

Durham-Orange Community Tennis Association
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October 13, 2022

Hello Tennis Enthusiast,

I trust you had a pleasant return back into the school year. The vast majority have participated in our clinics with our staff assistants or me personally. I want to thank all (players and parents) trusting in us for the time and commitment it takes to develop your skill levels and game. Some of you are at the Middle, High School or College Level. I/we (staff assistant) work very hard to give you the best efficient clinics bar none... in North Carolina. The game of tennis has so many moving parts, strategies and mental focus; that's why I am so **passionate** about the sport....it signifies the journey of life and always remember what ever journey you take it must be a destination, exit strategy or ending. Tennis is a sport of a life time and whether your skills are strong or not; there's always a place for you. I have connected to so many people in my life time through this **AWESOME SPORT CALL T...E...N...N...I...S!!!**

Now for the exciting news. **DOCTA was approved to resume tennis sessions** for the fall indoor clinics held at Duke University on **Friday nights 9 pm-10:30**. This year we need all registration fees in advance for the contract agreement with the University. Please reply **by October 17, 2022 by 11:59 pm; if you are participating**. This year we will have limited openings available; and we have limited courts this year. The clinics will be held every Friday **except holidays and (No Play) black days**. The sessions start on November 4, 2022 - March 24, 2023. The clinics are for Juniors; {beginners, immediate and advance participants}. **I have attached a copy of the registration form below for your convenience**. All fees must accompany the registration form attached. Please make registration fee (**\$375.00**) **Payable to: (DOCTA) Durham-Orange Community Tennis Association** or **Venmo: Durham-Orange Community Tennis - @DOCTA1998**

**** No Play Days and holidays: November 18, 25; January 13, 20, 27; February 3, 10, 24; March 3, 24, (2023)**

**** Duke Covid-19 Policy:** The participant must wear their mask inside the facility. **The removal of your mask is only if you are playing on the court**. The participants must switch on opposite sides of the court during play maintaining 6 ft. social distance. The parents/guardian cannot be in the facility, they must wait outside the facility or drop off and pickup participants when session is completed.

Note: Please reply before or on **October 17, 2022** if you will be participating and all **fees/registration** form must be received **by October 29, 2022**.

Thanks to All,

John McLean, Coach-Instructor-Pro

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