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**University of Pennsylvania (UPENN)**

Hamlin & Hecht Tennis Center - 199 S. 31st Philadelphia, PA 19104

### **IMPORTANT CAMP INFORMATION**

**1. Check-in (for resident campers)** -- Friday June 21 from 1:45-2:45 p.m. at the Hecht Indoor Tennis Center located at 199 S. 31st Philadelphia, PA 19104.

*\*During check-in, your luggage will be stored at the indoor tennis centre. After the initial session, resident campers luggage will be transported to the hotel and campers will be accompanied by coaching staff to the Homewood Suites University City. The hotel address is: 4109 Walnut St, Philadelphia, PA 19104.*

**Check-in (for commuter- non-resident campers)** -- Friday June 21 from 2:00-2:45 p.m. at the Hecht Indoor Tennis Center located at 199 S. 31st Philadelphia, PA 19104.

**Parking:** Limited free parking is available at the tennis center and is on a first come first serve basis. Overflow parking lot is a Penn Park Parking Lot on lower walnut street located across from the courts and next to the soccer field.

*\*Please eat lunch before you arrive on campus. Following check-in, there will be a brief welcome seminar at 4 p.m. for parents and students at Hecht Indoor Tennis Center. (Resident students will walk over from the hotel to the tennis center together along with the coaching staff).*

**2. Closing Ceremony and Resident Check-out** -- Closing ceremony is held at 3:00 p.m. at the PENN Hamlin/Hecht Tennis Center. Parents and friends are welcome. Resident campers will check-out of their rooms in the morning and all bags will be stored at the tennis center (coaching staff will be available to assist).

**3. In Case of an Emergency** -- If there is a family emergency, or serious urgency to reach your child during the camp, please call +1 (305) 928-5615. This number is monitored 24-hours a day during camp operations.

**4. To Contact Your Son or Daughter During Camp** -- The best way to contact your son or daughter during camp is to call their cell phone. We recommend that campers bring their cell phones and chargers to camp. The best time to call is in the morning before the start of camp, during lunch time and in the evening before bed. If you want your son or daughter to phone home from the camp, please discuss this with them before they leave home.

**5. Medical Form** -- A medical form is to be completed by each camper enrolled in our program. **This form must be completed online prior to participating.** Adequate health insurance is essential for all students. If you have not completed the medical form, please do so immediately.

**MEDICAL FORM:** [CLICK HERE](#)

**6. Waiver Form** -- A waiver form is to be completed by each camper enrolled in our program. **This form must be completed online prior to participating.**

**WAIVER FORM:** [CLICK HERE](#)

**7. Register on Universal Tennis Rating (UTR)**-- Afternoon match play will be recorded with UTR to give players the opportunity to improve their rating. **Registration must be completed prior to participating.**

**UTR REGISTRATION:** [CLICK HERE](#)

PIN: **cec2019**

*\*UTR power subscription members will be able to add their name to the event for Free. Otherwise you will have to pay a \$10 fee on the UTR event site.*

***Don't have a UTR Power Subscription? We highly recommend becoming a member. For only \$99 you have access to the UTR site and can enter any tournament at discounted or free entry. It is worth it if you play 10 or more tournaments a year. To learn more, go to:***

<https://support.myutr.com/support/solutions/articles/9000158461-what-is-a-power-subscription->

**8. Resident Program** -- Each room accommodates two people. Please pack efficiently.

**Packing List:**

Racquets - at least two (2)

Umbrella - to put in your tennis bag in case of rain.

Water bottle (750 ml/24 oz recommended)

Sunscreen (SPF 30 or higher)

Hat or visor

Tennis clothes

Casual clothes

Tennis shoes

Notebook and 2 pens or cell phone to make notes

Toothbrush & toiletries

Cell phone & charger

*\*We highly recommend that all players flying pack one set of tennis clothes (including tennis shoes) and at least one racquet in your carry-on, just in case your luggage does not arrive on the same flight as you do.*

**9. Miscellaneous Expenses** -- Resident students may incur incidental expenses, which vary with individual circumstances, such as, stringing, fan gear/clothing, recreation, and miscellaneous expenditures. We recommend approximately \$100 spending money is recommended.

**10. Travel/Housing Form - Airport Pickup Service & Roommate Request (For resident Campers ONLY)** --Upon request - campers flying unaccompanied by an adult can be met by a member of our coaching staff at the Philadelphia International Airport (PHL) according to the following schedule:

**Arrival:** Friday, June 21 between 10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

**Departure:** Sunday, June 23 after 6:00 p.m.

Our staff will accompany campers on the Regional Rail service (SEPTA), which includes an Airport Line that runs directly from the Philadelphia International Airport to the University City station. University City station is only a few steps away from Penn's campus. **The cost is approx. \$10 each way. Players must bring cash to pay for tickets.**

Detailed information on exact meeting location and contact information of the staff member meeting the group at the airport will be texted to the cell phone

numbers provided during registration of parent and camper 48 hrs before the start of camp.

To schedule an airport chaperone, the Travel/Housing form must be completed at least 10 days prior to start of camp.

Roommates can be requested on the Travel/Housing form. We will do our best to accommodate. However, we cannot guarantee requests that are less than 30 days before the start of camp.

All resident campers must fill out the Travel/Housing form regardless of their travel arrangements.

**TRAVEL/HOUSING FORM:** [CLICK HERE](#)

*\*If you encounter any problems with flight scheduling, have questions or concerns, please email us at: [tennis@collegiatecamps.com](mailto:tennis@collegiatecamps.com)*

**11. Local Hotel Accommodations** -- For families requiring hotel accommodations, we recommend three hotels:

Homewood Suites (*resident camper hotel*): [www.homewoodsuites.com/universitycity](http://www.homewoodsuites.com/universitycity)

Sheraton: <http://www.philadelphiasheraton.com>

The Inn at Penn by Hilton: <https://www.theinnatpenn.com/>

**12. Cancellation and Inclement Weather Policy** -- A refund (less a \$110 processing fee) will be provided to anyone who cancels more than 60 days prior to the start of the enrolled camp session. If you cancel, for any reason, within 60 days of the start of the camp, no refund will be issued due to any circumstances. There will be no credit or refund for any student who must leave the camp for illness, injury or any other reason, once the camp session has started. In the event of rain at any point during the camp, we will make every attempt at completing the on-court drills and matchplay program. There will be no refund or credit in the event of inclement weather. In registering online, parent or guardian agrees to waive any claims to a refund.

**13. Camp Schedule** -- Can be found online on your camp specific page. Review the camp schedule prior to start of camp. If we have any major changes to the schedule, we will notify all campers and parents via email addresses provided by you at the time of registration.