

# TCR

The Club of Riverdale

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## Dear Parent:

As we start our third week of the Junior Tennis Program I wanted to thank you for entrusting your children to us for their tennis education. I urge you to read on to learn how to get the most out of our program.

I am extremely proud of the program and quality staff that we have put together this year. In the past 30 years I have designed, built and run some of the most successful and recognizable programs in the New York region. Though these are all terrific programs and all still in existence, the program here at TCR combines the best in professionals, program content, facilities and transport. The heart of this great program comes from the wonderful pro staff that follows:

Director of Tennis: Mitch Adler, voted professional of the year in two separate USTA divisions, something done by only a handful of professionals. We are proud to have Mitch's experience and infectious enthusiasm guide the tennis programs here at TCR.

Head Professional: Rafe Hurwitz, coming to us after 7 great years of studying the art at the renowned San Francisco Tennis Club. Rafe will directly supervise all on-court content of junior classes on the weekend.

Teaching Professionals:

Marjan Kalaj  
Pedro Avila  
Santo Cruz  
Mayo Javier  
Todd Lazarus

Daval Johnson  
Maurice Malcolm  
Manuel Santil  
Bob Bazzini

I hope your child enjoys the program and flourishes with us at TCR and I look forward to working with you and yours for years to come.

Sincerely,

Jeff Klipstein, Owner  
TCR The Club of Riverdale

### Make-ups:

If you know your child is going to miss a class please notify us so that we can adjust transport and use the space for a make-up for another child. To arrange a make-up please call the club and leave your Child's name and two days (at least two days away) that work for the student and we will call back with-in 24 hours to confirm. Makeup's must be with Mitch or Raef.

### Match-Play:

Fridays: 8:00-10:00pm Participants must be able to play a match. Intermediate and above.

Saturdays: 8:00 – 10:00pm. All levels.

Sundays: 6:30- 8:00pm. Low intermediates and below.

During match play we will be assigning players to courts for singles, doubles and group games depending on number of attendees. We will be establishing singles ladders in the all age divisions for both boys and girls. These ladder competitions will be the precursor to team play and Eastern Tennis Association Tournaments. On Saturday and Sunday evenings our monitor will run a group game court to accommodate the almost match ready.

If your class with transport is on a match-play day, you may come home after class or after match play. Please tell front desk as you check-in at front tennis desk.

If you require transport to match-play please reserve your spot at least one day ahead of time. The fee is \$55 r/t or \$35 one way.

Match play participants must remain on courts during session. Under no circumstances will players be allowed off premises with-out parents. Players must come expecting to play and must follow the direction of the match play coordinator.

### Tennis Team:

Our approach to our team this year will take a new twist. Instead of requiring a season long commitments that precludes most of our students, this season we are going to set up matches with other clubs and fill them on a match to match basis. We will be posting match offerings via e-mail and fill them with age/level appropriate players on a first come first served basis. We are looking to set up multiple matches each week allowing for maximum program-member participation. Our new system will foster more accurate player match-up and will eliminate the likelihood of club cancellations.

### Eastern Tennis Association Tournaments:

This season we will be taking groups of players to tournaments on the weekends. We will be announcing the dates, locations and divisions via e-mail and on our web-site, [tennisclubofriverdale.com](http://tennisclubofriverdale.com). Here we will be helping our kids get to the next level by experiencing serious competition first hand. Please look for fliers which will enlighten parents/children on the process of entering tournament competition. Entry will be open to those of appropriate age and level for each tournament. Please feel free to speak to any of our staff professionals for information about tournament competition.

### Member Privileges:

All program members are given a child membership at TCR for the term of their program. This entitles them to bring siblings, friends or parents as their guest for a \$15 daily fee. This entitles the kids to swim, play basketball, table tennis or tennis on a walk-on basis. To secure a court one may book the court for a \$50 per hour fee. The program child must be part of this court to receive the discounted fee. Please call ahead to check court availability. If you are looking for a weekend court to practice with your child we suggest you call early in the week to make your reservation.

Program members 14 and above may upgrade their membership to a student membership which allows them to use the fitness center for a \$250 fee per 14 week session. This fee includes a required 60 minute fitness orientation.

Parents may use the fitness center, take a group exercise class, swim laps, reserve a spa service and enjoy a luxurious steam or sauna in our beautiful new locker rooms. (adults only) Enjoy a Swedish massage during the month of October for only \$75 as a parent of junior program member.

### Café:

Our café will be open from 9:00am – 8:00pm Monday-Sunday. Students may sign for purchases by printing first and last name on the café order card. Charges will place on credit card on file on a weekly basis.

### Rackets:

TCR carries Wilson frames, the worlds most popular. Let our racket experts help you pick out the right frame for your child or yourself. Try a demo first to get the feel before purchase. Our expert racket technicians can re-string or re-grip your racket for the next day.

### Holiday Camp:

We will be running two four day camp weeks over the x-mas and new years breaks. We will also running five day sessions during the weeks off in February, March and April. We can pick your child up at home for a fun and productive day of tennis, tennis and more tennis from 9:30 – 4:30. Swimming and gym sports will be placed throughout the days schedule depending on age to make the day most enjoyable.

### Summer Camp:

This summer we will be running 13 weekly sessions of our tennis and sport and or golf camps. These weekly sessions are ideal to schedule in blocks or to fill-in between other summer plans. Our tennis program accommodates children from 4-16 of all levels. This season we will be accepting a limited amount of tournament minded students who will train intensively and compete against other programs in the NY area. Our golf program is all golf with fundamentals in the morning and 9 holes in the afternoon. This program is perfect for the child 8 and older and a great way to get your child going in this great lifelong game.

### Swim School:

TCR can help you with your swimming needs. Swim school for children 6 months to 10 years, swim team for kids 10-14 and and private lessons for all. Swim programs are fun 7 days a week and are offered with transport for your conveniences.

### Kids Fitness Groups:

We are proud to introduce our new Fitness Director Jaimie Kantor. Jamie has been designing youth fitness programs for city municipalities for years and was also the owner of the Training Floor Personal Training Center on 96<sup>th</sup> street. Jamie is a certified personal trainer, a martial arts master instructor and has 20 years experience satisfying the most discriminating families in New York.

Jamie will be running kids fitness classes for all ages. 10 week packages will be sold to kids of same grade with 2-4 per children per group. Form your group today and give your child a leg up on their fitness education.

### Adult Tennis Drills:

We are excited to offer a great new instructional program for mom and dad. Groups with no more than four students will be run through two hours of drills, play and fun for twelve weeks starting 10/15. The program is only 900 for program parents and classes are run at 9:00am and 11:00 am M-F and 7:00pm and 9:00pm M-TH. Call today to get in on the fun and then get on the court with your kid to start a family ritual that you will treasure.

### Enrollment

We are pleased to have your child, \_\_\_\_\_ enrolled in:

\_\_\_ TCR's Junior Development Program for the first 14 week session that ends the week of January 14th. See the schedule below for vacation dates.

\_\_\_ TCR's Junior Development Program for the full 28 week program that ends the week of May 27th. See the schedule below for vacation dates.

\_\_\_ TCR's Junior Development Program for the second 14 week session that begins the week of January 29th and ends the week of May 27th. See the schedule below for vacation dates.

We are offering to upgrade enrollment for first session enrollee's to a 28 week enrollment without paying the two session penalty if done by 10/31. The program fee will be adjusted to the 28 week fee and payments will be adjusted moving forward without deposit. Second session enrollment will be open on a first come first served basis as of November 1<sup>st</sup>. Please call the club today to secure your child's spot for the programs second session. Your child's day and class may be moved if necessary. Please also feel free to call at any time to discuss any of the program particulars described above.

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**Winter Enrollment Savings**

Extend your child's program through the next 14 week session and Save \$

Session Schedule:

<b>INDOOR FALL SESSION 2007-08</b>						
	<b>BEGIN</b>	<b>NO CLASS DAYS</b>				<b>LAST CLASS</b>
MON	9.24	10.8	11.19	12.24	12.31, 1.14	1.28
TUE	9.25		11.20	12.25	1.1	1.15
WED	9.26		11.21	12.26	1.2	1.16
THU	9.27		11.22	12.27	1.3	1.17
FRI	9.28		11.23	12.28	1.4	1.18
SAT	9.29		11.24	12.29	1.5	1.19
SUN	9.30		11.25	12.30	1.6	1.20

<b>SESSION BREAK</b>	
MON	
TUE	1.22
WED	1.23
THU	1.24
FRI	1.25
SAT	1.26
SUN	1.27

<b>INDOOR WINTER SESSION 2008</b>						
	<b>BEGIN</b>	<b>NO CLASS DAYS</b>				<b>LAST CLASS</b>
MON	2.4		2.18	3.24	3.31	6.2
TUE	1.29		2.19	3.25	4.1	5.27
WED	1.30		2.20	3.26	4.2	5.28
THU	1.31		2.21	3.27	4.3	5.29
FRI	2.1		2.22	3.28	4.4	5.30
SAT	2.2		2.23	3.29	4.5	5.31
SUN	2.3		2.24	3.30	4.6	6.1