

Essex Tennis

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The Edge Tennis Department Mission

The Edge tennis staff is here to help you learn, progress, and maximize your skills to achieve your highest level of play in the lifelong sport of tennis. Our goal is to provide you with the finest opportunities through exciting and challenging programs. Whether you are learning the basics or fine-tuning your game, no matter your skill or age, we have a program that will fit your needs. Give us a call and we can help you achieve your goals.

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Edge Payment Policy

1. All payments are non-refundable and non-transferable.
2. Payments are due (in person or online) at the time of registration.
3. Late payments are subject to a 10% late fee.
4. Discounted package pricing applies to pre-payments only.
5. All session/lesson packages must be used within 12 months.
6. The Edge cannot guarantee the same instructor/trainer for each program but does guarantee the same level of service.
7. If a participant "no-shows" or cancels a private lesson/session without a 24 hour notice, then the participant will be charged for the session.
8. There are no "make-ups" for missed lessons/sessions. However, we will offer a make-up if we must cancel a lesson/session.

Online Registration

The Edge Tennis Department wants to remind you that registration for most of our programs can be done online. CSI, our booking system will allow you to register for programs, book court reservations, and purchase lessons, all online through our website, edgevt.com. Use the program registration link on the Tennis page to login to CSI. Program Codes are listed in this guide to make finding the program of your choice easy. If you have any questions, please contact Tammy Azur, Essex Edge Tennis Director.

Private Tennis Instruction

Lessons may be scheduled with the pro of your choice. Payment must be made prior to the lesson or the lesson cannot be booked. No-shows will forfeit payment unless cancellation of class is agreed on by the pro 24 hours in advance. You can purchase lessons online through the "Buy A Series Sale" icon in your account manager.

| TYPE OF LESSON | MEMBER RATE | NON-MEMBER RATE |
|---|------------------------------|------------------------------|
| 1 Private Lesson (1 hour) | \$70 | \$85 |
| 4 Pack of Private Lessons | \$260 | \$320 |
| 8 Pack of Private Lessons | \$500 | \$615 |
| 1 Semi-Private Lesson (2 players for 1 hour) | \$40 per person | \$50 per person |
| 4 Pack of Semi-Private | \$145 per person | \$180 per person |
| 8 Pack of Semi-Private | \$265 per person | \$340 per person |
| Group Lesson – 1 Hour (3-6 players for 1 hour) | \$22 per person | \$30 per person |
| 4 Pack of Group Lessons (1 hour lesson) | \$80 per person | \$108 per person |
| 8 Pack of Group Lessons (1 hour lesson) | \$148 per person | \$200 per person |
| Group Lesson - 1.5 Hours (4-6 players for 1.5 hours) | \$30 per person | \$40 per person |
| 4 pack or more of 1.5 Hour Group Lesson | \$28 per person per class | \$38 per person per class |

Adult "New Member" Tennis Orientation

Schedule your personalized free visit with any of the tennis professionals at The Edge and find out what the tennis department can do for you. The orientation is a ½ hour on court evaluation. You will be given a visual rating and advice on programs to best suit your tennis game. Plus receive 10% off your first private tennis lesson or package of lessons. It's just our way of saying, "Welcome to The Edge Tennis Program".

Adult Programs

All Winter programs start Monday, January 2nd, 2017

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| Cardio Tennis @ Essex | Wednesday 5:30-6:30pm Level 3.5-4.5 |
| <p>Be prepared to sweat and enjoy an on court aerobic tennis circuit that will be the talk of the club! The hour will consist of active drills and games that get you moving your feet and hitting a variety of shots. All classes are co-ed. Classes run weekly. Space is limited to 8 players per class so please sign up online (Classes icon) or by calling the front desk at least 24 hours in advance.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">1 Class Fee: \$12.00 – Member / \$18.00 – Nonmember 10 Punch Card Fee: \$100.00 - Member / \$150.00 – Nonmember</p> | |

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| Stroke of The Week @ Essex | Saturday 10:30-11:30am |
| <p>Each week will be a new theme with the pro teaching the technical and tactical skills for the chosen stroke. Drills are designed for intermediate players. Please sign up at the front desk or online (Classes Icon) up to 1 week prior to the class. Space is limited to 8 per class.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">1 Class Fee: \$15.00 – Member / \$20.00 – Non-member 10 Punch Card Fee: \$125.00 – Member / \$155.00 - Nonmember</p> | |

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| Adult Development - Drills for Skills @ Essex | Wednesday 6:30-7:30pm Level 2.5-3.0 | |
| <p>Taught by David Gold at Essex. Adult development is for the advanced beginner to low intermediate player looking to enhance their skills and tactical knowledge to improve match play. Active drills to train your skills plus simulated point play will be used during this one hour clinic. Please sign up online or at the front desk for the session prior to the start of class. Minimum of 4 to run class, maximum of 8. Fees: \$70.00 Member & \$90.00 Non-mem</p> | | |
| <u>Session #</u> | <u>Program Code</u> | <u>Program Dates</u> |
| Session I | ADEVS1 | 1/4- 1/25 |
| Session II | ADEVS2 | 2/1-2/22 |
| Session III | ADEVS3 | 3/8-3/29 |
| Session IV | ADEVS4 | 4/5-4/26 |
| Session V | ADEVS5 | 5/3-5/24 |

**Learn to Play
Program
@ Essex**

Tennis 1 – for beginners or players who need a refresher on the basic skills

Tennis 2 – develop technique and learn to put your skills into on court play

Tennis 3 – learn to play points and develop tactical play in singles and doubles

Learn to Play is taught by David Gold at the Edge in Essex. This is a progressive program that is designed to teach you all the skills of tennis and get you playing points within 3 months. Sign up at the front desk for these 4 week sessions at a reduced introductory rate. Beginners must enroll in Tennis 1 before taking Tennis 2 or 3. Players may enroll in Tennis 2 or 3 if they have prior play experience.

Monday 6:30-7:30pm or Saturday 9:30-10:30am

Fees: \$60 members / \$80 nonmembers

| <u>Class Day/Time</u> | <u>Program Code</u> | <u>Program Dates</u> |
|----------------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------|
| Tennis 1 / Monday 6:30-7:30pm | LTP1-MON | 1/9-1/30 & 4/10-5/1 |
| Tennis 2 / Monday 6:30-7:30pm | LTP2-MON | 2/6-3/6 (skip 2/27) & 5/8-6/5 |
| Tennis 3 / Monday 6:30-7:30pm | LTP3-MON | 3/13-4/3 |
| Tennis 1 / Saturday 9:30-10:30am | LTP1-SAT | 1/7-2/4 (skip 1/28) & 4/15- 5/6 |
| Tennis 2 / Saturday 9:30-10:30am | LTP2-SAT | 2/18-3/11 & 5/13- 6/3 |
| Tennis 3 / Saturday 9:30-10:30am | LTP3-SAT | 3/18-4/8 |

**Senior Instruction & Play –
Tuesday 2:00-3:30pm**

Age 65+ Level 2.5-3.0

Games based teaching methods are used to encourage plenty of fun and an enhanced learning environment. A one hour clinic followed by 30 minutes of free play. Maximum number of participants is eight (8) with one court.

Essex – Tuesday 2-3:30pm

\$10.00/wk – Member

\$15.00/wk –Non-Member

Senior Round Robin @ Essex

Age 60+ All levels

Two courts are reserved each Thursday from 11:00-12:30pm except holidays for seniors to drop in and play doubles.

FREE - Members \$7.50 - Nonmembers

Adult Doubles Leagues @ Essex

Winter 2017

LEAGUE REGISTRATION NIGHT: Held at the Essex Edge front lobby on Wednesday, December 28th, 2016 from 5:30-7:30pm. There will be open play for all levels on 3 courts. **Save 10% by paying on 12/28!**

This league is open to all members and non-members. Play commences on Sunday, January 8th. Leagues will run for 14 weeks through April 13th, 2017. Registration is on a first come, first serve basis. Online Registration opens at 8:00 am on Wednesday, December 28th for players who have a Login/Password from previous enrollment. You may register online but payment must be made in person at The Edge on registration night or by the first week of league play. Space is limited depending on number of courts available for each specific league. Placement in the league as to player's ability will be at the discretion of the League Administrator, Tammy Azur. Tennis balls, court time, rules, schedules, standings and awards are included in the price. Our League Standings and updates will be online at www.topdogtennis.com.

| DAY | TIME | FORMAT | TYPE | PRO |
|-------|--------------|---------------|------------------|-------|
| Mon | 7:30-10:30pm | Fixed Partner | Men's 4.0+-4.5 | Tammy |
| Tues | 6:00-9:00pm | Fixed Partner | Women's 3.5+-4.0 | Tammy |
| Wed | 7:30-9:00pm | Fixed Partner | Women's 3.0-3.5 | Tammy |
| Thurs | 7:30-10:30pm | Fixed Partner | Men's 3.5-4.0 | Tammy |
| Sun | 6:00-7:30pm | Random | Men's 3.0 | Tammy |

\$95.00 – Member

\$215.00 – Non-Member

SINGLES TENNIS LADDERS

Ladder play runs from October 15th – April 30th, 2017. All matches must be scheduled on your own time and must be completed in 1 hour. The ladder will be run online through www.leaguesforfun.com. All challenges, scores and standings must go through the website. There will be a Men's, Women's and Junior Ladders of mixed levels. Players who join after October 1st will be placed at the bottom of the ladder. Contact Tammy Azur to register at tammya@edgevt.com.

FEES: \$30.00 /member \$50.00 /non-member (Applicable court fees apply)

****WINTER Discounts for all Junior Programs** – Register online or at the front desk and save! Classes will not be discounted after the pre-registration dates.

Pre-Registration Dates: December 15th – 31st, 2017

Save 10% on 1 class per week, **Save 20%** on 2 classes per week
or **Save 30%** on 3 classes or more per week

Bundle your Academy or Clinic with a 5 pack of Private lessons
Special price - \$275m / \$350nm (with academy session purchase only)

Essex Edge Junior Tennis Academy

Essex Edge Junior Academies offer USPTA Certified Professional coaching by Tammy Azur and David Gold.

Advanced technical and tactical drills with a game based approach are used to promote optimal performance. The Winter Semester commences January 2nd and runs throughout the school year ending June 18th, 2017. Academies will not be held the week of February or April break. Sign up is by the session. The semester will be broken up into three sessions, either a 7 or 8 week session (see schedule below). All High School groups will be one 12 week session. Please be sure that your schedule is clear for the semester or session, as classes will not be prorated for absences. Make up classes are offered when available. All classes are co-ed. **Online Registration begins 12/15/2016.**

Session I Dates: January 2nd – February 26th, 2017

Session II Dates: March 6th – April 23rd, 2017

Session III Dates: May 1st – June 18th, 2017

***High School groups: January 2nd – March 31st, 2017**

7 Week Session Fees: \$235 member / \$315 nonmember

8 Week Session Fees: \$270 member / \$360 nonmember

***12 Week Session Fees: \$400 member / \$540 nonmember**

| <u>Academy Day/Time</u> | <u>Program Code</u> | <u>Age/Level</u> |
|-------------------------|---------------------|-----------------------|
| Monday 5:00-6:30pm | JTAS1-MON500 | Age 14-18 level 4 & 5 |
| Tuesday 3:30-5:00pm | JTAS1-TUE330 | Age 14-18 Level 2-4 |
| Tuesday 5:00-6:30pm | JTAS1-TUE500 | Age 11-14 Level 3 & 4 |
| Thursday 4:30-6:00pm | JTAS1-THU430 | Age 14-18 Level 4 & 5 |
| Friday 3:30-5:00pm | JTAS1-FRI330 | Age 14-18 Level 2-4 |
| Friday 5:00-6:30pm | JTAS1-FRI500 | Age 12-15 Level 2-4 |

The Program Code will be the same for all sessions with the exception of **JTAS2 or S3 instead of S1.**

Essex Edge Youth Tennis Clinics

Smaller courts, shorter racquets and balls that bounce lower. Now, it's easier for kids to play the game and develop a love for the sport right from the start!

The Essex Edge Youth tennis program uses specialized developmental balls for children age 10 and under. **Orange balls (50% less bounce)** or **Green balls (25% less bounce)** allow kids to have early success by keeping the bounce lower and slower to reinforce proper swing technique. The slower ball allows kids to have more success and longer rallies making their tennis experience positive and fun. Clinics are taught by certified tennis professionals who are trained to teach proper stroke technique to kids of all ages. Players will learn basic stroke technique for groundstrokes, volleys and serves. All youth clinics will use a game based approach to teaching so the hour is fun and active without standing in lines.

Online Registration begins 12/15/2016

Session I Dates: January 2nd – February 26th, 2017

Session II Dates: March 6th – April 23rd, 2017

Session III Dates: May 1st – June 18th, 2017

***Sunday classes are 6 weeks for Session I due to tournaments**

8 Week Session Fees: \$185 member / \$240 nonmember

7 Week Session Fees: \$160 member / \$210 nonmember

| Clinic Day/Time | Program Code | Age/Level |
|------------------------|---------------------|----------------------|
| Monday 4:00-5:00pm | YTCS1-MON | Age 7-10 Level 2 & 3 |
| Thursday 3:30-4:30pm | YTCS1-TH330 | Age 5-7 Level 1 & 2 |
| Thursday 3:30-4:30pm | YTCS1-THU330 | Age 8-10 Level 1-3 |
| Sunday 10:00-11:00am | YTCS1-Sun10 | Age 6-8 All levels |
| Sunday 11:00-12:00pm | YTCS1-SUN11 | Age 9-12 Level 1 & 2 |

The Program Code will be the same for all sessions with the exception of **YTCS2 or S3 instead of S1.**



Essex Edge Little Racquets

Little Racquets Tennis is a comprehensive program of activities that emphasizes fun, fundamental skills, agility, hand-eye coordination, and physical fitness for preschool age children four to five. Classes are 45 minutes in duration. Orange developmental balls will be used for this age group to promote early success in learning the game of tennis. [Online Registration begins 12/15/2016.](#)

Session I Dates: January 2nd – February 26th, 2017

Session II Dates: March 6th – April 23rd, 2017

Session III Dates: May 1st – June 18th, 2017

8 Week Session Fees: \$130 member / \$155 nonmember

7 Week Session Fees: \$115 member / \$135 nonmember

| <u>Class Day/Time</u> | <u>Program Code</u> | <u>Age/Level</u> |
|-----------------------|---------------------|--------------------|
| Wednesday 1:00-1:45pm | LRACS1-WED | Age 4-5 Preschool |
| Friday 11:00-11:45am | LRACS1-FRI | Age 4-5 All Levels |
| Sunday 9:00-9:45am | LRACS1-SUN | Age 4-5 All levels |

All Little Racquets Session I classes listed above will be offered in Session II and III. The Program Code will be the same with the exception of **LRACS2 or LRACS3 instead of S1.**

Essex Edge Junior Match Play

Organized Junior Match Play for ages 9-13 and 14-18. Drop-in on Sunday afternoons for some fun and competitive play. An Edge coach will mix players according to age and ability in a round robin format of play. Players will play 1 set matches against other players in singles and doubles. Prizes will be awarded and matches played will count toward the Essex Edge Junior Ladder standings.

Dates: January 15th, February 5th & 26th, March 26th, April 9th, May 7th & 22nd

Age 9-13 play 2-4pm & Age 14-18 play 4-6pm

Program Fees: \$10 per player

USTA SANCTIONED TOURNAMENTS

The Essex Edge will be hosting 4 USTA Sanctioned Junior Events this season. Please register online by going to the USTA New England website or through Tennislink directly. Please use the Tournament ID numbers listed below. Contact Tammy Azur with any questions at tammya@edgevt.com.

January 7th -8th, 2017 Boys & Girls Singles Age 12s (Green Dot), 14s RRobin
16s & 18s SE Level 7 Tennislink Tournament ID#450047017

March 11th -12th, 2017 Boys & Girls Singles Age 16s & 18s Level 7
Tennislink Tournament ID#450047117

March 18th -19th, 2017 Boys & Girls Singles Age 12s & 14s Round Robin Level 7
Tennislink Tournament ID#450047217

June 17th -18th, 2017 Boys & Girls Singles Age 12s (Green Dot), 14s RRobin
16s RRobin Level 7 Tennislink Tournament ID#450047517

Fees: \$40 per tournament singles and \$24 for doubles

TENNIS JUNIOR VACATION CAMPS

February Break Vacation Camp @ ESSEX **February 27th – March 3rd, 2017**

Ages 8-13 9:00-12:00pm & Ages 14-18 1:00-4:00pm

Fees: \$50 members / \$65 nonmembers (per day)

April Break Vacation Camp @ESSEX April 24th -28th

Ages 8-13 9:00-12:00pm & Ages 14-18 1:00-4:00pm

Fees: \$50 members / \$65 nonmembers (per day)

Please contact Tammy Azur for more information at tammya@edgevt.com.

Save 10% off the weekly camp price if you register one week prior to camp. Camps will focus on skill training (strokes and serves), simulated game play and match play tactics and strategies for singles and doubles play. Register at the Essex Edge front desk. Space is limited.