

Shelter Island Heights Property Owners Corporation

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Dear Heights Members and Non-Heights Seasonal Tennis Subscribers:

Welcome to Spring! The opening of the courts to kick off the 2017 season is scheduled for April 15 and the rates for play have remained at the 2016 levels (see attached)!

Richard O'Connell has again signed on for the Pre- and Post-Season program, which runs from April to May 29 and from September 5 to November 12, respectively. If you wish to sign up for unlimited play during Pre- and Post-Season, please contact Cathy Driscoll at 749-0139 ext. 104 and remit payment directly to SIHPOC. Cathy will relay all the information to Richard. For lessons during Pre- and Post-Season, contact Richard directly at 914-787-0344 or rocdoc16@msn.com.

Shelter Island Tennis will once again organize the 2017 Season from May 30 through September 4. For those who wish to reserve up to two standing, weekly slots for the Season, please contact Moussa Drame at 631-749-0799 or 917-209-6615. Choose your time, issue a check made payable to the SIHPOC and mail to my attention. For those who had a standing slot last year, we asked Moussa to carry it forward **PENDING YOUR CONFIRMATION AND PAYMENT** to SIHPOC. Please act quickly to avoid conflicts or unused reserved times.

For those of you who do not want to be tied to a schedule or who prefer to play on an ad hoc basis, we suggest the following:

- During the main season, contact Moussa at the above number to reserve a time, even if it is last minute. If the court is available, it is yours. The same goes for Richard, Pre- and Post-Season.
- If you are willing to take a chance, you may play as a "walk-on" if there is a court available. Simply leave the money at the tennis shed.
- If you begin playing as a walk on and someone else arrives who has scheduled the court, you will be offered the other court if it is available or asked to leave, deferring to the scheduled player. In the unlikely event that this happens, please be gracious about the situation.

For Pre-and-Post Season and overnight, the courts will be left open and we will continue the "honor system" for payment from Heights members as well as walk-on players. Kindly remember to clean and sweep the courts after playing and place the court fees under the shed door. There will be no sign up sheets provided since play is on a first come, first to play basis in the Pre- and Post-Season. Please observe the one-hour playing time if people are waiting. We implore you to play by these rules so that we do not have to return to a more complicated and time consuming system of locking the courts throughout the entire season.

We ask you to restrict your times of play to 8 a.m. through 6 p.m. (ending at 7 p.m.) out of respect for the nearby neighbors. Court etiquette rules must be adhered to (e.g., appropriate attire and shoes, sweeping after your play, and not playing right after it rains).

Both Moussa and Richard will continue to offer lessons/ clinics, and will block out times accordingly. All lesson/ clinic fees should be paid directly to the person providing the service. The fee schedule for court times is attached. Your comments are always welcome and enjoy your play!

Sincerely,

Cathy Driscoll
POC Administrator

Shelter Island Heights Tennis Program 2017

Richard O'Connell and Shelter Island Tennis (Moussa Drame)

Pre- and-Post Season

Pre-Season Now to May 29, 2017

Post-Season September 5, 2017 to November 12, 2017

Usage: Unlimited usage during Pre- and Post-Season: \$75

Standing Court time to be arranged through the Heights Office.

Checks to be made payable to SIHPOC and remitted to the Heights/ Ferry Office,
PO Box 589, SI Heights, 11965

Daily Bookings Pre- and Post-Season for lessons or court time contact Richard 914-787-0344.

Season

Seasonal Play May 30, 2017 through September 4, 2017

Usage: 1 hour per week (standing sessions reserved in advance if prepaid)

All Season	<u>Heights Residents</u>	<u>Non-Residents</u>
Weekdays	\$140	\$165
Weekends	\$175	\$200

Daily Bookings 1 hour reservations

Weekdays	\$20
Weekends	\$25

Standing court time during the Season to be arranged through Shelter Island Tennis (Moussa)

Seasonal standing court time payable in advance by check made payable to **SIHPOC**
and sent to the address above.

Daily Bookings for lessons or court time during the Season payable directly to Moussa 631-749-0799.

Lessons/ Clinics (depending on time in season)

For lessons/ clinics with Richard O'Connell (914-787-0344) or for peak season, Moussa Drame
(631-749-0799).

Information about fees for instruction will be provided when you call.

Rules and Etiquette:

The courts will be ready for use by 8 a.m. daily, weather permitting.

The courts cannot be used for roughly 3 hours after a significant rain.

Proper tennis attire, especially footwear, must be worn on the clay courts.

"Whites" are no longer required, but appropriate tennis attire is, shirts must be worn at all times.

All players are responsible for sweeping the court after their play.

Unreserved players must defer to reserved players, even if play has begun.