TENNIS AND PICKLEBALL COURT RULES 2020
FOR TOWN PARK AND GRANADA TENNIS COURTS

1. CORTE MADERA RESIDENTS SHALL HAVE PRIORITY ON TOWN COURTS.

2. USE OF COURTS PERMITTED BY PURCHASE OF TENNIS KEY ONLY. KEYS ENTITLE PURCHASER AND ONE (1) GUEST ACCESS. KEYS MAY BE PURCHASED AT THE CORTE MADERA PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT. LOST KEYS WILL NOT BE REPLACED; A NEW KEY MUST BE PURCHASED.

3. PRIVATE LESSONS ON PUBLIC COURTS ARE STRICTLY PROHIBITED. ALL LESSONS SHALL BE PERMITTED ONLY BY CORTE MADERA PARKS & RECREATION APPROVED INSTRUCTORS AND WITH THE CONSENT OF THE PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

4. PRIORITY IS GIVEN TO RECREATION DEPARTMENT PROGRAMS APPROVED BY THE CORTE MADERA PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

5. TENNIS COURTS ARE FOR TENNIS ONLY. NO OTHER USES ARE PERMITTED. NO PERSONS SHALL USE THE COURTS WITHOUT WEARING TENNIS SHOES.

6. BICYCLES, SKATEBOARDS, ROLLER SKATES, SUN CHAIRS, DOGS, FOOD AND BEVERAGES ARE NOT PERMITTED ON COURTS.

7. USE OF THE COURTS SHALL BE RESTRICTED TO A MINIMUM AGE OF NINE (9) YEARS UNLESS ACCOMPANIED BY A PARTICIPATING ADULT.

8. CHILDREN UNDER TWELVE (12) YEARS OF AGE, UNLESS ACCOMPANIED BY A PARTICIPATING ADULT, SHALL YIELD TO OLDER PLAYERS ON SATURDAY, SUNDAYS, WEEKDAYS AFTER 5:30 P.M., AND LEGAL HOLIDAYS (AS DEFINED BY THE TOWN OF CORTE MADERA).

9. USE OF COURTS FOR TOURNAMENT PURPOSES OR FOR EXHIBITION MATCHES SHALL BE PERMITTED ONLY WITH THE CONSENT OF THE PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT. CONTRACT, INSURANCE AND PAID FEES MAYBE REQUIRED.

10. PLAYERS COMMENCING PLAY SHALL BE ALLOWED A WARM-UP PERIOD NOT TO EXCEED FIVE (5) MINUTES.

11. A SET IS TO CONSIST OF NO MORE THAN SEVEN (7) GAMES TO THE WINNER. (NO ADVANTAGE SETS ALLOWED.)

12. DOUBLES HAVE PRIORITY. SINGLES MUST RELINQUISH COURT AT COMPLETION OF SET IN PROGRESS.

13. WHEN PEOPLE ARE WAITING, SINGLES SHALL NOT START BUT MAY PAIR UP FOR DOUBLES.

14. IN DOUBLES PLAY, THE WINNING TEAM MAY STAY ON THE COURT FOR A SECOND SET WITH THE WAITING PLAYERS. IF THE WAITING PLAYERS DO NOT CHOOSE TO PLAY WINNERS, THE DOUBLES MAY PLAY SECOND SET. NO ONE MAY PLAY MORE THAN TWO (2) CONSECUTIVE SETS IF PLAYERS ARE WAITING.

15. IF PLAYERS HAVING WINNERS ARE NOT PRESENT ON THE COURT WHEN THEIR TURN ARRIVES, THOSE NEXT IN ORDER SHALL TAKE THEIR PLACES.

16. THOSE PLAYERS FIRST ARRIVING ARE ENTITLED TO THE FIRST AVAILABLE COURT.

17. PLAYERS NOT PLAYING REGULATION SETS WILL BE LIMITED TO THIRTY (30) MINUTES COURT TIME FOR SINGLES, FORTY-FIVE (45) MINUTES COURT TIME FOR MORE THAN TWO PLAYERS.

18. KEYS ARE NON-TRANSFERABLE; DOING SO WILL RESULT IN FORFEITURE OF KEY AND ANY ASSOCIATED FEES.

19. TENNIS KEYS ARE PROPERTY OF THE TOWN OF CORTE MADERA.

20. ANY VIOLATION OF RULES WILL RESULT IN IMMEDIATE FORFEITURE OF KEY AND ANY ASSOCIATED FEE’S.

ANY PLAYER VIOLATING ANY OF THE FOREGOING REGULATIONS MAY BE EXPULLED FROM THE COURTS BY THE CENTRAL MARIN POLICE AUTHORITY. ALL OTHER APPLICABLE ORDINANCES OF THE TOWN OF CORTE MADERA SHALL REMAIN IN EFFECT.

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