

**Code of conduct
during games**

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1. Do not monopolize the courts during the warm-up period.
2. Before each game, greet the players and introduce yourself to new ones.
3. Ensure that everyone is ready before starting the game.
4. Call out the score loudly.
5. Do not cross a court when the ball is in play.
6. Announce an errant ball loudly, especially if it is heading toward another court.
7. Stop play immediately when a player from another court calls "ball."
8. Let the players make the calls, not the spectators.
9. "Out" calls are made by the players on the side where the ball bounces.
10. If you and your partner cannot determine whether the ball was "in" or "out," give the benefit of the doubt to your opponents.
11. Avoid taking advantage of others' limitations.
12. Never criticize your opponents or your partner's play.
13. At the end of the game, all players meet at the net to congratulate and thank each other.