

The Baseline



April 2022

Mount Pleasant Tennis Club Newsletter

Welcome to the 2022 Outdoor Tennis Season at MPTC

We are excited to get the season started. The nets are up, people are playing, and (for the most part) spring weather has arrived. We look forward to a great season.

Please read the information on this newsletter and check the website for important information and updates as the details of the 2022 season unfold.

See you on the baseline!
MPTC Board of Directors

2022 Season Opening Information

CleanUp Day - Saturday April 23rd

- Please consider join us Saturday April 23rd at 11AM to clean up the courts, set up the benches and prepare the clubhouse for the season
- The water will be turned on and member code access will be restored on this day (passcode information to follow)

Opening Day - Saturday April 30

- The clubhouse will be officially opened and staffed as of April 30th. At this time members will be able to pay in person membership fees.

Tennis Lesson Update

There are important changes to the tennis lesson structure and offering this season. Keep an eye on the MPTC website for updates and information regarding the lesson structure, pricing and booking.

Online Registration Comes to MPTC

We are excited to announce that we are moving MPTC membership registration online for the 2022 Season. Players can register online from any internet connected computer, tablet, or smartphone. The membership registration form asks for additional information that will help us better track our membership numbers and types, improve our ability to communicate with members, and provide opportunities to meet and play with new people of similar ability. Some information on the form is optional so each person can choose how much they wish to share. **ONLINE MEMBERSHIP REGISTRATION IS OPEN NOW (see link below)**

Currently membership fees cannot be paid directly through the online membership registration form.

- Please see the payment guidelines outlines on the online registration.
- Players paying by e-transfer may pay immediately. (be sure to put your name in the comment section)
- Players wishing to pay at the clubhouse can pay fees starting April 30th.

Members can see a club attendant and/or available board member for support with the online registration process.

To sign up for your 2022 MPTC membership click this:

[MPTC 2022 Membership Registration Form Link](#)

OR

scan the QR code



Go to the [Mount Pleasant Tennis Club Website](#) for more information and details

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MPTC Positions of Interest

We are looking to fill two positions at MPTC:

- 1) **Social Director** - This is volunteer position on the board of directors. The social director is responsible for organizing a variety of fun social events for MPTC members
- 2) **Custodian** - This is a paid position with the responsibility of working in the clubhouse and taking care of basic cleaning of the courts.

If you are interested in more information on either position email:
president@mountpleasanttennis.ca

MPTC Etiquette Tips

Having a common understanding of MPTC etiquette can help to reduce negative interactions by keeping everyone on the same page.

Here are some reminders to start the 2022 season:

- Wait until the rally/point is finished before entering or crossing a court
- Gates should only be opened to enter or leave the courts. (don't stand there with them open or leave them open while others get themselves ready to play)
- Don't adjust court start times part way through as a way to extend your time when others are waiting to play

A Little awareness and consideration of other can go a long way to ensuring everyone's enjoyment!

MPTC Covid-19 Policy Update

MPTC will continue to follow provincial guidelines and regulations regarding Covid-19. As of March 2022 the vaccine mandate and the passport system have ended. Masking is also no longer required. **As such there is no expectation for members to be vaccinated or masked while at MPTC.**

That being said, the pandemic has reminded us of the need to follow certain health and safety practices in order to reduce the risk of spreading a variety of viruses and illness. We would ask members to wash and/or disinfect hands regularly, cough and sneeze into your elbow, and avoid coming to MPTC if you are ill. Members are expected to follow Alberta Health guidelines and protocols should they test positive for Covid-19 at any time during the season.

We understand the choice and opinions regarding vaccination are very personal. Ultimately everyone is free to choose their personal level of comfort interacting and playing with others at the club. We would ask each member to be respectful of others at all times.

With a bit of individual diligence and consideration for others, we are hopeful that this will be a great season at MPTC. Together we can enjoy the sport we love while keeping others safe.

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