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## Tennis Academy



**2026 WinterSpring Program  
January 12 – May 16**

**Green Ball**  
**Orange Ball**  
**Intermediate**  
**Red Ball**  
**Pee Wee**

# HP Tennis Academy

@ HPISD Seay Tennis Center

## Winter/Spring 2026 Development Program

Director of Tennis:  
*Ryan Recht*

### Registration

Remit new and returning student completed registration forms to Deborah Barnes by email at [barnesd@hpsid.org](mailto:barnesd@hpsid.org). Credit card information is required at time of registration for payment of tuition and facility fee.

All classes fill on a first come, first served basis in the order registrations received.

*If your child has special needs that we should be aware of, please visit with the appropriate class director prior to registration.*

### Required Non-Refundable Facility Fee

HPISD Resident: \$35.00  
HPISD Non-Resident: \$40.00

HP Tennis Academy students have 'walk on' court privileges, indoor court fees apply.  
(HPHS ACE fee not applicable to facility fee)

### Questions?

Seay Tennis Center Front Desk  
214-780-4032  
Deborah Barnes  
214-780-4037  
Ryan Recht  
214-780-4038

**Classes begin:**  
January 12, 2026  
**Current Student  
Registration opens:**  
November 17, 2025  
**New Student  
Registration Opens:**  
December 1, 2025

### PAYMENT PLAN

The offered *payment plan* option is a courtesy to our parents who prefer to stagger payments. It is not a monthly payment but rather *installment payments* for the semester, and as such, *are owed and will be billed accordingly*.

### REFUND POLICY **PLEASE READ CAREFULLY**

Withdrawals more than 3 weeks before the first day of class will receive a tuition refund less a \$40 processing fee. Withdrawals less than 3 weeks before the first day of class will be charged a \$50 cancellation fee in addition to the \$40 processing fee.

**Once the semester has begun, there are no refunds given due to non-participation for any reason. No credits or refunds are issued for the non-refundable Facility or Payment Plan Fees.**

If due to a long-term illness or injury a student cannot complete the full class series, a partial pro-rated credit may be applied to the cost of future participation. *No refunds.* Any credit issued due to injury or illness is valid for the concurrent semester only. If not used during the concurrent semester, credit becomes forfeit.

**PEE WEE – Ages 3&4** - The goal of the program is to instill excitement and a desire to make tennis a lifetime activity. Hand eye and group participation skills are stressed along with basic introduction to the fundamental grips and swings. Activities conducted with mini-tennis nets on the indoor Quick Start court.

**RED BALL - Ages 5&6** - Emphasis is on hand eye coordination, racquet control, basic technique of ground strokes and volleys plus movement. Introduction to basic singles and doubles play. Activities conducted on short court (USTA Red Ball court dimension) and the footwork court with several teaching aids such as tees and modified tees.

**INTERMEDIATE - Ages 7-10** – Beginner, Intermediate/Advanced Intermediate players continue work on the refinement of basic tennis skills. Drills and rallying are introduced to simulate match play situations. Activities conducted mostly on short court (USTA Red Ball court dimension) and the footwork court. The class begins with Red Balls with Orange Ball and USTA Orange Ball court dimensions introduced later in the session.

**ORANGE BALL – Ages 8-10&1/2** – Advanced Intermediate players that have had prior Red Ball training and some Orange Ball experience. Rallying and point play are emphasized with both red and (mostly) orange balls. Players must be goal oriented and playing USTA Orange Ball tournaments during the year.

**GREEN BALL** - Players continue to hone technique, footwork skills and are introduced to mental toughness skills as they pertain to match play for rising tournament players.

### **TOURNAMENT AND ELITE**

**TRAINING** – Intense programs for goal-oriented junior players. Refinement of movement, balance and shot production are incorporated in match play simulation drills to help the player construct points. Video analysis and mental toughness training continues as a means of helping the players learn how to correct flaws and win matches.

**2026 WinterSpring**  
**Seay Tennis Center ~ Highland Park HS Campus**  
**HP Tennis Academy/Lower School**  
**Highland Park ISD Seay Tennis Center**  
**January 12 – May 16**

No Academy classes held M.L.K. Day January 19 or Spring Break Week March 16-20

**Director Green Ball Training – Mercedes Fernandez** [fernamm@hpsid.org](mailto:fernamm@hpsid.org)  
**Director Lower School Training – Johnny Tallent** [tallenj@hpsid.org](mailto:tallenj@hpsid.org)

**Green Ball – USTA Quick Start**  
**Tournament Players Ages 12 & Under**

\*\*Registration for this class requires  
pre-approval by class Director

**Class Schedule**

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday  
4 - 6 p.m. – HPMS Courts

**Program Pricing**

**\$1291/1 day per week**  
**\$1792/2 days per week**  
**\$2038/3-4 days per week**  
(Does not include facility fee)

Payment Plan for 2-day option: 3 @ \$597 or 4 @ \$448  
Payment Plan for 3-day option: 3 @ \$679 or 4 @ \$509

Payment Plan option incurs a \$100 fee.

**Orange Ball – USTA Quick Start**  
**Ages 8-10 1/2**

\*\*Registration for this class requires  
pre-approval by class Director

**Class Schedule**

Monday, Wednesday & Thursday\* 4-5:30 p.m.  
(\*Thursday available only with 3-day option)  
Indoor Center

**Program Pricing**

**\$952/1 day per week**  
**\$1429/2 days per week**  
**\$1541/3 days per week**  
(Does not include facility fee)

Payment Plan for 2-day option: 3 @ \$476 or 4 @ \$357  
Payment Plan for 3-day option: 3 @ \$513 or 4 @ \$385

Payment Plan option incurs a \$100 fee.

**Intermediate &**  
**Advanced Intermediate**

Intermediate & Beginning Players Ages 7-10  
Red Ball transition to Orange Ball

**Class Schedule**

Tuesday & Thursday 4:00-5:30 p.m.  
Saturday 10:00-11:30 a.m.  
Indoor Center

**Program Pricing**

**\$952/1 day per week**  
**\$1429/2 days per week**  
**\$1541/3 days per week**  
(Does not include facility fee)

Payment Plan for 2-day option: 3 @ \$476 or 4 @ \$357  
Payment Plan for 3-day option: 3 @ \$513 or 4 @ \$385

Payment Plan option incurs a \$100 fee.

*Red Ball Class Only:*  
*January 20 - May 10*

**Red Ball – USTA Quick Start**  
**Elementary & Primary Ages 5 & 6**

**Class Schedule**

Wednesday 5:30-6:30 p.m.  
Saturday 11:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.  
Indoor Center

**Program Pricing**

**\$630/1 day per week**  
**\$840/2 days per week**  
(Does not include facility fee)

**2026 WinterSpring**  
**Seay Tennis Center ~ Highland Park HS Campus**  
**HP Tennis Academy/Lower School**  
**Highland Park ISD Seay Tennis Center**  
**January 16 – May 22**

No class held Spring Break Week - March 16 - 20

**Director Lower School Training – Johnny Tallent [tallenj@hpsid.org](mailto:tallenj@hpsid.org)**

**PEE WEE CLASSES**

Ages 3 and 4

*Registration required for each session*

**6 week programs: All classes held on Friday of each week at the Indoor Center:**

**January 16 – February 20**

*Session A: 1:45 – 2:30 p.m.*

*Session B: 2:30 – 3:15 p.m.*

**February 27 – April 10**

*Session C: 1:45 – 2:30 p.m.*

*Session D: 2:30 – 3:15 p.m.*

**April 17 – May 22**

*Session E: 1:45 – 2:30 p.m.*

*Session F: 2:30 – 3:15 p.m.*

**Class Pricing**

**\$130/45 minute classes**

(Does not include onetime per semester facility fee)

Classes are formed with groups of 4-6 students. Additional classes/days may be scheduled on Monday-Thursday 9 a.m.-3 p.m. by request dependent on instructor availability. Class minimum is 4 students.

To schedule contact Deborah Barnes [barnesd@hpsid.org](mailto:barnesd@hpsid.org).

Class Instructors: Jonathan Renwick [renwicij@hpsid.org](mailto:renwicij@hpsid.org) Sessions A, C & E  
Nurudeen Isa [isan@hpsid.org](mailto:isan@hpsid.org) Sessions B, D & F

**Submit completed registration form to Deborah Barnes at [barnesd@hpsid.org](mailto:barnesd@hpsid.org) .**

Date \_\_\_\_\_

# Registration Form

Staff initials \_\_\_\_\_

WinterSpring 2026

HP Tennis Academy Lower School  
Highland Park Independent School District  
Seay Tennis Center ~ Highland Park HS Campus

**No shoes with black soles are allowed on court at any time.**  
**Regulation court tennis shoes are required to be worn in all classes.**

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### Student Information:

First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_ Grade \_\_\_\_\_ Boy \_\_\_\_\_ Girl \_\_\_\_\_

School Attending \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth (M) \_\_\_\_\_ (D) \_\_\_\_\_ (Y) \_\_\_\_\_

*Returning Student with no changes? Skip to Class selection and waiver.*

Parents Name(s) \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Work Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Emergency Contact/Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

<i>Circle Class:</i>	<b>Green Ball</b>	<b>Orange Ball</b>	<b>Red Ball</b>			
	<b>Intermediate</b>	<i>or</i>	<b>Advanced Intermediate</b>			
<i>Circle Day(s):</i>	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
<i>Circle:</i>	1 Day	2 Days	3 Days	3-4 Days		
<b>Pee Wee: Circle Session(s)</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>E</b>	<b>F</b>
<i>Circle T-Shirt Size:</i>	YS	YM	YL	YXL	AS	

<b><u>One registration form per student</u></b>		
Tuition	\$ _____	
Facility FEE (Circle and Add)	<b>HPISD</b> +\$35	<b>Non-HPISD</b> +\$40
Total	\$ _____	
Check here if using payment plan	_____	

### **GENERAL WAIVER**

The name above is my child and is now under my control and in my custody. I desire such child to participate in any and all classes and activities, and to go on any and all trips, along with other children from the Seay Tennis Center. I understand that photos may be taken and used for bulletin board postings. In consideration of such child being permitted to make such trips and take part in such activities, and the instruction the child will receive by reason thereof, I hereby release the HPISD, its Trustees, Superintendent, Principals, teachers, coaches, and employees, together with any volunteer carrier of such child without compensation, from any and all liability and responsibility on said trips or engaged in such activities.

### **COMMUNICATIONS RELEASE**

The HPISD Seay Tennis Center's HP Tennis Academy may use video recordings and audio recordings of students for instructional purposes only, to share with students and/or their parents.

- Yes, I grant HPISD Seay Tennis Center's HP Tennis Academy permission to use my child's photo or likeness as described above.
- No, I do not grant HPISD Seay Tennis Center's HP Tennis Academy permission to use my child's photo or likeness as described above.

**I, the undersigned, have read and agree to the HP Tennis Academy Waiver and Refund Policy as stated in brochure.**

Signature of Parent of Guardian \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_ (must be signed prior to participation)