### **Welshpool High School Tennis Court Agreement**

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Telephone Contact Number:	

Season ticket hire 1st April 2024 until 31<sup>st</sup> August 2024 Cost £50.00 per Season Ticket.

# **Definitions**

- 1. The Courts are owned and run by Powys County Council Welshpool High School.
- 2. The Season Ticket Holder, (STH) refers to the person or organisation hiring the Courts for tennis or any other event. It is the STH responsibility to ensure that any persons on the premises for the duration of the session or booking adhere to the terms and conditions of hire set out in this document.

# **Acceptance of Terms and Conditions**

 Use of the Courts is subject to the Terms and Conditions herein. By purchasing a season ticket and/or using the Courts, the STH accepts these Terms and Conditions. The STH further agrees to abide by and enforce these Terms and Conditions. Any incident arising from a breach of the Terms and Conditions will be the sole responsibility of the STH. Any such breach may result in loss of use of the courts and could incur additional charges.

- 2. STH will be issued with a number code to gain access to the courts. This number should not be shared with anyone else. Sharing the code will breach the terms and conditions may result in the STH losing the use of the courts and could incur additional charges.
- 3. Daily checks on identity will be made, STH must ensure they always have a suitable form of identity on them. Failure to do this may result in the STH being asked to leave the court.

## **Opening Hours**

- 1. The Courts are normally available for use or hire between 9:00 am and 9:00pm from April until the end of August each year.
- 2. The courts <u>will not</u> be available at all during school term time (<u>www.powys.gov.uk</u>) until 4.30pm each day.
- 3. The school reserves the right to restrict the use or close the courts for school use or competitions. Notice of this will be posted on our website and where possible a weeks' notice will be given.

## **The Courts and Facilities**

- 1. The Courts comprise of five separate courts. These are available from the beginning of the Easter School holidays until end of August each year. They are strictly only available to use outside of normal school opening hours, 4.30pm onwards and at weekends.
- 2. The use of the courts is on a first come basis, season ticket holders cannot book the courts or hold courts for any other members.
- 3. Upon entry to the courts, the STH must close the gates immediately after entry. Not allow entry to any other person whatsoever, apart from their playing partner.
- 4. Season ticket holders may use one court per day for no longer than 4 hours each day. Holders are allowed to bring one other non-member in to play with. The non-member must only accompany the member, play tennis with that member and leave when the member leaves.
- 5. Courts must be left in a clean and undamaged state at the end of the session.
- 6. Car Parking: Parking is limited but is available in the car park close to the courts. Vehicles must not be parked on the highway or at the entrance or exit from the car park. WHS advises the STH to supervise parking when a high attendance is expected and reminds STH that parking on pavements is not permitted.
- 7. Any damage to or failure of equipment must be reported to the WHS.
- 8. There may be times when the courts are not available to use, we will publish these times on our website. STH are requested to check before using the courts.

### **Booking Process and Conditions**

- 1. The Courts may be used by anyone holding a current valid season ticket of 18 years or over.
- 2. If the STH is not known to WHS, they may be asked to produce personal identification and proof of address when applying for a STH.
- 3. Use will only be considered on a completed Booking Form submitted to the WHS. tennis@welshpool-hs.powys.sch.uk
- 4. WHS reserves the right to refuse an application for a season ticket if it considers that the hiring could lead to a breach of the Terms and Conditions or if for any reason the premises are considered unfit for the intended use.
- 5. The STH agrees to indemnify WHS for the cost of repairs of any damage done to any property or contents during the use.
- 6. The use of the Courts does not entitle the STH to occupy them at any time other than the specific hours for which they have been used, unless prior arrangements have been made with the WHS.
- 7. By entering into this agreement, the STH accepts that WHS will hold their details for the purpose of using the courts for that season. WHS will not use this information for any other purpose. See also WHS 'Privacy Notice', available on the WHS website.

## **Hire Charges and Payment Policy**

- 1. WHS reviews and sets the court season ticket fees annually on or around 1st April each year.
- 2. Season tickets must be purchased approved and paid for in full prior to any use of the courts.
- 3. Bacs details for payment are Lloyds Bank, Sort Code 30-99-50, Acct No 20623368

### **BEFORE YOUR BOOKING**

#### Insurance

- 1. Powys County Council's Public Liability Insurance shall be extended to each season ticket holder whilst using the Courts, subject to their fulfilment of the Terms and Conditions of the cover (available on request). This Public Liability cover shall not apply to any organisation or person using the courts for commercial or business purposes. Such organisations or persons should arrange their own Public Liability Insurance. All season ticket holders are advised to consider the need for their own Public Liability or other insurance to cover their activities.
- 2. The insurance does not cover items owned by court users. Equipment brought into and/or left at the courts is entirely at the owner's risk.

### **DURING THE BOOKING**

### Sale of Goods

STH are not permitted to sell goods on the premises.

### **Loss of Property**

WHS accept no responsibility for damage to, or the loss of, or the theft of any STH or other user's property or effects.

### **Prohibitions**

- 1. Powys County Council grounds are strictly a **NO SMOKING** area.
- 2. Fireworks and Pyrotechnics: There is a total ban on the use of fireworks or any form of pyrotechnics in or around the courts.
- 3. BBQs are not allowed on the grounds of WHS.
- 4. Betting, Gambling and Lotteries: Nothing shall be done on or in relation to the premises in contravention of the law relating to betting, gaming and lotteries and the Hirer shall ensure that the requirements of the relevant legislation are strictly observed.
- 5. Sub-letting. The STH shall not sublet the courts or any part thereof.

# **Nuisance**

- The courts are a community facility, primarily for the benefit of local residents. They
  are located in a residential area and any use of the courts must be made with due
  consideration for nearby residents. STH and/or organisers of events in the courts are
  responsible for ensuring that the noise level is not such as to interfere with others
  within the courts or to cause inconvenience or annoyance to occupiers of nearby
  houses.
- 2. WHS reserves the right to terminate a season ticket (without refunding any fees) where the STH has become disorderly, where offensive material or behaviour is in evidence, or where it deems noise to be excessive and causing a nuisance, and to report such matters to the appropriate authorities.

# **AT THE END OF THE BOOKING**

The STH will be responsible for:

- 1. Leaving the courts in a clean and tidy condition.
- 2. Ensuring the gates are properly closed at the end of the use.

I agree to the terms and conditions above.	
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