



Tennis League Guide



Sideline Behaviour

Most kids enjoy playing tennis when they do not have spectators on the sideline behaving poorly, putting too much pressure on them or being discouraging.

Parents/guardians and spectators are expected to support players in a positive way.

- Do not threaten, intimidate, or disrupt anyone at the venue.
- Do not make rude or disrespectful comments or gestures.
- Do not coach players during a match.
- Do not behave in ways that make the game less fun, safe or comfortable for others.
- Do not get involved in line calling.
- Do not get involved in score disputes.
- Please let the players and/or the Match Supervisor/ League Assistant sort out *any* problems

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What you must not do during competitive play

The following behaviours are things you cannot do:

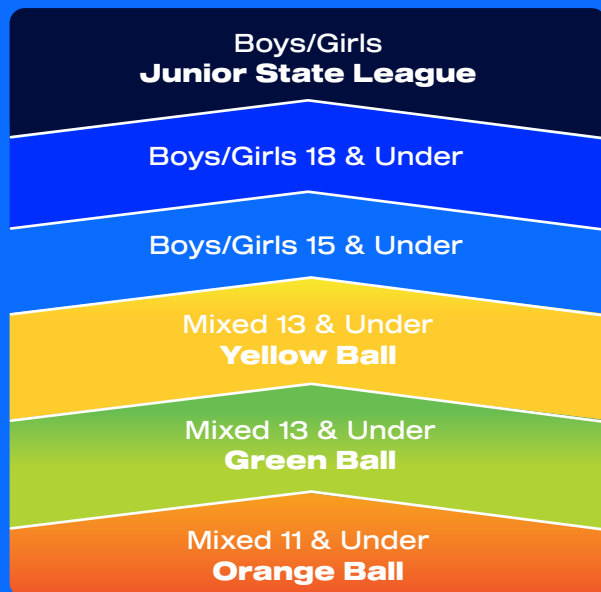
- **Audible Obscenity** – Don't use swear words or bad language.
- **Visible Obscenity** – Don't make rude or offensive gestures.
- **Ball Abuse** – Don't hit or throw balls angrily or dangerously, either on or off the court.
- **Abuse of Racquets or Equipment** – Don't smash, throw, or damage your racquet or other equipment.
- **Verbal Abuse** – Don't insult, threaten, or say mean things to anyone.
- **Physical Abuse** – Don't punch, hit, push, touch or hurt anyone on purpose.
- **Coaching** – During a match (including the warm-up), players can't receive tips or advice from anyone.
- **Time Violation/Delay of Game** – Start matches on time and keep play moving without unnecessary delays.
- **Leaving the Court** – Don't leave the court during a match unless you get permission.
- **Unsportsmanlike Conduct** – Play fairly, follow the rules, be honest with your line balls, and uphold the spirit of tennis, even when you're losing.

**Witness an
Incident that
needs Reporting?**

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Junior League Pathway



What's a Typical Day in Junior League?

- Fuel your body, bring water and sunscreen
- Arrive at the Club at least 15 minutes before scheduled match time
- Meet the Match Supervisor/ League Assistant
- Warm up and play your match, stay hydrated
- Record your scores on the scoresheet
- Join in after match refreshments if offered
- Say goodbye to opponents before leaving

Questions?

Talk to your



Club
Coach



Club
Captain



League
Coordinator



Create your own Competitive Player Profile

To play Tennis League, everyone needs to create their Tennis Profile.

Find out how
to create your
own profile now

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WA Tennis League Rules

The rules Rules and Regulations of Tennis League in WA which covers player behaviour, roles and responsibilities, and rules for non-umpired matches.

Find out more
about our Rules
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Need help on match day?

Raise your hand and call the
Match Supervisor/League Assistant



Expected Behaviours of Players

To keep tennis fun and fair, everyone should uphold the spirit of tennis, which requires you to:

- Treat everyone with respect and kindness.
- Be honest, humble and play fairly.
- Always try your best and value good sportsmanship over winning.
- Take responsibility for your own actions.
- Respect your opposition players, spectators, officials, and volunteers.
- Follow the rules and ask if you're unsure about anything.
- Help create a safe, inclusive and welcoming environment for everyone.
- Listen to Match Supervisor/League Assistant – they're there to make sure everything runs smoothly.

If you can do all of these things, it will guarantee that both you and those around you will have fun!

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Tennis Australia
Code of Behaviour

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