

# Kent Park and Recreation

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To: Park and Recreation Commission

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Re: Tennis clinic

Today commissioner Michael Perkins and I had a phone conversation about the proposed tennis clinic. Michael has a lot of experience playing and then working at camps and clubs. Following are the basic points of his proposal, based on our discussion:

- Clinic would be for beginners, ages 5-10, one to two days/week for an hour and could be in two-week sessions or 4-week sessions.
- Equipment needs: tennis balls and tennis basket.
- Students would need to have their own racquets.
- Michael is willing to donate his time.
- He would need another volunteer helper.
- Program could start in June once school ends for the year.
- The program could be open to 10/students per session – 5 per court
- Cost of program: we agree there should be a cost to confirm/encourage participation. We talked about \$5/person for the session.
- Discussed what to do about park pass (is one needed to participate in the program? If yes, would P&R offer a discounted rate?)
- Would post the hour(s) the courts would be used for sessions.