

BUCS TEAM CAPTAINS – RESOURCE PACK

BUCS TENNIS 2025-26

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Introduction & Important Dates Ahead of the Season

Hello Captains!

This document is your one-stop shop for everything BUCS and University Tennis. Below, you'll find key info and useful links to help you prepare for the upcoming season. This document will be updated throughout the season and will be available on the [BUCS Tennis](#) website.

Event	Date
LTA Advantage Membership Required for all students competing in BUCS	Each student must hold a current LTA Advantage Membership Number prior to being listed on a ranking list. This membership number must also be included beneath each student's name on the ranking list.
Ranking List Deadline (Scottish Institutions) - must also include all listed students LTA Advantage Membership Numbers	29/09/2025
Ranking List Deadline (English & Welsh Institutions) - must also include all listed students LTA Advantage Membership Numbers	06/10/2025
Doubles Championship Entry Deadline	28/10/2025
Doubles Championships 2025/26, more info here: BUCS Tennis: Doubles Championships 2025-26	15-16/11/2025

BUCS

Important Resources

Resource	Link
BUCS Captain Training Videos & Resources	Captain Training – BUCS
BUCS Play (app also available)	https://bucs.playwaze.com/Home/About
BUCS Play Help Guides	https://bucsappsupport.zendesk.com/hc/en-gb
BUCS Tennis Website	https://www.bucs.org.uk/sports-page/tennis.html
BUCS Flickr (where all BUCS Photos are posted)	BUCS's albums Flickr
BUCS Tennis Rules & Regs (to be updated for the 2025/26 Season)	https://www.bucs.org.uk/rules-and-regulations/sport/tennis.html

BUCS Appendices

Resource	Link
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BUCS Appendix 18 (Sport Specific Affiliations) - LTA Venue Registration & LTA Advantage Membership are now mandatory for institutions and students competing in BUCS, please see the associated deadlines in the link (Pages 17-19)	https://www.bucs.org.uk/static/7229a232-abad-42b0-9b329ff38a002446/Appendix-18-BUCS-Sport-Specific-Affiliations-Documents-2025-26-V2-released-16-09-25.pdf
BUCS Appendix 2a (League & Knockout – Dates & Deadlines)	https://www.bucs.org.uk/static/e5345053-7d05-4c14-9c43edace965710c/Appendix-2a-BUCS-Leagues-and-Knockouts-Dates-and-Deadlines-2025-26-V4-released-17-09-25.xlsx
BUCS Appendix 10 (Promotion, Relegation & Knockout Information)	To be released.
BUCS Appendix 19 (Provisional Leagues)	https://www.bucs.org.uk/static/492d1702-ceb4-4b7a-bbadfc0c973120b7/Appendix-19-BUCS-Leagues-and-Knockouts-Provisional-Leagues.xlsx

Ace The Start Campaign

Resource	Link
Ace The Start Webpage	BUCS Ace The Start
Ace The Start Campaign Poster	BUCS Tennis - Ace The Start Campaign.png
Sign Up Link*	https://forms.office.com/e/pE9dBYTuWh

*Not sure if your institution has already signed up? Click [here](#) to see who has signed up so far.

LTA

Resource	Link
LTA University Tennis Website	https://www.lta.org.uk/compete/university-tennis/
Become a University Tennis Activator (free course)	https://www.lta.org.uk/roles-and-venues/volunteers/university-tennis-activator/
How to Sign Up for LTA Advantage Membership (free to sign up, now mandatory for all students competing in BUCS)	https://www.lta.org.uk/advantage/
LTA Online League Planner Help Videos*	LTA Competition Support
LTA Online League Planner Help Guide*	LTA

*Please note more information will be provided in due course to captains about how to submit BUCS results to the LTA's new Online League Planner as this process will look a little different to previous years.

Keeping In Touch

Resource	Link
BritUniTennis Instagram	https://www.instagram.com/britunitennis/
GB University Tennis Network WhatsApp Community (join the BUCS Captains group!)	https://chat.whatsapp.com/EkBHC6znU674S6JMroRtWW?mode=ems_copy_t

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