

## Tampa Palms CDD Tennis & Racquet Ball Court Rules

For the convenience of the owners, the use rules for the Tampa Palms CDD tennis courts are consistent with the use rules of the Tampa Palms Owners Association tennis courts.

- a. All players must wear non-marking tennis shoes and appropriate tennis or racquetball attire.
- b. Courts are for tennis only and may not be used for any other purpose. Roller skates, skateboards, scooters, bicycles, lacrosse equipment, as well as, small children or pets, on or off leads, are strictly prohibited.
- c. Courts are for the exclusive use of Tampa Palms residents in Area's 1 & 2 and members. The courts are also open to any guest playing with a Tampa Palms resident or member. That guest may be a coach.
- d. Owners/members may bring three guests to play tennis, to facilitate doubles play. Only one court may be used: there must be a resident/owner/member on every court.
- e. Owners (one per family) may use the courts only one and a half hours a day. **Owners must leave the courts promptly at the end of their reservation.** If no one is scheduled or waiting to play, the park attendants will reassign a court for continued play.
- f. Reservations start on the hour or the half hour and are void if not used by 15 minutes after reservation time.
- g. To discourage ineligible use of the courts, **all owners/members must sign-in before each session and will be assigned a court for use.**
- h. **Players may not make comments or express complaints to or about other players, or even approach other players to trade courts or times. Any such requests should be discussed with the park attendants.**
- i. Reservations are accepted from owners no more than 24 hours in advance. Reservation requests may be left on the voice answering system but if left more than 24 hours in advance of the requested time, the reservation request will not be honored.
- j. When making court reservations, owners or members should provide their name and address. All players should have Tampa Palms CDD appropriate ID when checking in.

The Tampa Palms parks are a place for recreation and enjoyment. The Tampa Palms CDD and TPOA take very seriously their responsibility to provide a safe and peaceful environment where owners and members may take pleasure in their parks.

These tennis court use rules have been established to provide a framework for assuring a safe and tranquil environment. Failure to adhere to these rules will result in removal of park-use privileges for offenders.

- 1<sup>st</sup> offence 1 week
- 2<sup>nd</sup> offense 1 month
- 3<sup>rd</sup> offense 3 months

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