

Shannon Pohl Badminton Academy Fall Session

720 Corporate Woods Parkway • Vernon Hills, IL • 847-821-6948

2023 Membership (required for all students)

~~\$100~~ **now only \$50** starting Sept 5th per remainder of calendar year for an individual
~~\$180~~ **now only \$90** per remainder of calendar year for 2 family members residing together
~~\$250~~ **now only \$125** per remainder of calendar year for 3 or more family members residing together

Open Gym:

\$5 for members per each 2-hour session

\$10 for non-members per each 2-hour session

Please see full up to date schedule here:

<https://www.shannonpohl.com/badminton-open-gym/>

Court Reservations:

For members: \$20 for 1-hour court rental, 7-day advance booking

For non-members: \$25 for 1-hour court rental, 3-day advance booking

** More than 4 players for a court rental are an extra \$5 per player per hour, maximum 6 per reservation*

*** Court rentals mean you have your court rented for you and your group's use only.
No sharing required or rotating needed.*

2023 Upcoming Badminton Events This Session:

9/30/23-10/1/23

North Shore Open

SPBA, Vernon Hills, IL

Group Class Times:

Membership to the Shannon Pohl Badminton Academy is required for class participation. Annual Student Membership for 2023 is ~~\$400~~ **now \$50** (see above for family memberships). New student members will also get an SPBA T-shirt and water bottle! Members will enjoy open gym pricing at \$5 per person instead of \$10 per person, as well as special membership pricing on court rentals, league entry, and special events.

****Please read the registration and cancellation policy on the last page of this document****

Younger Beginner Class (Ages 6-10) (grade school players) (5-10 players per coach) (one hour)

Price: Class Fee(s) + 2023 SPBA Membership fee of ~~\$400~~ **now \$50** (or family membership) for new members

****Sign up multiple times a week for optimal improvement!**

MAKEUP POLICY:

We will allow 2 make-up classes per class you are enrolled in the session. Extra classes missed beyond this will be lost except for in emergency circumstances. These make-ups are subject to availability and are not guaranteed. Make-up classes are only permitted if there was 24 hours notice of the cancellation and if there is open space in another day's group lesson during the same session. All cancellations and make-up scheduling must be in writing through the [online make-up form](#) (telling a coach of your absence is not considered giving notice as coaches do not manage the schedules). Less than 24 hours of notice will be considered a no-show and constitutes in loss of lesson fee. Emergency cancellations will be handled on an individual basis. We recommend you do your make-ups earlier in the session as space gets more limited at the end of the session. Make-ups will not be scheduled until the 2nd week of classes. **If you are sick or having symptoms, DO NOT COME TO CLASS!**

SPECIAL FALL BEGINNER YOUNGER CLASS DEAL:

If an individual student signs up for this class twice a week, get a \$20 discount per session

If an individual student signs up for this class three times a week, get a \$40 discount per session

If an individual student signs up for this class four times a week, get a \$60 discount per session

Tuesdays 6:30-7:30 p.m. (ages 6-10) (11 classes) \$220

9/5, 9/12, 9/19, 9/26, 10/3, 10/10, 10/17, 10/24, **No Class 10/31**, 11/7, 11/14, 11/21

Wednesdays 6:30-7:30 p.m. (ages 6-10) (12 classes) \$240

9/6, 9/13, 9/20, 9/27, 10/4, 10/11, 10/18, 10/25, 11/1, 11/8, 11/15, 11/22

Thursdays 5:30-6:30 p.m. (ages 6-10) (11 classes) \$220

9/7, 9/14, 9/21, 9/28, 10/5, 10/12, 10/19, 10/26, 11/2, 11/9, 11/16, **No Class 11/23**

Fridays 4:30-5:30 p.m. (ages 6-10) (11 classes) \$220

9/8, 9/15, 9/22, 9/29, 10/6, 10/13, 10/20, 10/27, 11/3, 11/10, 11/17, **No Class 11/24**

Sundays 1:00-2:00 p.m. (ages 6-10) (11 classes) \$220

9/10, 9/17, 9/24, 10/1, 10/8, 10/15, 10/22, 10/29, 11/5, 11/12, 11/19, **No Class 11/26**

Older Beginner Class (Ages 11+) (grade school, middle school, high school incoming freshmen, and beginner players) (5-10 players per coach) (one hour or one and a half hour classes)

Price: Class Fee(s) + 2023 SPBA Membership fee of ~~\$400~~ **now \$50** (or family membership) for new members

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SPECIAL FALL BEGINNER OLDER CLASS DEAL:

If an individual student signs up for this class twice a week, get a \$20-\$30 discount per session

If an individual student signs up for this class three times a week, get a \$40-\$60 discount per session

If an individual student signs up for this class four times a week, get a \$60-\$90 discount per session

Tuesday 4:00-5:00 p.m. (ages 11+ or permission from Shannon) (11 classes) \$220

9/5, 9/12, 9/19, 9/26, 10/3, 10/10, 10/17, 10/24, **No Class 10/31**, 11/7, 11/14, 11/21

Tuesdays 7:30-8:30 p.m. (ages 11+ or permission from Shannon) (11 classes) \$220

9/5, 9/12, 9/19, 9/26, 10/3, 10/10, 10/17, 10/24, **No Class 10/31**, 11/7, 11/14, 11/21

Tuesdays 8:30-9:30 p.m. (ages 11+ or permission from Shannon) (11 classes) \$220

9/5, 9/12, 9/19, 9/26, 10/3, 10/10, 10/17, 10/24, **No Class 10/31**, 11/7, 11/14, 11/21

Wednesdays 4:00-5:30 p.m. (ages 11+ or permission from Shannon) (12 classes) \$360 ****1.5-hour class**

9/6, 9/13, 9/20, 9/27, 10/4, 10/11, 10/18, 10/25, 11/1, 11/8, 11/15, 11/22

Thursdays 6:30-8:00 p.m. (ages 11+ or permission from Shannon) (11 classes) \$330 ****1.5-hour class**

9/7, 9/14, 9/21, 9/28, 10/5, 10/12, 10/19, 10/26, 11/2, 11/9, 11/16, **No Class 11/23**

Thursdays 8:00-9:30 p.m. (ages 11+ or permission from Shannon) (11 classes) \$330 ****1.5-hour class**

9/7, 9/14, 9/21, 9/28, 10/5, 10/12, 10/19, 10/26, 11/2, 11/9, 11/16, **No Class 11/23**

Saturdays 1:00-2:30 p.m. (ages 11+ or permission from Shannon) (11 classes) \$330 ****1.5-hour class**

9/9, 9/16, 9/23, 9/30, 10/7, 10/14, 10/21, 10/28, 11/4, 11/11, 11/18, **No Class 11/25**

Sundays 2:00-3:00 p.m. (ages 11+ or permission from Shannon) (11 classes) \$220

9/10, 9/17, 9/24, 10/1, 10/8, 10/15, 10/22, 10/29, 11/5, 11/12, 11/19, **No Class 11/26**

Sundays 3:00-4:00 p.m. (ages 11+ or permission from Shannon) (11 classes) \$220

9/10, 9/17, 9/24, 10/1, 10/8, 10/15, 10/22, 10/29, 11/5, 11/12, 11/19, **No Class 11/26**

Advanced Beginner Class (*last season's high school freshman team & lower and middle of JV team, middle school players with lessons and tournament experience*) (5-10 players per coach) (one and a half hour class)

Price: Class Fee(s) + 2023 SPBA Membership fee of ~~\$100~~ **now \$50** (or family membership) for new members

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We will allow 2 make-up classes per class you are enrolled in the session. Extra classes missed beyond this will be lost except for in emergency circumstances. These make-ups are subject to availability and are not guaranteed. Make-up classes are only permitted if there was 24 hours notice of the cancellation and if there is open space in another day's group lesson during the same session. All cancellations and make-up scheduling must be in writing through the [online make-up form](#) (telling a coach of your absence is not considered giving notice as coaches do not manage the schedules). Less than 24 hours of notice will be considered a no-show and constitutes a loss of lesson fee. Emergency cancellations will be handled on an individual basis. We recommend you do your make-ups earlier in the session as space gets more limited at the end of the session. Make-ups will not be scheduled until the 2nd week of classes.

If you are sick or having symptoms, DO NOT COME TO CLASS!

SPECIAL FALL ADVANCED BEGINNER CLASS DEAL:

If an individual student signs up for this class twice a week, get a \$30 discount per session

If an individual student signs up for this class three times a week, get a \$60 discount per session

Tuesdays 5:00-6:30 p.m. (11 classes) \$330

9/5, 9/12, 9/19, 9/26, 10/3, 10/10, 10/17, 10/24, **No Class 10/31**, 11/7, 11/14, 11/21

Thursdays 8:00-9:30 p.m. (11 classes) \$330

9/7, 9/14, 9/21, 9/28, 10/5, 10/12, 10/19, 10/26, 11/2, 11/9, 11/16, **No Class 11/23**

Saturdays 4:00-5:30 p.m. (10 classes) \$300

9/9, 9/16, 9/23, **No Class 9/30 North Shore Open**, 10/7, 10/14, 10/21, 10/28, 11/4, 11/11, 11/18, **No Class 11/25**

Sundays 4:00-5:30 p.m. (10 classes) \$300

9/10, 9/17, 9/24, **No Class 10/1 North Shore Open**, 10/8, 10/15, 10/22, 10/29, 11/5, 11/12, 11/19, **No Class 11/26**

Intermediate/Advanced Class *(last season's high school top of junior varsity & varsity players)*
(5-10 players per coach) (two hour class)

Price: Class Fee(s) + 2023 SPBA Membership fee of ~~\$400~~ **now \$50** (or family membership) for new members

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Junior National level players are often training 5 times a week or more! If you'd like to do more than 2 days a week, talk to us and we can discuss options!

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SPECIAL FALL INTERMEDIATE/ADVANCED CLASS DEAL:

If an individual student signs up for this class twice a week, get a \$40 discount per session

Wednesdays 7:30-9:30 p.m. (12 classes) \$480

9/6, 9/13, 9/20, 9/27, 10/4, 10/11, 10/18, 10/25, 11/1, 11/8, 11/15, 11/22

Sundays 7:30-9:30 p.m. (11 classes) \$440

9/10, 9/17, 9/24, 10/1, 10/8, 10/15, 10/22, 10/29, 11/5, 11/12, 11/19, **No Class 11/26**

Adult Class (Beginner Adults & Intermediate/Advanced Adults)

(5-10 players per coach) (one and a half hour class)

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Tuesdays 6:30-8:00 p.m. (11 classes) \$330 Beginner Adults

9/5, 9/12, 9/19, 9/26, 10/3, 10/10, 10/17, 10/24, **No Class 10/31**, 11/7, 11/14, 11/21

Tuesdays 6:30-8:00 p.m. (11 classes) \$330 Intermediate/Advanced Adults

9/5, 9/12, 9/19, 9/26, 10/3, 10/10, 10/17, 10/24, **No Class 10/31**, 11/7, 11/14, 11/21

Junior and Senior Elite Teams (selected by coach) (5-20 players per team—5-10 players per coach) (2 hour class three to four times a week)

Price: Class Fee(s) + 2023 SPBA Membership fee of ~~\$100~~ **now \$50** (or family membership) for new members
Class Fee can be split into two payments if needed

This class is aimed at players looking for a year-round training program to compete in Junior National Ranking Tournaments, the high school state championships, and the Junior Nationals. Special considerations may be given for athletes who play other high school sports during their sport's season. The 2-hour class will include speed, strength, and overall fitness training. It will also include drills, technique, and match play. We will also focus on mental training, tournament preparation, and strategy.

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****2023/2024 Senior and Junior Elite players must make a commitment to:**

- attend 3-4 training sessions a week (4 is highly encouraged to stay competitive) throughout the 2023/2024 school year until the Junior Nationals in the summer. Exception is IHSA players during season
- play any local 10%-40% local ranking tournaments during the 2023/2024 school year (Coaches may advise some young/new players to wait)

Schedule for all elite team players:

9/30/23-10/1/23 - North Shore Open Tournament in Vernon Hills
12/2/23-12/3/23 - Open Local Championships (OLC) in Schaumburg
1/27/24-1/28/24 - Open Local Championships (OLC) in Bolingbrook
2/24/24-2/25/24- Closed Regional Championships (CRC) in Naperville
5/25/24 - 5/27/24 Open Regional Championships (ORC) in Vernon Hills

- High school players competing on their high school teams are required to keep up their fitness training during the spring IHSA season so they don't get out of shape before the State Championships and the SPBA Midwest Open Regional. Weekend instructional classes fitting within the IHSA Rules and Regulations will be offered for this purpose. They also must pay for and attend practices the 2 weeks after the IHSA State Championships and prior to the SPBA Midwest Open Regional 40% Ranking Tournament
- Buy uniform

OPTIONAL:

- play in other region's Open Regional Tournaments, we usually go to 1-2 a year
- play in the Junior Nationals (sometime in June/July usually one week before July 4th)
- Attend the Junior National Training Camp prior to Junior Nationals (In June)
- If a player plans to participate in any of the three travel tournaments, players must make a non-refundable coaching fee of \$150 per travel tournament for coach's expenses

- RULES:**
- Must buy tournament quality badminton shoes and have 2 rackets
 - Arrive 10 minutes early to change into your badminton shoes BEFORE class begins.
 - If late for class, extra physical exercises
 - Bring towel, pre-filled big water bottle, notebook, pen or pencil, extra t-shirt, and socks
 - No jeans to play, long hair must be tied up

FOUR TIMES A WEEK JUNIOR ELITE FALL PRICE:

\$1260 + 2023 SPBA Membership Fee of ~~\$400~~ now \$50 (or family membership) for new members

\$1680- 25% discount = \$1260 (\$420 savings in the Fall Session)

FOUR TIMES A WEEK SENIOR ELITE FALL PRICE:

\$1290 + 2023 SPBA Membership Fee of ~~\$400~~ now \$50 (or family membership) for new members

\$1720- 25% discount = \$1290 (\$430 savings in the Fall Session)

THREE TIMES A WEEK ELTE SENIOR OR JUNIOR ELITE TEAM FALL PRICE:

\$ 1054 – \$1122 + 2023 SPBA Membership Fee of ~~\$400~~ now \$50 (or family membership) for new members

(\$480 + \$440 + \$400) = \$1320 – 15% discount = \$1122 (\$198 savings this Fall Session)

(\$440 + \$440 + \$400) = \$1280 – 15% discount = \$1088 (\$192 savings this Fall Session)

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(\$440 + \$400 + \$400) = \$1240- 15% discount = \$1054 (\$186 savings this Fall Session)

JUNIOR ELITE TIMINGS:

Fridays 5:30-7:30 p.m. (11 classes) \$440

9/8, 9/15, 9/22, 9/29, 10/6, 10/13, 10/20, 10/27, 11/3, 11/10, 11/17, **No Class 11/24**

Saturdays 5:30-7:30 p.m. (11 classes) \$400

9/9, 9/16, 9/23, **9/30 No Class North Shore Open**, 10/7, 10/14, 10/21, 10/28, 11/4, 11/11, 11/18, **No Class 11/25**

Sundays 5:30-7:30 p.m. (10 classes) \$400

9/10, 9/17, 9/24, **10/1 No Class North Shore Open**, 10/8, 10/15, 10/22, 10/29, 11/5, 11/12, 11/19, **No Class 11/26**

Mondays 5:30-7:30 p.m. (11 classes) \$440

No Class 9/4, 9/11, 9/18, 9/25, 10/2, 10/9, 10/16, 10/23, 10/30, 11/6, 11/13, 11/20

SENIOR ELITE TIMINGS:

Wednesdays 5:30-7:30 p.m. (12 classes) \$480

9/6, 9/13, 9/20, 9/27, 10/4, 10/11, 10/18, 10/25, 11/1, 11/8, 11/15, 11/22

Fridays 7:30-9:30 p.m. (11 classes) \$440

9/8, 9/15, 9/22, 9/29, 10/6, 10/13, 10/20, 10/27, 11/3, 11/10, 11/17, **No Class 11/24**

Saturdays 11:00-1:00 p.m. (10 classes) \$400

9/9, 9/16, 9/23, 9/30 No Class North Shore Open, 10/7, 10/14, 10/21, 10/28, 11/4, 11/11, 11/18, No Class 11/25

Sundays 11:00-1:00 p.m. (10 classes) \$400

9/10, 9/17, 9/24, 10/1 No Class North Shore Open, 10/8, 10/15, 10/22, 10/29, 11/5, 11/12, 11/19, No Class 11/26

Private and Semi-Private Lessons

Private: \$90/hour

Semi-Private (2 players): \$112/hour

Semi-Private (3 or 4 players): \$132/hour

+ 2023 SPBA membership fee of ~~\$100~~ now \$50 (or family membership) for new members

** Buy 10 private lessons up front and get one free

******Depending on what times fill up, there are many potential timings we could arrange for private lessons for you! There are some ideas of times we know we have available, but if you are looking for a specific day or a specific coach, please let us know and we will do our best to accommodate you!**

******If a time or coach is in high demand, private lesson priority goes to those currently enrolled in private lessons, elite team members, and players training multiple times a week.**

Tuesdays:

9/5, 9/12, 9/19, 9/26, 10/3, 10/10, 10/17, 10/24, No Class 10/31, 11/7, 11/14, 11/21

3:00-4:00 p.m. PENDING WITH COACH JIMMY

3:00-4:00 p.m. BOOKED WITH NEW COACH

4:00-5:00 p.m. BOOKED WITH COACH JIMMY

5:00-6:00 p.m. PENDING WITH NEW COACH

6:00-6:30 p.m. BOOKED WITH NEW COACH

6:30-7:30 p.m. BOOKED WITH NEW COACH

7:30-8:30 p.m. BOOKED WITH COACH JIMMY

8:30-9:30 p.m. BOOKED WITH COACH JIMMY

Wednesdays:

9/6, 9/13, 9/20, 9/27, 10/4, 10/11, 10/18, 10/25, 11/1, 11/8, 11/15, 11/22

3:00-4:00 p.m. AVAILABLE WITH NEW COACH

3:00-4:00 p.m. BOOKED WITH COACH JIMMY

5:30-6:30 p.m. BOOKED WITH NEW COACH

7:30-8:30 p.m. BOOKED, PENDING SUBSTITUTE COACH

FOR SHANNON (On Maternity Leave)

7:30-8:30 p.m. BOOKED WITH NEW COACH

Wednesdays cont.:

8:30-9:30 p.m. **BOOKED WITH NEW COACH**

8:30-9:30 p.m. **OPEN, PENDING SUBSTITUTE COACH
FOR SHANNON (On Maternity Leave)**

Thursdays:

9/7, 9/14, 9/21, 9/28, 10/5, 10/12, 10/19, 10/26, 11/2, 11/9, 11/16, **No Class 11/23**

3:30-4:30 p.m. **BOOKED WITH NEW COACH**

4:30-5:30 p.m. **BOOKED WITH NEW COACH**

6:00-7:00 p.m. **BOOKED**

7:00-8:00 p.m. **BOOKED**

Fridays:

9/8, 9/15, 9/22, 9/29, 10/6, 10/13, 10/20, 10/27, 11/3, 11/10, 11/17, **No Class 11/24**

3:30-4:30 p.m. **PENDING WITH COACH JIMMY**

4:30-5:30 p.m. **BOOKED WITH NEW COACH**

Saturdays:

9/9, 9/16, 9/23, **9/30 No Private Lessons North Shore Open**, 10/7, 10/14, 10/21, 10/28, 11/4, 11/11, 11/18,
No Class 11/25

9:00-10:00 a.m. **PENDING WITH COACH JIMMY**

10:00-11:00 a.m. **BOOKED WITH NEW COACH**

10:00-11:00 a.m. **BOOKED WITH COACH JIMMY**

1:00-2:00 p.m. **BOOKED WITH COACH JIMMY**

3:00-4:00 p.m. **PENDING WITH COACH JIMMY**

2:30-3:30 p.m. **BOOKED WITH NEW COACH**

4:00-4:30 p.m. **PENDING WITH NEW COACH**

4:30-5:30 p.m. **BOOKED WITH NEW COACH**

Sundays:

9/10, 9/17, 9/24, 10/1 **No Private Lessons North Shore Open**, 10/8, 10/15, 10/22, 10/29, 11/5, 11/12,
11/19, **No Class 11/26**

1:00-2:00 p.m. **BOOKED WITH COACH JIMMY**

4:30-5:30 p.m. **BOOKED WITH NEW COACH**

Mondays:

9/11, 9/18, 9/25, 10/2, 10/9, 10/16, 10/23, 10/30, 11/6, 11/13, 11/20

4:00-5:00 p.m. **BOOKED WITH COACH EMILY**

4:30-5:30 p.m. **BOOKED WITH COACH JIMMY**

4:30-5:30 p.m. **BOOKED, PENDING SUBSTITUTE COACH
FOR SHANNON (On Maternity Leave)**

7:30-8:30 p.m. **BOOKED WITH COACH JIMMY**

7:30-8:30 p.m. **BOOKED, PENDING SUBSTITUTE COACH
FOR SHANNON (On Maternity Leave)**

8:30-9:30 p.m. **BOOKED WITH COACH JIMMY**

9:30-10:30 p.m. **BOOKED WITH COACH JIMMY**

REGISTRATION

- **Online registration available here:** <http://www.shannonpohl.com/registration/>
- **Online registration or in person class registration is considered a commitment to provide payment for entire group class session.**
- Players may sign up for any specific class any number of times a week.
- Coaches must approve class level for each student. Class skill level may be higher than previous sessions.
- Players on elite teams and players previously enrolled have first priority registration over new students.

PAYMENT, WHAT TO BRING, AND TOURNAMENTS

- Bring to the pre-registration week or a designated registration time the total payment (we take Zelle pay/Chase Quickpay to badminton@shannonpohl.com, cash, or check) for the session of classes. Checks can be made out to "Shannon Pohl Badminton Academy." **We do not take credit cards.**
- Please bring to the first class your racket (rackets must be a 1-piece, carbon fiber racket; if you don't have one, you can rent one for \$5 a class, plus \$2 for a new overgrip for sanitary reasons = \$7 total), water, and a small notebook. All members must fill out the waiver and registration forms here: <http://www.shannonpohl.com/pdfs/SPBAForms.pdf>.
- **Non-marking court shoes are required in the new facility.** We sell them at the pro shop if needed. Shoes worn outside are not permitted on courts, as wet and dirty shoes create a safety hazard. Shoes can be rented from the pro shop for \$5, and are sanitized between uses.
- Cell phone use is not allowed during classes. Players are expected to have phones put away at all times.
- Normally, all SPBA players in elite teams are expected to participate in all Jr. National Ranking Tournaments. All players Advanced Beginner level and above are expected to give their best effort to participate in the North Shore Open and other recommended local tournaments. Tournament dates are listed on the first page of this document. You can find a list of even more tournaments compliments of Badminton Chicago at www.tinyurl.com/bcactivities and sanctioned tournaments at usabadminton.org.
- Questions? Feel free to call Shannon at 847-821-6948.

CANCELLATION POLICY

- Online, phone, and in person registration is considered a commitment to participate in and pay for the class session or private lesson. Payment is due at the latest at the time of the first class.
- If cancellation of a group lesson occurs 24 hours before the first class starts, you may receive a full refund or not owe any payment. If cancellation occurs less than 24 hours before your first class, you are responsible for payment for the first class. If cancellation occurs less than 24 hours before the second class, you are responsible for the price of the current session.
- **24-hour notice is required for cancellation of any lesson. Refunds are not provided for group lessons.**
- We will allow 2 make-up classes per class you are enrolled in the session. Extra classes missed beyond this will be lost except for in emergency circumstances. These make-ups are subject to availability and not guaranteed. Make-up classes are only permitted if there was 24 hours of notice of the cancellation and if there is open space in another day's group lesson during the same session. All cancellations and make-up scheduling must be in writing through the online make-up form (telling a coach of your absence is not considered giving notice as coaches don't manage the schedules). Less than 24 hours of notice will be considered a no-show, and constitutes loss of lesson fee. Emergency cancellations will be handled on an individual basis. We recommend you do your makeups earlier in the session as space gets limited in the end of the session. Make-ups will not be scheduled until the 2nd week of classes.
- **If you are sick and having symptoms, DO NOT COME TO CLASS.**
- Less than 24 hours of notice will be considered a no-show and constitutes loss of lesson fee. Emergency cancellations will be handled on an individual basis.
- For semi-private lessons with 2-4 players: if a player doesn't show up or gives less than 24 hours of notice for a cancellation, that player is still responsible for their portion of the lesson fee and will not be rescheduled.
- Failure to attend a lesson constitutes loss of lesson fee and will not be rescheduled.