



MOUNTAIN GATE TENNIS CLUB INC.



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Membership Policy

Policy Objectives

This policy aims to provide guidelines on the membership to Mountain Gate Tennis Club (hereafter referred to as MGTC).

Application

This policy applies to all current and prospective members of MGTC.

Policy Statement

Membership fees provide the club with funds that are used to assist in meeting the cost of upkeep and scheduled maintenance to all facilities at the club and to aid in financing any improvements required.

Membership Year

The membership year runs from 1 July to 30 June.

Membership Categories

The following membership categories are available

Family:	Confined to a family unit, i.e. Parent(s) and dependant children under 21 years
Adult Single:	Over 18 years
Intermediate:	18 to 24 living at home and not working full time, or an apprentice
Junior Single:	18 years and under
Hot Shots Family:	Restricted to those enrolled in lessons with Platinum Tennis Academy and not participating in WDTA competition
Pensioner/Concession:	60 years and over/concession card holder. Proof is required.

Membership Fees

1. Membership fees are reviewed annually. In the first year of membership, fees will be prorated on a quarterly basis.
 - For those joining July to September, 100% of the full fee is payable
 - For those joining October to December, 75% of the full fee is payable
 - For those joining January to March, 50% of the full fee is payable
 - For those joining April to June, 25% of the full fee is payable
2. Existing members who do not initially renew their membership and subsequently seek to renew, are NOT eligible for pro rata membership. The full membership fee is payable.
3. 3. Membership fees are payable annually in advance.
4. 4. Membership fees are set at the beginning of each membership year and are subject to review. Changes to membership fees are generally announced and voted on at the AGM or at the discretion of the committee leading up to the new membership year.



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Keys

All members are able to purchase a court key. Gate locks are renewed annually in line with membership renewals.

Competition

1. Competition is not a factor in becoming a member of the MGTC, however membership is a requirement prior to consideration for team selection.
2. Membership does not guarantee inclusion in a team.
3. All competition players must be a financial member in their respective category before they will be permitted to represent the club in any competition.
4. All social players must hold a current financial membership.

Ball Fees

Ball Fees are compulsory for all competition players. Fees are advised prior to the start of each season and are payable before the first match. Ball fees are not refundable.

Suspension of Membership

A request may be made to the Committee, subject to formal approval at a scheduled committee meeting, to defer or temporarily suspend membership for any given period of time. Such request is to be made in writing and addressed to the Secretary.

Voting Rights

Only adult (over the age of 18) financial members hold voting rights and are eligible to vote at the Annual General Meeting (AGM).

Tennis Victoria

The Tennis Victoria levy is a compulsory fee and is included in the fee structure.

Privacy Statement

Mountain Gate Tennis Club collects members' information for the purpose of providing Club services and communications related to tennis and for related purposes, which can be reasonably expected. Your membership information will be provided to Tennis Victoria – as required by our affiliation. Membership/personal information will be forwarded to Tennis Victoria to provide membership services. Except where permitted or required by law, or where your consent is obtained, this information will not be disclosed to third parties. Individual members can access their personal information through Tennis Victoria and Mountain Gate Tennis Club upon reasonable notice.

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