



# Tennis for Kids

a Gates Tennis Center Program



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## **Gates Tennis Center Junior Tennis Assistance Program**

### **Overview**

The Gates Tennis Center offers a sliding-scale scholarship program funded by donations from local businesses, grants and many of our generous and committed tennis players. The purpose of our program is to provide financial assistance and to enable motivated juniors to learn and play the lifetime sport of tennis.

Through tennis, fundamental life attributes can be taught such as determination, work ethics, responsibility, integrity, commitment and self-confidence. Gates is committed to using tennis as a means to help instill these qualities in juniors, who require financial support, have the desire to improve, show talent for the sport, and show overall good sportsmanship and maintain a positive attitude.

### **Funding Guidelines & Requirements**

- Candidates are boys or girls, under the age of 18, and Colorado residents
- To be considered, all applicants must display overall good sportsmanship and positive attitude befitting of a representative of the Gates Tennis Center and sport of tennis.
- Decisions on awards are based on (in prioritized order)
  1. Financial Need
  2. A player's desire to improve
  3. His/her talent for the sport
- All scholarship applications will be considered confidential
- Scholarships are good for 6 months and may require re-application for subsequent awards.

### **Scholarship Recipients' Responsibilities**

The Gates Tennis Center scholarship program is based on a working relationship between the tennis center and scholarship recipients. Recipients must always display overall good sportsmanship and a positive attitude. Recipients will be asked to do community service at Gates Tennis Center, help clean the courts, volunteer as a tennis teacher, or help younger students in the scholarship program. By doing so, the Gates Tennis Center hopes each recipient will take ownership of his/her award and give back to the club in a meaningful way.

Submit application to:

Gates Tennis Center  
Attn: Youth Scholarships  
3300 East Bayaud Ave.  
Denver, Colorado 80209  
Phone: (303) 355-4461

e-mail: [sam@gatetenniscenter.info](mailto:sam@gatetenniscenter.info) or [eric@gatetenniscenter.info](mailto:eric@gatetenniscenter.info)



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- Tennis is fun!
- Make friends playing tennis!
- Tennis builds character!
- Tennis is a sport of a lifetime.  
(Some people play tennis until age 90+)

