

## **Host a Recreational Coach Workshop**

*A Recreational Coach Workshop is an interactive, on-court training program designed for tennis teachers and coaches working with players at the recreational level.*

Taught by a specially trained, certified teaching professional, this active 6-hour session covers:

- Teaching large groups
- The games-based approach to coaching
- The QuickStart Tennis format
- Running effective team practices
- The Top 10 Games Every Coach Should Know

### **Who attends a Recreational Coach Workshop?**

These workshops are an excellent primer for new coaches as well as a valuable refresher course for those with teaching experience but who seek more current methods and effective tools. Past attendees include:

- Parents seeking the basics in coaching and organizing team tennis
- Park and Recreation instructors, high school, and seasonal coaches
- Coaches teaching kids and adults who are new to the game
- Current players seeking part-time teaching jobs

Upon completion of the six-hour workshop, attendees will:

- Become eligible for membership as a PTR Recreational Coach and in USPTA as a Developmental Coach. (Please note that these are educational memberships, **not teaching certifications**. Also, the USTA does not certify teaching professionals. If you are interested in becoming a certified teaching pro, please contact the PTR or USPTA.)
- Be able to effectively run entry level groups and teams
- Receive access to the latest in transition ball technology and additional coaching resources

### **Why host a workshop?**

Providing high quality instructors and coaches will make your program more attractive to local consumers. Plus, as a Host site you will receive even more benefits from the USTA:

- Financial reimbursement based upon completed evaluations
- Certified trainer at no cost to the workshop host
- Customizable marketing materials to promote the workshop
- Youth and adult curriculum materials

**For more information or to sign up to host a workshop go to  
[www.usta.com/rcw](http://www.usta.com/rcw).**

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