

PLAY SAFE

WARM-UP, STRETCH OUT, GET DINKING & HAVE FUN

- 1. Wear a **good pair of court shoes** (no black soles, walking, running, cross trainers, or street shoes).
- 2. Always warm up your body before playing with some easy stretches, back, arms, shoulders, hamstrings. If in doubt consult with a certified physiotherapist or doctor who can factor in any medical problems you may have.
- 3. Keep well hydrated, drink plenty of fluids before, during and after playing.
- 4. Please **do not run backwards** to get to a ball over your head, it is too easy to fall or collide with a wall and hurt yourself.
- 5. Carefully run forward to get that low bouncing ball so you don't fall and hurt yourself.
- 6. Always **yell 'BALL ON COURT' loud and clear and NEVER run onto the adjoining court** to retrieve your ball; the players on that court will throw it back to you.
- 7. Never walk behind players while they are playing; wait until they are between points and let them know you want to cross behind their court.
- 8. Don't take an extra ball or balls with you on the court. Only one can be used and strays should never be left lying on the other courts. Always retrieve the stray ball.
- 9. Do not take extraneous materials (bags, bottles, towels) on the court or hang them on the net posts. These items create unsafe courts and impede visibility.
- 10. All U18's players to be supervised by a parent or guardian during a session.

INJURIES OR FEEL UNWELL ON COURT - PLEASE COME AND FIND US FOR ASSISTANCE

IN CASE OF FIRE & FIRE ALARMS

Please exit the gym calmly by the nearest exit as signed. Please meet in the tennis courts outside the gym for a roll call. Do NOT enter the gym unless advised by PIKLRZ, site staff or emergency crews.