

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. Lesson packages may be shared by family members.

PRIVATE LESSONS

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

SEMI-PRIVATE LESSONS

TYPE OF LESSON	MEMBER RATE	NON-MEMBER RATE
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 PRIVATE LESSONS

TYPE OF LESSON	MEMBER RATE	NON-MEMBER RATE
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 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.

Adult Programs

Fall programs start Tuesday, September 5th, 2017

Drop-In Drills @ Essex	Thursday 6:00-7:30pm Level 3.5-4.5
This class is 90 minutes 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.	
1 Class Fee: \$15.00 – Member / \$18.00 – Nonmember	
10 Punch Card Fee: \$125.00 - Member / \$155.00 – Nonmember	

Adult Development Drills for Skills @ Essex	Wednesday 6:30-7:30pm & Saturday 10:30-11:30am (formerly stroke of the week) Level 2.5-3.0
Adult development is for the advanced beginner to low intermediate player looking to enhance their skills and tactical knowledge to improve match play. Classes will consist of stroke technique review plus active drills and games to simulate point play. Please sign up online or at the front desk. Sign up is week to week and space is limited to 8 per class.	
1 Class Fee: \$15.00 – Member / \$20.00 – Non-member	
10 Punch Card Fee: \$125.00 – Member / \$155.00 - Nonmember	

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	

**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

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	9/25-10/16
Tennis 2 / Monday 6:30-7:30pm	LTP2-MON	10/23-11/13
Tennis 3 / Monday 6:30-7:30pm	LTP3-MON	11/20-12/11
Tennis 1 / Saturday 9:30-10:30am	LTP1-SAT	9/16-10/7
Tennis 2 / Saturday 9:30-10:30am	LTP2-SAT	10/14-11/4
Tennis 3 / Saturday 9:30-10:30am	LTP3-SAT	11/11-12/9 (skip 11/25)

Adult Doubles Leagues @ Essex Fall 2017

LEAGUE REGISTRATION NIGHT: Held at the Essex Edge front lobby on Monday, August 21st, 2017 from 5:30-7:00pm. There will be open play for all levels on 3 courts. Save 10% by paying on 8/21!

This league is open to all members and non-members. Play commences on Sunday, September 10th, 2017. Leagues will run for 14 weeks through December 18th, 2017. Registration is on a first come, first serve basis. Online Registration opens at 8:00 am on Monday, August 21st 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
Monday	7:30-10:30pm	Fixed Partner	Men's 4.0+-4.5
Tuesday	6:00-9:00pm	Fixed Partner	Women's 3.5+-4.0
Wednesday	7:30-9:00pm	Fixed Partner	Women's 3.0-3.5
Thursday	7:30-10:30pm	Fixed Partner	Men's 3.5-4.0
Sunday	6:00-7:30pm	Random	Men's 3.0
Sunday	4:30-6:00pm	Fixed Partner	Mixed Doubles 7.0-8.0 combined rating

\$95.00 – Member

\$215.00 – Non-Member

SINGLES TENNIS LADDERS

Men's, Women's & Junior Ladder play will run from October 16th – April 30th, 2018. The ladder will be online through www.topdogtennis.com. All matches must be scheduled on your own time and must be completed in 1 hour. All challenges, scores and standings must go through the website. Players who join after October 13th 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)

****FALL 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: August 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 led by Tennis Director, Tammy Azur. Advanced technical and tactical drills with a game based approach are used to promote optimal performance. The Fall Semester commences September 5th and runs through December 21st, 2017. Academies will not be held the week of Thanksgiving break. The semester will be broken up into two sessions, either a 7 or 8 week session (see schedule below). 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 8/15/2017.**

Session I Dates: September 5th- October 23rd, 2017

Session II Dates: October 24th – December 21st, 2017

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

8 Week Session Fees: \$270 member / \$360 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
Wednesday 4:30-6:00pm	JTAS1-WED430	Age 14-18 Level 4 & 5
Thursday 4:30-6:00pm	JTAS1-THU430	Age 14-18 Level 2-4
Friday 3:30-5:00pm	JTAS1-FRI330	Age 11-14 Level 2 & 3

The Program Code will be the same for all sessions with the exception of **JTAS2** 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 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 8/15/2017

Session I Dates: September 5th- October 23rd, 2017

Session II Dates: October 24th – December 21st, 2017

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

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

Clinic Day/Time	Program Code	Age/Level
Wednesday 1:00-2:00pm	YTCS1-WED1	Age 4-5 (preschool level 1)
Thursday 3:30-4:30pm	YTCS1-TH330	Age 5-7 Level 1 & 2
Thursday 3:30-4:30pm	YTCS1-THU330	Age 8-10 Level 2 & 3
Sunday 9:00-10:00am	YTCS1-SUN9	Age 5-7 All levels
Sunday 10:00-11:00am	YTCS1-SUN10	Age 8-10 Level 1 & 2
Sunday 11:00-12:00pm	YTCS1-SUN11	Age 11-13 Level 1

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



Essex Edge Junior Match & Ladder 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: October 15th, October 29th, November 12th, December 3rd & 17th

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

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.

October 7 & 8, 2017 Boys & Girls Singles Age Divisions: 14s & 18s Level 6 w/consolation Register on Tennislink with Tournament ID#450047717

November 4 & 5, 2017 Boy's & Girl's Level 7 Singles Divisions: 12s (Green Dot), 14s RRobin & 16s RRobin Register on Tennislink with Tournament ID#450047817

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

TENNIS JUNIOR VACATION CAMPS

**Thanksgiving Break Vacation Camp @ ESSEX
November 20th, 21st, & 22nd, 2017**

Ages 9-13 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. Register at the Essex Edge front desk.

