HERTS INSPIRES MY TENNIS FUTURE

CREATING TENNIS OPPORTUNITY AND EXPERIENCES FOR JUNIOR TENNIS PLAYERS

The Herts Inspires My Tennis Future programme is for Hertfordshire qualifying tennis players in school year 9 and above who are actively involved in tennis and have a keen interest in exploring and / or pursuing tennis as a career or university pathway, developing their game and expanding their tennis knowledge and experience

The annual programme will provide selected participants with:

- * Working in the World of Tennis opportunities
- * Volunteer opportunities at county events
- * Higher Education and Careers advice / guidance
- * On court workshops and opportunity to advance personal playing levels
- * Opportunity for discount on Ucoach LTA Assistant / Instructor courses
- * Access to LTA Tennis Leaders Courses at reduced cost
- * Involvement in a recognised county programme
- * Participants t-shirt

On completion and evidence of commitment participants qualify for:

- *Opportunity to request references for employment / university
- *Support with steps to achieving coaching qualifications
- *Opportunity to apply for ongoing career path training / support
- *Option to enrol and continue with the programme
- *Ongoing support / opportunity to be involved with Herts Tennis activities

Annual commitment: criteria

- 1 Attend one on-court training workshop and one career workshop
- 2 Attend one Working in the World of Tennis experience
- 3 Volunteer at one Herts County event
- 4 Uphold the Herts Tennis values and be a positive tennis ambassador
- 5 Uphold the Herts Tennis "Code of Conduct for Players"

Other opportunities

- 1 Support with DofE / LTA qualification courses
- 2 Involvement in County Training & team preparations as a hitter/assistant
- 3 Opportunity to be involved with additional tennis events and activities
- 4 Opportunity to court supervise / assist referees with local tournaments

Discounted Coach Education Course Fees LTA Leaders Course = minus 15% Ucoach LTA Level 1 Assistant = minus 15% / LTA Level 2 Instructor = minus 10% Five spaces per course and discount applies to courses taken within 18 months of starting the programme

Honesty – Excellence – Resilience – Teamwork - Sportsmanship

Personal playing development opportunities

On court training workshops

Experiences "Working in the World of Tennis"

Involvement in County events

Career and higher education advice

Support with steps towards coach qualifications

The Programme is for: *Hertfordshire qualifying juniors in school year 9 & above who have participated in County training or nominated by their tennis club/coach * Players must have a committed interest in tennis and a positive attitude towards achieving the programme criteria (Programme duration = 12 months, with option to signup for following years)

Annual Participation fee = £100 (The programme is not for profit and funded by Herts tennis)

For further details and applications please email: hertstennisperformance@gmail.com

