

Court Etiquette

As the courts at Bridge become used more extensively it is becoming increasingly important to ensure that any activities on court do not affect games on adjacent courts. With this in mind we would like to remind people of a few principles that should be followed when walking around courts when they are in use.

- When it is necessary to cross a court that is in use, this should be done by the fence at the back of the court and not by crossing the in-play court directly.
- Courts that are in-play should only be passed when a point is finished and it should then be negotiated immediately and at a reasonable pace.
- Whilst waiting for a point to finish, try to avoid waiting too closely to the playing area and not show excessive movement in any player's eye-line.
- If a ball goes onto an adjacent in-play court, please wait for guidance from those players about its retrieval. Please don't stand by the sidelines waiting an opportunity to dash on court to retrieve it. In similar fashion if a stray ball enters your court, or nearby, then return it as soon as your game allows it.
- When walking from the club entrance gate to the club house, please use the path leading to the veranda rather than walk alongside Court 1 if it is in use.

Thank you