

Pine Belt

Tatum Park

101 Parkway Boulevards

Hattiesburg, MS 39401

Due to some court start time has changed from 3:00 to 1:00.

March 17 – April 28

Sunday's 1:00 - 2:00

Ages 6 – 12 years old

\$50 for 6 weeks

How to Register:

Participants must have a (FREE) USTA member number to register. Call 1-800-990-8782 or go to https://www.usta.com and click join. Follow the instructions for a junior membership.

Once you have the membership number click the following link;

- https://tennislink.usta.com/TeamTennis/Main/Registration.aspx
- Under "Team Number," type in 7038473425
- Then enter your child's USTA number
- Then proceed to checkout

Program Information:

Please arrive about <u>10 minutes early</u> for the first lesson to check in and confirm your contact information is correct. This information is used for communication during the program.

Thomas Bellew is the instructor for the program and her number is 601-596-4485 if you need to contact him during the 6 week lesson.

Ready to Rally:

This program is a progressive program. With rackets, balls and courts sized to fit their needs and abilities, kids will feel successful right from the start. Research shows that when it comes to sports, kids just want to have fun.

Each practice will have;

- warm up activity that helps develop coordination and athletic skills
- A review of what was learned in the previous practice
- A new skill will be introduced with a series of games or drills.
- Eventually point playing will develop.

Please be patience with your child. Some kids take longer to pick up the skills. Tennis is a hand eye coordination game and may take longer to master the skills.

Things to remember:

- Players are to wear comfortable clothes and sneakers. Hats and sunglasses are optional.
- Bring water or sports drink.
- Loaner rackets will be available for each lesson but if your child has a racket bring it to the lessons with their name or initials on it. The instructor will let you know if it's the correct size for your child.
- If the weather is questionable, you will be contacted either through email or text to let you know if the lesson is cancelled.
- Any lesson missed due to the weather will be added at the end of the scheduled program.



Contact Angie Deleon for more information, angied@mstennis.com or call 601-981-4421.