

The Society's grounds are enviably located right next door to the scenic Birmingham Botanical Gardens.

It has a thriving and sociable junior and adult playing membership.

Clubhouse with all facilities, including bar and changing rooms.

## Court Facilities

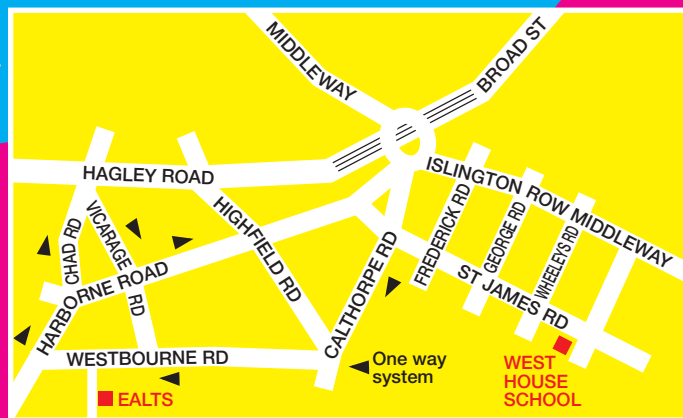
6 Grass courts	Summer season play.
4 Shale courts	All year play.
2 Artificial grass courts	Floodlit, all year play.
4 Macadam courts	All year play.

## Mini Tennis Enquiries

For further details please contact Malcolm Sidwell 0121 544 7790

## New members of all ages welcomed

For further details and application forms please contact the Membership Secretary Andy Coney 07768 760005



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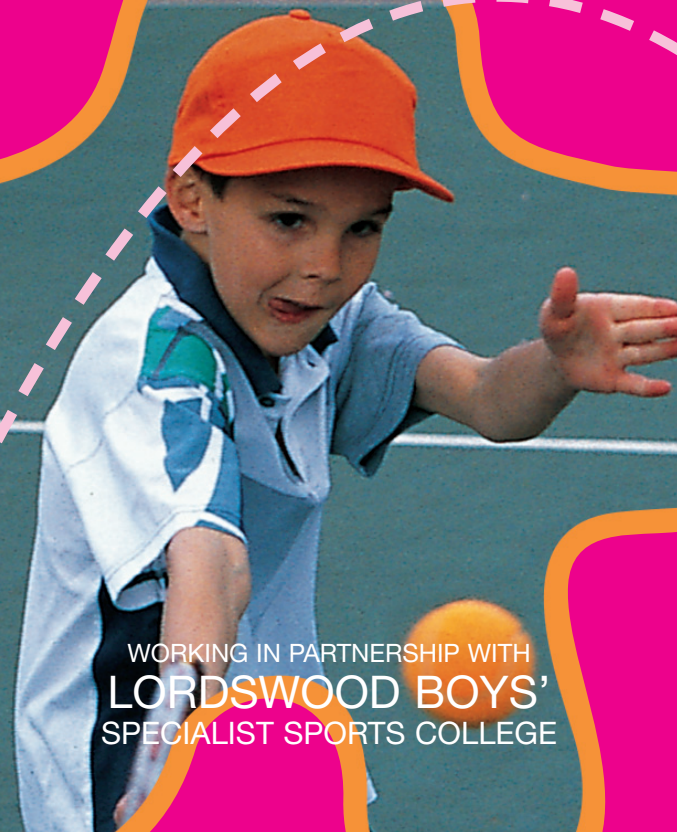
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# Junior Tennis

## Coaching for all ages and abilities including

- ⦿ Mini Tennis
- ⦿ Weekend, After School and Holiday courses
- ⦿ Performance and Advanced Squad programmes
- ⦿ Regular club and open tournaments
- ⦿ Club league competition
- ⦿ Junior league teams
- ⦿ Social play



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# Mini Tennis

**THE EASY WAY FOR CHILDREN 4 - 9 YEARS OLD TO LEARN TO PLAY**  
Mini tennis is the game of tennis specially modified for younger players. There are three progressive colour coded stages: **RED**, **ORANGE** and **GREEN**.



**RED** beginner players play on small courts with small racquets and sponge balls.

As they progress on to **ORANGE** and **GREEN** the racquet length, speed of the ball, duration of the game and the size of the court increase until the children reach the full sized game.

## Co-ordination Skills

These are best learnt before children reach their teens as they represent the greatest factor in acquiring the technical skills for tennis.

## Physical Development

Our mini tennis programme aims to develop the all-round physical capabilities of young children to enable them to enjoy tennis for years to come. Children on our courses will spend time in every session working on throwing, catching, moving, balancing and co-ordination skills.

Parents can help their children between tennis lessons by spending some time with them on non-racquet physical skills activities. Then their children will learn quicker and benefit more from their tennis coaching sessions.

ALL SESSIONS CONDUCTED BY LTA LICENSED COACHES AND ASSISTANTS

## All Equipment Provided

Sessions conducted as indicated either at EA&LTS grounds in Westbourne Road or at West House School, St. James Road.

Day	Time	Session	Dates	No. of Weeks	Venue	Cost
Mon	6:15 - 7:00pm	MTR 45 <b>RED</b> 4-5 yrs beginners	Sept - July	10	West House	£30.00
Mon	7:00 - 8:00pm	MTR 69 <b>RED</b> 6-9 yrs beginners	Sept - July	10	West House	£40.00
Thurs	6:30 - 7:30pm	MTR 68 <b>RED</b> 6-9 yrs intermediate	Sept - July	10	West House	£40.00

## PERFORMANCE SQUADS BY INVITATION

Fri	6:30 - 7:30pm	<b>RED</b>	Sept - April	10	West House	£40.00
Fri	7:30 - 8:30pm	<b>RED</b>	Sept - April	10	West House	£40.00
Sat	9:15 - 10.30am	GIRLS <b>ORANGE</b> / <b>GREEN</b>	All year	10	EA&LTS	£35.00
Sun	9.00 - 10.30am	BOYS <b>ORANGE</b> / <b>GREEN</b>	All year	10	EA&LTS	£35.00

## Competition

MINI TENNIS MATCHES Teams play in the county leagues and friendly inter-club matches.

**RED** TOURNAMENTS EA&LTS holds regular match-play sessions and an annual open tournament.

## FULL COURT TENNIS AT EA&LTS

Day	Time	Session	Dates	Cost
Sat	10:30 - 11:40am	FCTI Beginner	All year	£3.50 per session
Sat	11:40 - 12:50am	FCTA Advanced	All year	£3.50 per session

## ADVANCED SQUADS BY INVITATION

Day	Time	Session	Dates	No of Weeks	Cost
Sun	10:15 - 11:45am	GIRLS Advanced	All year	10	£40.00
Sat	11:30 - 1:00pm	BOYS Advanced	All year	10	£40.00

## Performance Squads

Held year round by invitation.

## Holiday Coaching

One week or part week courses are held during all school holidays. Full details from Malcolm Sidwell.

## Tournaments for EA&LTS Junior Members

Annual junior club championships. Singles box leagues throughout the year - results count towards LTA rating.

## Open Tournaments

A number of annual open events including a series of one day junior match-play rating events.



## EA&LTS Club Junior Teams

The Society enters many teams at different age groups in the National Junior League and the North Warwickshire Junior Doubles League.

## Social Events

A number of lively family and junior functions are held throughout the year.

## Individual Coaching

Two LTA licensed coaches are based at the club:  
Malcolm Sidwell. . . . . **0121 544 7790**  
Bill Brown . . . . . **01564 205071**  
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