



JUNIOR SQUASH ACADEMY
MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION 2025/26

Please complete this form and send it to the Membership Secretary;
Tunbridge Wells Squash Rackets Club (TWSRC), 39a London Road, Tunbridge Wells TN1 1DL.
TWSRCmembership@gmail.com

Juniors aged 18 and under (on 1st September 2025): Junior Academy Membership: £70
I wish to apply for membership of TWSRC for the season 1st July 2025 until 30th June 2026
Subscription Fee £..... Payment method.....
Bank details: Account name Tunbridge Wells Squash Rackets Club; sort code 20-88-13; a/c #90908126.
Please use your name as a reference so your payment can be identified.

Or pay at the bar by cash or credit card or cheque and make sure you have a named receipt.

Membership fees are non-refundable.

JUNIOR'S NAME:

DATE OF BIRTH:/...../.....

Parents Details (required by England Squash)

PARENT'S NAME: DATE OF BIRTH:/...../.....

ADDRESS:

..... POSTCODE:

TEL.NO.(mobile)..... CAR REGISTRATION NO.....

PARENTS EMAIL.....@.....

To play squash at TWSRC, playing members must be insured against injury and have public liability cover.

By signing this form, you agree to:

1. being registered with England Squash and affiliated to TWSRC or, if you are registered and affiliated elsewhere or have personal insurance, you agree to let the membership secretary have the details. Members take personal responsibility to ensure that their membership of England Squash is activated in order to have full access to its benefits, including the insurance.
2. abide by the Rules of the Club and confirm that you have read, understood and agree to comply with the club rules on junior safeguarding available on our website. This sets out details on safeguarding reporting procedures and policies (including our junior code of conduct.)
3. have your email and telephone contact details, or those of a parent / guardian, available to members of the club, including on a secure part of the club website.
4. have read and agree to abide by the duty of care for juniors using the Club's changing rooms – stated overleaf.

Parent's Signature:..... DATE:...../...../.....

Junior's SignatureDATE:...../...../.....

Keeping our juniors safe: We want all our juniors to develop their game, meet new friends and, above all, have fun playing squash in a safe environment. Our Group coaching programme is delivered by fully qualified, DBS checked, registered England Squash Coaches. We also have appropriate safeguarding policies in place which are reviewed regularly by the Club's Committee. Our latest safeguarding reporting procedures, policies (including our junior code of conduct)

Who should I contact if I have any concerns? Any concerns, no matter how minor, should be reported to our Club's safeguarding officer, Craig Bowers on 07989 986299

Duty of care for juniors: Safe use of the changing facilities and toilets.

We have a duty of care to safeguard children and responsibility for the wellbeing of children in the Club, including in the Club's changing rooms. As a result, we have come up with the following policy to protect children and young people who visit the Club. This includes the children of adults who use the Club. This policy has been drawn up on the basis of the NSPCC's practice guidelines on the safe use of changing facilities. One suggestion from the NSPCC is that ideally children should have sole use of a changing facility in order to reduce any risks and potential vulnerability associated with mixing with adults or other young people (known or unknown to them) when changing and showering. We have decided to adopt this best approach, with a dedicated unisex toilet for juniors, which they can use for changing.

Policy

As a parent or guardian allowing your child or the young person in your care to use the Club, you agree to the following and must ensure that your child or the young person in your care also adheres to the following:

- You must ensure that your child is appropriately supervised while they are at the Club.
- It is your responsibility to judge whether it is safe and appropriate to allow an older child or young person to visit the Club and use the facilities unaccompanied.
- While at the Club any child under the age of 9 years must, at all times, be accompanied by you or a responsible adult appointed by you. It is your responsibility to make sure that a child under the age of 9 years is never left alone on the club premises with only one other adult (whether a coach or other adult) unless that adult is appointed by you.
- Coaches or other adult supervisors will not be responsible for your child outside of lessons taking place on court.
- Children must not use the adult changing rooms at any time but must instead use the dedicated unisex junior toilet/changing room across from Picton court. There is only room for one junior to use the changing room at any time. Unfortunately, there are currently no showers available for juniors.
- Due to the risks of inappropriate photography or filming, neither children nor adults should use mobile phones in the junior changing room.
- If children are uncomfortable changing at the Club no pressure should be placed on them to do so. In such cases children are encouraged to come to the Club changed and ready to play squash.
- Children should use the toilet within the junior changing room rather than the men's toilet by the stairs or the women's toilet within the women's change room.
- If there is any breach of this policy by you or your child or young person, we may need to ask you to always accompany your child or young person whilst they are at the Club.

If you have any questions or concerns relating to this policy or your child's use of the Club, please contact the membership secretary via e mail: TWSRCmembership@gmail.com, the Club's safeguarding officer, Craig Bowers or the Club Coach.