



KENT TENNIS

Schools Tennis Competitions 2017

Primary Schools Tennis Competitions

We offer Tennis Competitions for all schools and all levels! Great chance to give your pupils the opportunity to represent their school!! If your school has a link with a club or a coaching team then you can talk to them about which competitions are right for you!!!

Tennis Competition A: Year 3&4 Mini Tennis Red Festivals

Local events leading to finals (Kent/London)

Organiser	School Games Organiser (SGO) for each borough/area leading to a final (Kent or London). In London boroughs the winning School qualifies for the London Youth Games. In other boroughs Schools qualify for the Kent School Games Finals being held on Monday 26 th June at Polo Farm sports Club in Canterbury.
Player Standard	Year 3 or Year 4 (any standard for Kent Boroughs; in London Boroughs players with an Orange 2 rating or above are not allowed to play)
Player Format	4 players per team (must include 1 girl for Kent, 2 girls for London)
Events	Mini Tennis Red (badminton size court, soft balls, 21"/23" rackets)
Organisation	Varies depending on SGO/area (often doubles matches scored by leaders)
Scoring	Timed matches with tie-break scoring (1-0, 1-1, 2-1 etc.)
How to Enter	Speak to your SGO or club/coaching team
Where/When	From April onwards in your borough
Cost	FREE





Tennis Competition B: Kent Team Competition

One day events

Each School entering must have a responsible adult in overall charge of players which is in attendance.

Organiser	Kent Tennis and Venue Competition Organiser
Player Standard	Generally for more advanced players with a rating and playing experience
Player Format	4 players in a team, separate events for girl's teams and boys teams
Events	Mini Tennis Red (Year 3 and below) Mini Tennis Orange (Year 5 and below) Mini Tennis Green (Year 6 and below) *players can only play in 1 event
Organisation	Each team will play against other teams with 4 singles and 2 doubles in each team match. Starting in round robin boxes, leading to further matches until the 2016 Champions have been found. *Each team must have a manager who is on the courtside with the players and is able to score
Scoring	Timed matches with tie-break scoring (1-0, 1-1, 2-1 etc.)
How to Enter	Use attached entry form or download from Kent Tennis website – https://www3.lta.org.uk/in-your-area/Kent/resource-category/?SubFolderPath=Schools
Where/When	In the Bromley area in May (see entry form for more detail)
Cost	See page 2 of the entry form

Tennis Competition C: Kent Schools Annual Doubles Championships

Local qualifier events leading to county finals

Organiser	Kent Tennis and Teachers/Coaches from Schools entered
Player Standard	Open to everyone – less experienced through to advanced
Player Format	2 players in a team, separate events for girl's teams and boys teams
Events	Mini Tennis Red (Year 3 and below) Mini Tennis Orange (Year 5 and below) Mini Tennis Green (Year 6 and below) Yellow ball Tennis (Year 6 and below) 1 day event on 23 rd June *players can only play in 1 event
Organisation	Doubles matches starting in round robin boxes which may lead to further matches – top teams qualify for county finals. *All participating schools are expected to provide a teacher/coach/who is able to help with the running of the event.
Scoring	Timed matches with tie-break scoring (1-0, 1-1, 2-1, etc.)
How to Enter	Use attached entry form or download from Kent Tennis website – https://www3.lta.org.uk/in-your-area/Kent/resource-category/?SubFolderPath=Schools
Where/When	Qualifying events – Bromley (14 th June 2017) Canterbury (15 th June 2017) Finals – Bromley Tennis Centre – Friday 24 th June 2017 (invitation only) See entry form for more detail
Cost	See page 2 of the entry form

