

The Walking Clinic Adult Pennant - run by Tennis ACT

General Rules and Captains Responsibilities

1. It is the responsibility of the team captain to organise and provide a team for play each.
2. It is the responsibility of the team captain to organise and provide reserves.
3. It is the team captain's responsibility to make sure all players are financial members of a Tennis ACT affiliated tennis club.
4. Each Captain must ensure that their team is available to commence competition matches at the scheduled start time as indicated on the draw.
5. It is highly recommended that teams arrive to their scheduled venue 15 minutes prior to the scheduled start time.
6. Prior to any player's first rubber of a match they have the right to a **5 minute hit-up**.
7. Play must commence no later than 5 minutes after the scheduled start time.
8. Each captain must provide two new balls each week.
9. Night Matches- home team captain is responsible for switching on and off the lights before and after play.
10. The home team captain must make sure the courts are fit for play eg: Clay Courts must be watered and bagged, before and after games.
11. Home team must provide a result sheet.
12. It is the home team captain's responsibility to lodge a completed official result.
 - a. Results to be entered online within 48 hours of the match being completed online at <http://leagues.tennis.com.au/organisation/info/961>
 - b. If a captain has a prior arrangement with Tennis ACT, the results may be lodged by fax. This exception is to cover captains/players who do not use a computer or do not have internet access
 - c. In exceptional circumstances, notably where the online facility is not available, the results may be lodged by email.
13. Washouts – it is the home team captain's responsibility to contact the opposition captain and to lodge a result indicating the wash out.
14. If a team is going to forfeit, it is the responsibility of that team's captain to notify the opposing team well in advance of the match. The home team is responsible for entering the result indicating a forfeit.