

Robson Ranch Ball Machine

The ball machine equipment is for exclusive use of Robson Ranch tennis club certified members. The certification process protects the Robson Ranch HOA and the RR tennis club from any and all legal liabilities due to equipment misuse.

Before using the machine, a player must have:

- 1. Been trained in its use by a RR Ball Machine committee member or by a RR Tennis Club member that is currently ball machine certified.**
- 2. The player must have signed and submitted a ball machine liability waiver that is co-signed by a tennis club committee member or by a current RR Tennis Club certified player.**
- 3. The form must have been given to the ball machine committee chairman so that is electronically stored in the tennis club files and is scanned and stored by the Robson Ranch HOA.**

The equipment is never to be removed from the storage shed for use by a non-certified tennis club member that has a certified and filed waiver form.

The ball machine, ball pickup device and ball hopper are all stored in a shed outside tennis court 4 that is secured by a combination lock. The combination is never to be transferred to any non-tennis machine certified user. The combination will be changed after any violation of the above rules.

The ball hopper must only be filled with “pressureless balls” certified for ball machine use. These balls are slightly smaller than normal tennis balls and are specifically designed for use in ball machines and not for normal match play. Normal tennis balls should not be put in the hopper.

Members that have been certified to use ball machine equipment can use it on court 4 during any normal court hours except when the court has been previously registered for tennis matches or ball machine use.

A member using the ball machine that has not registered for a time slot must **immediately** vacate the court to a player that has already registered during that time period.