

Kids for Tennis League

- **Players:** Participants must be 5-10 years old during participation in the league.
- **Parents:** Parent involvement is necessary. They will be used to make sure the kids keep the score correctly and are calling fair lines. Emphasis will be on sportsmanship first, not winning. No matches will be played without monitors
- **Team and Match Format:** Three positions, called "A" "B" and "C". May be singles or doubles to be determined.
- **Scoring:** Format will be prosets with no ad scoring. The server will call out the score before each point. Scores will be entered in Tennis Link. Standings to be determined by games won.
- **Service:** Points can be started with an overhand serve, or underhand serve. All underhand serves must be hit in the air. A drop hit (letting the ball bounce first) is not considered a legal serve in tennis.
- **Time:** Individual matches will last around 15 minutes with the team match lasting less than an hour depending on the number of mini courts available.



Kids Team Tennis

8 and Under League
10 and Under League

"KIDS for TENNIS"



KID'S TEAM TENNIS 8 & UNDER 10 & UNDER PILOT PROGRAM

Kids for Tennis (KFT) is launching a new Jr. Team Tennis Pilot program for boys and girls who are 5-10 year old beginners. As with many other sports for this age group, the mini tennis court is now designed for their physical size and capabilities. The changes in court size, net height and ball will make tennis an easy sport to learn.

A six to eight week program taught by experienced players and/or pros, each weekly session will consist of a tennis lesson and group practice.

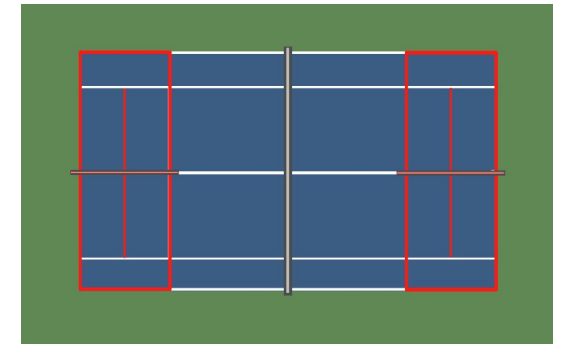
Actual match play will occur in the last three to six weeks.

For more information and details about this program in the area please contact:

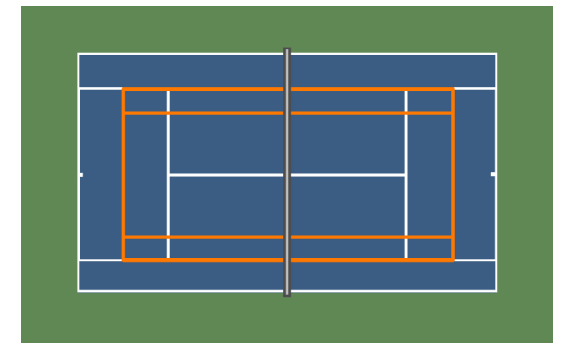
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The Mini Tennis Court for 5-8 yrs.

The court is 36' long and 18' wide. The baselines are the original court's doubles lines. The net will be 2 feet 9 inches high. The diagram shows 2 courts (red) created on the original full size court.



The Mini Tennis Court for 9-10 yrs.
60 feet over length of full tennis court,
regular net height



Equipment:

Racquet: 23 inches or less for 5-8 yrs.

23 - 25 inches for 9-10 yrs.



Ball: Oversized Foam Ball for 5-8 yr. olds.



Low compression ball for 9-10 yr. olds.