

# Craig-y-Don Community Tennis Club

## Code of Conduct

1. Please limit personal possessions brought onto court to just those needed for your tennis activity, these must not be placed where they can cause a hazard to other users.
2. Behavior likely to cause a danger to other members will not be tolerated, and will result in exclusion from the club
3. No foul language, spitting, discarding chewing gum on court or within the confines of the Tennis Club.
4. All Members should report abuse if they are witness to it, see safeguarding actions on gate notice board.
5. When entering or leaving the courts please do not walk behind or across an adjacent court if there is play in progress.
6. When a ball goes on to an adjacent court, players should wait till the ball is returned by the players on that court, or retrieve it at a break in actual play (e.g. End of the game).
7. In case of line disputes a LET should be played.
8. Club sessions and matches take precedence on all courts needed to cover participating player numbers.
9. Players/supporters to make sure they clear away any litter at the end of a set or match.
10. Please wear sports clothing not jeans, beach wear etc.
11. Suitable footwear for tennis must be worn at all times on all courts.
12. Males must wear shirts, or other suitable covering, above the waist, when on court or in public areas of the clubroom or centre.
13. No alcohol to be taken onto the courts.
14. Smoking is not allowed on court or anywhere in the clubroom or centre.
15. No animals are allowed within the courts except guide dogs.
16. Accidents must be reported to a committee member as soon as possible.
17. Players should play within the limits of any medical condition they may have. They should inform the club of any condition likely to cause a risk to themselves or others.
18. Guests of members may play three times, then would be required to join the club to continue to play.
19. New prospective members may play three times then would be expected to join the club.
20. Visiting players not resident and on holiday would pay a reasonable temporary membership fee.
21. New members joining. All Adult fees after the end of September will be pro rata of the original fee.
22. No professional coaching of any sort, paid or unpaid, by anyone other than the registered club coaches unless expressly approved by two committee members including the club Chairperson or Secretary.
23. Gate codes must not be divulged to a non-member, and any person found doing so may be suspended from the club.
24. Please use the booking system for play outside the set sessions.
25. Please follow any health and safety measures that may be in force at any time