ELM PARK JUNIOR GRASSCOURT CHAMPIONSHIPS 2019 MON 19th AUGUST - FRIDAY 23rd AUGUST

ENTRY FORM

You may enter no more than 3 events (one single)

Singles Round Robin Qualification With Elimination Draw

SINGLES	BOY'S	GIRL'S			
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U14					
U12	2 📙	Ш	Partner's name		
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U18	3 <u> </u>		Partner's name		
U14	. 🗆		Partner's name		
U12	2 🗌		Partner's name		
	Fees: 1 EVE	NT: €7; 2 E	VENTS: €12; 3 EVENTS: €15		
Total to be paid € (cash or cheques payable to Elm Park Tennis Club)					
PLAYERS N	AME				
DATE OF BI	RTH		AGE		
EMAIL					
PARENTS MO	OBILE				
I PARENT/G. attached.	AURDIAN SIGNATURI	E	agree to the rules		

POST COMPLETED FORM & YOUR FEE IN AN ENVELOPE IN TENNIS BOX AT CADDYMASTER'S AREA BEFORE 5PM ON THURSDAY 8TH AUGUST. **RULES**

- 1. Each competitor must be available for the duration of the tournament.
- Play will commence on Monday 19th August 2019
- 3. Matches will be at fixed times during the week.
 - a. You must be available to play at the appointed times
 - b. Competitors must check in 15 minutes before their start time. Competitors not present when called, may be disqualified.
 - c. 24 hrs notice required for any match time changes (except final's day)
 - d. Finals day match times will be set No Changes.
- 4. If you enter a doubles event please be sure you are both available, it is otherwise unfair to your opposition
- 5. A player can enter a maximum of three events. (one single)
- 6. Entrants must be the specific age for the chosen category or under by 31st December 2019.
- 7. Elm Park 'General Code of Behaviour for players' will be strictly enforced. Any child who does not adhere to code will be subject to disqualification. (Copy Overleaf and also Displayed in Junior Clubhouse)
- 8. Times of matches will be available on Thursday 15th August 2019 in the Junior Clubhouse after 6pm and by email. It is each player's responsibility to check their match time.
- NO LATE ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED. ANY ENTRY SUBMITTED AFTER THE CLOSING DATE OF 5PM ON THURSDAY 8TH AUGUST AND / OR LACKING THE CORRECT ENTRY FEE WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED - DRAWS ONCE MADE WILL **NOT BE CHANGED**
- 10. The Referee's decision is final in all matters relating to the Tournament.

Competition Hours: 10am – 6.00pm

Finals: Friday 23rd August

Followed By Prize-Giving & BBQ

Category	Year Born
Age 9 & Under	2010 and later
Age 10 & Under	2009
Age 12 & Under	2007 and 2008
Age 14 & Under	2005 and 2006
Age 18 & Under	2004 to 2001

GENERAL CODE OF BEHAVIOUR FOR PLAYERS IN ELM PARK TENNIS CLUB

CONDUCT

- > A player while using their best efforts to win a match will behave in a fair manner.
- > Respect both officials and opponents by accepting officials' decisions, never verbally abusing either and always shaking hands with both at the end of a match.
- > Never use unfair or bullying tactics ON or OFF the court to isolate another player or make false allegations.
- > Never cheat, (i.e. line calling, scoring etc.) Win with grace and lose with dignity.
- > Players shall not make obscene gestures of any kind or use bad language.
- > Players shall not violently, dangerously or with anger hit, kick or throw a tennis ball, racket or equipment.

COMPETITIONS

- ➤ Play should be continuous and a player shall not unreasonably delay a match for any cause i.e. Talking to a friend, going to the shop. Be ready to play!
- > Players must be ready to play their match at the designated time and / or in accordance with play.
- > Any player not ready to play 15 mins after his / her match has been called, shall be scratched from the event (unless the referee decides otherwise)

- > Time gaps during play should be no longer than 30 seconds between points, 90 seconds for changing ends and 120 seconds between sets. Tiebreak is continuous.
- > A player should not leave the court during a match (unless for a toilet break, unaccompanied)
- > A player must complete a match in progress unless reasonably unable to do so. A walkover will be given to the opponent.
- ➤ Players shall not receive coaching during a tournament/league match. Communications of any kind, audible or visible, between a player and any other person shall be construed as coaching (friend, coach or parent)
- > A player participating in the finals of a tournament must attend and participate in the finals ceremonies, unless reasonably unable to do so.

SPECTATORS

- > Spectators should refrain from entering the court area for any reason.
- > Refrain from using bad language and inappropriate gestures, name calling.
- > Respect BOTH PLAYERS and applaud in an appropriate manner. It is not acceptable to cheer when an unforced error has been played.

PLAY FAIRLY AND HAVE FUN

Lunch available from 12pm − 4pm daily €5 for meal & drink