

COUNTY TRAINING SELECTION POLICY

The Middlesex Tennis office will send an e-mail to all performance coaches in Middlesex to invite them to nominate players they wish to be considered for County Training at 8U/9U/10U.

A selection panel consisting of the county coach, Head of Middlesex Performance Tennis, will then make the final selection based on the following:

12-18U

The top 6 players (top 8 boys and girls for 18&U) based on ranking on a set date will automatically be invited. The next 6 players will be selected by the panel based on a combination of the following factors:

- Player ranking
- Player rating or WTN
- Level of involvement within LTA performance structure (National, Regional)
- Winner of County Closed event: automatic selection
- Performance in preceding County events/other external tournaments
- Attitude, Sportsmanship and Behaviour
- Commitment to a regular training programme
- Attention to future game development



8U/9U/10U

All players will be selected by the panel based on a mixture of the following factors:

- Performance at Middlesex Selection Sessions *
- Winner of County Closed event: automatic selection
- Performance in preceding County events/other external tournaments
- Attitude, Sportsmanship and Behaviour
- Commitment to a regular training programme
- Attention to future game development

*Players may be invited to Middlesex Selection Sessions based on Coach recommendation validated through tournament performance.

Players selected will receive an e-mail from Middlesex tennis where information of the training dates, times, venue and payment will be detailed.

Players will be expected to pay for their County Training to cover the costs of coaches and court fees.