS are due by April 1st. Note that if you pay your subscription by 7th April you will qualify for a £5 discount for Single Adult AND Student membership and a £10 discount for Family membership.

MEMBERSHIP CATEGORIES AND FEES (Pre-7th April payments are in brackets)

PLEASE CIRCLE CHOSEN CATEGORY: FAMILY **£299** (£289) SINGLE ADULT **£132** (£127)

STUDENT (aged 16 and under 21) **£52** (£47) NON-PLAYING SUPPORTER **£10**

SURNAME	FIRST NAME	AGE (if under 21)
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ADDRESS _____

POSTCODE _____ LANDLINE NO. _____ MOBILE _____

EMAIL (Please print clearly) _____

OPTIONS

1) PLEASE Provide me with (circle as required) : COURT KEY **£6** CLUBHOUSE KEY FOB **£5+£15** deposit

Note: Entries for the Club's annual tournament will be managed separately from the membership form this year. Instructions for entering will be circulated early in the new season.

I WISH TO APPLY/RE-APPLY for membership of THE SWAY LAWN TENNIS CLUB and I agree to abide by the Rules and Regulations of the Club. I understand that the above data may be held on computer, and that Junior members' names and telephone numbers may be made available to other Junior members if requested, through the Club Coach or Membership Secretary. I agree that any photographs taken of me/us at club events may be used for publicity purposes (the Club will not publish names with photographs of Juniors).

Adult/student members' names, telephone numbers and e-mail addresses are occasionally circulated to other members of the club in a password-protected file. Please indicate whether you are happy to be included in these lists.

Please include my/our adult details on Club contact lists : YES/NO (*delete as appropriate)

Signature of Applicant _____ Date _____

Payment may be made 1) DIRECT to the Club's account – Sort code **30-95-32** Account No. **01294765** (please put your first initial and surname as the payment reference) or by 2) CHEQUE which should be made payable to **Sway Lawn Tennis Club**. Send all forms to Rosemary Davies, Membership Secretary, "Short Acres", Tiptoe Road, Wootton, Hampshire BH25 5SJ Tel: 01425 616622.

I have paid _____ directly to the bank **OR** I enclose a cheque for _____ (delete as applicable)

NOTES TO THE MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION / RENEWAL FORM

WIMBLEDON TICKET BALLOT

- The draw, payment and distribution of tickets is now administered by the LTA. Tickets are distributed in pairs and can be anything from £80 to £180 per pair.
- Adults and Juniors (aged 9 and over) may opt-in to the ballot, provided they have British Tennis Membership. The deadline for opting in to the ballot for 2017 was 14th February 2017.
- The Club's allocation of tickets will be announced by the LTA in late-March and the draw will take place automatically shortly thereafter.

KEYS

- **Rosemary Davies, Membership Secretary, supplies the keys 01425 616622**
- A court key costs £6. This is the cost to the Club when purchasing one – the £6 is refundable when the key is returned.
- A key "fob" is required to enter the Jubilee Field Pavilion. It costs £5 plus a deposit of £15 – this is due to the high cost of replacement when a fob is lost.

FLOODLIGHTS

- **Andy Mayo, Club Coach** (see below) **supplies Floodlight Cards** as does David Gibbons – **01590 682088**.
- Each card costs £2 and lasts for 35 minutes. A warning light activates 5 minutes before a card runs out. If playing for more than 35 minutes, insert all cards one after the other. Should you not do that, and the lights go out, it will take 10 minutes before they come on again, since the lamps have to cool first, prior to further illumination.

VISITORS

- If you bring a **non-member** to play you must pay **£4 for each Adult** and **£1 for each under-21** – **each time** you use the courts.
- These fees should be paid in at the Sway News Agency during business hours or deposited through the letter-box. If the latter, write your name and that of the visitor on the envelope plus the date of play.
- Members can be easily identified since they wear a shoe-tag.

COACHING

- **CLUB COACH** is Andy Mayo. For details of his comprehensive coaching programme, consult the noticeboard, www.swaytennis.com or contact him on **07795 964051**.

COURTS

- **FOOTWEAR** - Wear only tennis shoes on court – no shoes with studs or ribbed soles.
- Use Courts 2 and 3 if free. Court 1 is becoming over-used because it is closest to the gate, thereby causing uneven usage.
- During the leaf-fall season, members must "drag" the court to clear it of leaves and autumn debris.
- If you are the last player(s) on court, you must ensure that the courts are locked.
- Courts may be booked 6 days in advance, using the booking sheet displayed on the Club noticeboard.
- Club Play is Tuesday 7pm onwards, Wednesday 9am onwards and Sundays from 10.00 to 12.00.

ANNUAL CLUB TOURNAMENT

Instructions for entering the annual club tournament will be circulated early in the season. A summary of the key points is below:

- **FINALS DAY** is 2nd September 2016. You must **NOT** enter the Tournament if you are not free to play in the Final. That you consider yourself an unlikely finalist does not mean that you may enter.
- There is no entry fee.
- Doubles partners are drawn.
- Players will be given approximately 3 weeks to play each Round.
- The first player or pair named in the draw is responsible for arranging the match and 3 dates must be given to your opponent(s).
- The second player or pair named is responsible for providing four good quality tennis balls for the match.
- The winning player or pair must write up the result on the noticeboard immediately after the match.
- If possible, please write on the Draw sheet the date you are playing your match. This assists your future opponents to plan their own schedule.
- To facilitate communication, each player's telephone number will put alongside the Draw on the Club noticeboard.