

ATHLETICS PROGRAM QUICK FACTS

Girls Tennis

Season: Spring

Head Coach: Joel Visker (jvisker@tbc.org)

Assistant Coach:



Dates and Fees: See the website www.tbc.org/athletics/registration-fees-and-deadlines

Additional Costs: Include uniform, gear, and equipment (see below)

Anticipated Levels of Play: The girls tennis program generally offers both JV and varsity teams, though this is entirely dependent on the number of participants at the start of the season. In 2020 Bear Creek will field both a varsity and a JV team, and we anticipate to the same for the 2021 season as well.

Practice and Game Schedule: The girls tennis team practices every day from 4:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m. The team generally schedules 12 – 16 regular season matches, which are played after school. There are some exceptions to this from time to time with some games taking place on a Saturday, or possibly at an away venue in the evening. Home games usually start at 4:30 p.m. and are played at Marymoor Park (our home courts). Away games usually involved early dismissals from class as we travel to games.

Transportation: Transportation is not provided for practices or home games at Marymoor Park. For away games, transportation will be provided by the school, and the expectation is that students will travel together to all away games on the bus/van. Students are not allowed to drive their own vehicles or arrange their own transportation to away games.

Uniform, Gear, and Equipment: Required equipment includes tennis racquet(s), black skirt, and proper court shoes. Feel free to contact the coach if you have questions about the type of racket, shoes, or skirt required. Players should also bring sunblock, hats/visors, and plenty of water to practices and matches throughout the season.

The official tennis team uniform includes a green Bear Creek tank along with long sleeve or short sleeve team T-shirt and a team hoodie which must be ordered when a player registers (included in new player registration fee). Optional gear changes each year depending on availability and new styles from our vendor. Possible gear available for purchase includes rain gear, windbreaker, warm-ups, hat, visor, sweatshirt, etc. Complete the gear order form to ensure the correct sizes are available. Players may reuse the same uniform pieces for subsequent years.

Out of Season Activities: The girls tennis team does not currently participate in official out of season activities. From time to time (e.g. in the summer), the girls will organize optional captain-led practices that are generally run and promoted on their own. Bear Creek promotes and encourages girls to sign up and play tennis out of season through the various camps and tennis programs in the region.