**Tennis Team 2019**

The SWSTC tennis teams are designed to give competitive players coaching and playing experience to improve their games and the fun of being part of a team. Younger players, who can serve well enough to sustain a game, have the opportunity to learn how to play in a match. A player must be 18 or younger on July 31st to be eligible to play in matches and Championships (scheduled for July 26th). Match schedule is on website.

If you would like for your *studen*t to play on a team, please:

• Read the information on all team levels below.

• Complete the application and mail or email to Jen Baker, email questions to kandjbaker@cox.net

• Enclose a check to SWSTC for $20. Check will be returned if player is not ready for competitive match play.

• **All team players are encouraged to take morning lessons.**

**Varsity** – 12 players The Varsity Team will schedule 2 matches a week and a league championship tournament. (see schedule on website) This level will practice with the JV from 2:00 to 4:00 Monday - Thursday on days with no match. Fridays can be used for unsupervised challenge matches. The Varsity level is very competitive. The Magic Lincer Tennis Academy Coaches will select the line-up to maximize the team’s competitiveness. Players will earn playing time and position as they would on a high school varsity team.

**Junior Varsity** – 12 players The Junior Varsity Team will play 1-2 matches a week. (same schedule as Varsity but opposite location) Players can be called up to play on the Varsity, if needed. This level will practice with the Varsity from 2:00 to 4:00 on days with no Varsity match. The Junior Varsity level is semi-competitive. Players will earn playing time and position, but all players will have a chance to play both singles and doubles during the season.

**Rookie Team** – 12 players The Rookie Team is designed to help players improve their ability to play games. Players must be skilled enough to play a continuous game. (Team practice will not focus on stroke improvement which is the purpose of lessons.) **Rookie players should definitely be taking morning lessons.** This developmental team will play coach-supervised intramural matches 2 times a week from 1:00 to 2:00 when there is no Varsity meet (typically Monday & Wednesday). Players may be called up to play Junior Varsity. If players don’t have JV opportunities, a Rookie meet will be scheduled towards the end of the season.

Parents – The team will need your help in several ways. One critical area is signing players up for matches and once signed making sure they honor that commitment. Another is providing transportation to away meets.

**2019 SWSTC Junior Tennis Team**

June 25th- July 27th

Registration Deadline June 10, 2019

Please complete the following information and mail to Jen Baker, 35 Brightman Circle, South Windsor, CT 06074

Enclose a check for $20 made out to SWSTC.

Student’s name\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Level of experience (Var/JV/Rookie) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Players please check the level that describes the student’s current ability and experience level: \_\_\_ Has played on a competitive team \_\_\_ Can serve well enough to play a continuous game. Parent’s Name \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_e-mail \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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