

Baylor Tennis Camp

Pre-Registration Bulletin

REGISTRATION:

Registration will take place between **5:00-6:00 p.m.** at the Baylor Tennis Facility on Sunday.

Directions to the facility from IH 35: Exit University Parks Dr. and head east toward the university. Go through Bagby and the tennis facility will be on the left next to the softball and baseball stadiums.

Due to the large number of campers registering on Sunday, early registration cannot be permitted, and late registration must be arranged in advance.

Immediately following registration, the parents will take the campers to the dormitory to receive their rooming assignment. Directions to the dorm will be given at registration. Dinner is not provided and they should meet back at the tennis center at **6:30 pm** ready to play tennis for the evaluation.

CHECK OUT:

Check out will follow the Thursday awards presentation. The awards ceremony is at **6:30-7:00 pm** and check out will follow at the dorms. Their bags will be packed and ready to go.

Due to the large number of campers and staff obligations, early checkouts are allowed only in special circumstances. This must be pre-arranged during registration. Prior to check out, all rooms must be cleaned and checked by a camp counselor. Any damage caused by the camper including lost room keys must be paid prior to checkout. A **\$10 fee** is required for a lost key.

Parents or guardians will be required to sign out their child from camp. If someone other than the camper's parent or guardian will be picking up a camper at check out, we request that you include a note by a parent that gives permission to the person responsible for picking up the camper.

ROOMMATES:

Roommate assignments will be granted by request as space permits. In cases where requests are not made, rooming situations will be assigned based on age. Each room

accommodates two campers. The dorms have a community shower with sinks in the room.

PAYMENT OF FEES:

To expedite registration we request that the fee balance be paid **at least one week** prior to beginning of camp. After the deposit the remaining cost of camp is \$385 (Overnight) and \$260 (Day Camp). Make checks payable to ***Baylor Tennis Camp*** (Print camper's name and session in the lower left-hand corner of the check)

All questions regarding the payment of fees and other camp policies should be directed to Debbie Williams at (254) 710-4659.

MEDICAL CONSENT AND INFORMATION FORM:

You should have received a parental release and medical consent form in the mail. If you did not receive the forms they are available online on **www.baylorbears.com** under camps.

Each camper must have a thoroughly completed form before being allowed in any court session. **We request for you to send the forms along with the payment of fees before registration.**

Send to: Baylor Tennis Camp, 150 Bear Run, Waco TX 76711

APPAREL

Campers will be expected to dress in **proper tennis clothing** during workouts. No jogging shoes or non-white soled tennis shoes (except those shoes designed specifically for tennis with non-marking soles) will be allowed. A hat or visor, along with sunscreen, is strongly recommended for sun protection. Although hot and sunny weather is typical in Waco during June, campers should be prepared for some rain. Shirts, shoes, and nametags must be worn at all times outside of the camper's rooms. Tennis racquets are not provided and must be brought to camp. Stringing is available for \$15.

ROOM KEYS:

At registration, each resident camper will be issued a key to his/her room. The camper is responsible for their key during camp. If they lock themselves out of their room, the counselor with the master key will open the door for them.

A **\$10** fee is required if they lose their key. Campers will return their key to the dorm director during free-time on Thursday after packing. Following the awards ceremony a counselor will unlock the camper's dorm room with the master key to retrieve their bags.

MEALS:

Meal procedures will be covered at check in. Campers may bring a small amount of drinks and snacks with them (dormitory provides a refrigerator).

Pizza will be ordered every night and campers will have an opportunity to sign up for pizza each day during the classroom session. It costs \$10 for a large pizza. Counselors will deliver the pizza to the camper's dorm following the night session of tennis.

EQUIPMENT:

Tennis Racquet

Tennis attire for five days

Hat or visor

Water bottle

Sunscreen

Swim suit

Pillow/All linens (twin bed)

Casual clothing

Toilet articles

Spending money

SPENDING MONEY:

It is suggested that campers bring some spending money to camp. Change for large bills is **not** provided. There are optional activities offered at camp that are not covered in the fees (examples of past activities include: bowling at the Student Union, video games, shopping at the Baylor Book Store and pizza)

In addition, many campers want to purchase items from our camp store. We do not police the spending habits of the campers and feel that learning to handle a limited amount of money and to budget well is part of the camp experience.

CAMP STORE:

Our camp store will be open at various times throughout the week. Baylor Tennis items available to purchase will include **t-shirts, hats, water bottles, and accessories**. We will also be providing **racquet stringing, grips, and over-wrap**.

LAUNDRY:

Coin-operated washers and dryers are available to campers. Campers must provide the laundry detergent and quarters.

LINENS:

Campers will be required to bring sheets (twin size), blanket, pillow, and pillowcase.

TELEPHONE CALLS:

Telephone messages for tennis campers maybe left by calling the following number.

(254) 710-4659	(Debbie Williams)
(254) 644-1903	(Rachel Scrivano)
(254) 710-1323	(Joey Scrivano)
(254) 710-3484	(Matt Knoll)

There are 3-4 payphones available for use in the dormitory. We request that campers complete their phone calls by **9:30 pm** to allow plenty of time to get back to their rooms for lights out.

Campers are allowed to bring a cell phone for calls to parents during their time in the dorm. We understand that some campers may have trouble adjusting to being away from home. In each case, we encourage them to share these feelings with a camp counselor.

MAIL:

Any camper mail should be sent to the camper care of:

Baylor Tennis Camp
150 Bear Run
Waco, TX 76711

PARENT'S VISITS:

Parents are welcome to observe any or all of the practice sessions from the stadium of the Baylor Tennis Center. As a courtesy, we ask that parents check in at the camp office prior to each visit.

Parents are welcome to attend Thursday's awards presentation at the Baylor Tennis Center (starts approximately 6:30 pm).

CAMP POLICY:

Please familiarize yourself with the Camper Rules and Regulations (enclosed).