



IRVINGTON CLUB
NEWS

March 2016

Notes from the President

Dear Members,

Thanks to all who came out to our Annual Meeting and Party—as usual both members and staff contributed to a productive and fun event. Congratulations to our most improved junior—Sara Duran, and our most improved adult—Deborah Naugler. One of the reasons I love tennis is that it is a humble and constant reminder that we can keep getting better—all the time.

As we shared at the meeting, the Board of Trustees is excited to make our great club even better. Our request of you—is that if you have an idea, concern, question or feel that something is going really well just the way it is, to let us know. There are many ways to do this—through our feedback form (available on the grid in the breezeway or at the front desk), by sending a short email, by picking up the phone and calling (remember that?), or my favorite way—face to face.

One of the many great things about our club is how deeply passionate we are about tennis, community, and our tennis community. We look forward to working with you to continue to improve our game.

On behalf of The Irvington Club Board of Trustees,

Alysa

Notes from the General Manager

As I am typing this I am tearing up, as I know by the time you read your newsletter, Linda will be gone. I will so miss her presence here. Far beyond her skills, Linda has shown what a caring person she is and willing to go above and beyond the call of duty for our members. She will be missed and I wish her the best in her new position. I know she will excel in whatever she takes on and truly value the time she has been with us!

The ballots are in and welcome back, Keith Johnson, and look forward to having Mike Weedall and Liz Casson-Taylor on our Board. I want to thank Terry Folen for her wonderful leadership as President, and also Dave Logsdon for his role as Treasurer. This Club is just full of talented people and we are fortunate they are willing to serve on our Board. Every Board member also serves on a Committee and I really appreciate the time, energy and effort they put in for our Club.

We will be hosting the Oregon State Senior Men's tournament March 17-20. We often have several members playing and it is really fun to see these guys compete. Please come out and watch some great tennis and cheer some of our members on.

I am excited for summer and working with our new Pool Manager, Bernadette Diepenbrock. She is a PE teacher at Lents School K-8, and has a wealth of knowledge about pools. She has also coached basketball and been a Pool Member for many years. You will be seeing her around the Club and Pool a lot, so make sure you introduce yourself and help us welcome her to our staff.

Also by the time you read this we will have celebrated our annual meeting and party. I love this event as it is a tribute to you, our members, and our way of saying Thank You for being part of our wonderful Club!

Barbara

Calendar of Events

March

- 9th—Tennis Committee Meeting
- 13th—Daylight Savings Time begins
- 16th—Board Meeting
- 17th-20th Oregon State Senior Men's Tennis Championships
- 21st—Member Registration Jr. Tennis
- 25th—Mixed Doubles Night
- 27th—Easter
- 28th—Non-member Registration Jr. Tennis
- 28th—Registration Jr. Tennis - Non-Member

April

- 13th—Tennis Committee Meeting
- 18th—Pre-registration Returning Swim Team

ANNOUNCEMENT: The people have spoken!

- The vote to extend the Board President's term from one to two years passed at the Annual Party. Newly appointed president, Alysa Rose, will be the first to ever serve a two year term.

New Members

Junior Member—Armand Lettiere

Quote of the Month

"To know that you know, and to know that you don't know - that is real wisdom."
 - Confucius

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USTA/City League News

March

5th USTA 3.0 (Kayser/?), 2:30
USTA 3.5 (Malin/Vranizan), 5:00
USTA 4.0 (Gariety), 7:30

6th USTA 3.0 (Hill), 2:30
USTA 4.0 (Hendrickson), 5:00
USTA 3.5 (Nolan/Kraut), 7:30

12th USTA 3.5 (Nolan/Kraut), 2:30
USTA 3.0 (Kayser/?), 5:00
USTA 3.5 (), 7:30

13th USTA 4.0 (Gariety), 2:30
USTA 3.0 (Hill), 5:00
USTA 3.5 (Vranizan), 7:30

16th City League F (Vranizan/Laurent), 12:00

26th USTA 3.5 (), 2:30
USTA 3.5 (Nolan/Kraut), 5:00
USTA 3.0 (Townsend), 7:30

30th City League B (Folen/Paulk)

Winter Tennis Classes

Monday

2.5 Women's Doubles w/Walter (12:00-1:15pm)
4.0+ Women's Double Class w/Walter (5:00-6:15)
Women's Open Play (6:15pm-close)

Wednesday

3.0-3.5 Women's Class w/Cris (8:30-9:30am)
City League Drill (Hicks) w/Cris (9:30-10:30am)
3.5-4.0 Women's Class w/Cris (10:30-11:30am)
Women's Open Play (9:30am-2:30pm)
Men's Open Play (2:30pm-close)

Thursday

3.5 Women's Class w/Cris (8:30-9:30am)

Friday

2.5-3.0 Women's Doubles Class w/Walter
(10:45am-12:00pm)

Saturday

2.5-3.0 Women's Double w/Walter (7:00-8:15am)
2.5-3.0 Men's Doubles w/Walter (8:15-9:30am)
3.5-4.0 Men's Doubles w/Walter (9:30-10:45am)

Don't let your dreams be only a dream!

Club Events

OREGON STATE SENIOR MEN'S TENNIS CHAMPIONSHIPS

Thursday, March 17th - Sunday, March 20th

Pool News

Hello ITC Members.

My name is Bernadette Diepenbrock and I am thrilled to be on board as the new Pool Manager. Our family has had a Summer Swim Membership for 12 years and spending time at the ITC pool has always been one of the highlights of our summers. I have three children, Tess, Brooke and Beck who have grown up at the pool. They have loved spending their summer afternoons swimming and the always memorable dinner poolside and staying until closing. They have taken swim lessons and have enjoyed their participation on the Summer Swim Team.

I work during the school year as a PE teacher for Portland Public Schools (I am currently at Lent School). I have coached high school swimming (and other sports), and have taught swimming lessons for over 20 summers, in addition to managing a swim school in the Bay Area. I also taught swimming at Reed College.

With March upon us already summer is right around the corner. The Swim Lesson Schedule is currently being finalized and will be available soon. Swim session dates run June 13-June 24, June 27-July 8 (no lessons July 4), July 11-July 22, July 25-Aug 5, Aug 8-Aug 19, 2016.

We are currently accepting applications for Lifeguards. All Lifeguards must have Red Cross Lifeguard Certification. There is a link on The ITC website with information as to where the Red Cross Classes are being held. All Lifeguards will also teach swim lessons. Please do not hesitate to get in touch with me if you have any questions. Looking forward to a great summer 2016.

Bernadette

Ask the Pro

Dear Cristobal,

In a friendly doubles match our opponents realized that they were serving out of order during a tiebreaker. Our opponent had also already hit a first serve and missed when he realized the error. What do we do in this case?

Answer:

Rule 27d of the ITF rules of tennis, which also govern USTA play, says the following:

"If a player serves out of turn during a tie-break game and the error is discovered after an EVEN number of points have been played, the error is corrected immediately. If the error is discovered after an ODD number of points have been played, the order of service shall remain as altered. A fault that was served by the opponent(s) before the error was discovered shall not stand."

Great question! Please keep them coming. If you have any questions regarding rules, regulations, new equipment and technology, tactics, stroke mechanics, or anything you may be wondering about, please feel free to "Ask the Pro" by sending Cristobal Valverde an email with your question. Looking forward to hearing from you! C

New Board Members

Congratulations to our newest members
of the Board of Trustees

Keith Johnson

Liz Casson-Taylor

Mike Weedall

We say good-bye to Terry Folen, and Dave Logsdon. Keith stepped in for a partial term and will now serve a full term. Terry will continue on as Past President.

New Officers:

President—Alysa Rose

Vice President—Susheela Jayapal

Treasurer—Stephen Doubleday

Secretary—Amy Alpern

Committee Chairs:

Buildings & Grounds—Paul Laurent

Finance & Audit—Stephen Doubleday

Governance—Amy Alpern

Tennis—Gary Chin

Pool—Keith Johnson

Historical—Steve Hall

Tourney Results

70 Mixed National Hardcourt Championships

Finalists—John Popplewell & Claudia Giacomini

Farewell

Dear Members,

Having spent many sleepless nights wrestling with this decision, it is with a great deal of sadness that I say farewell. I have found a job closer to home at Stafford Hills Club as Nick Ruess' assistant. The commute much shorter and the hours more flexible leaves time to add a few other things to my work week like coaching a Learn To Row program for adults and (hopefully) adding a few more personal training clients.

Words cannot express how much I will miss you all. It has been my great pleasure greeting you and assisting you in any way needed. I have been very blessed to have had these 3+ years here and I will always treasure the wonderful memories.

I have been touched by your thoughts and good wishes this last week, finding it impossible to fight off the tears.

From the bottom of my heart, *thank you.* Linda

“The only way to make sense out of change is to plunge into it, move with it, and join the dance.” Alan Watts

Mixed Doubles Results

Mixed 6.0 65+ Draw (Round Robin)

Champions Mary Knocke & Fletcher Frisch

Finalists Sherry Williamson & Nick Munly

Mixed 6.0 Draw

Champions Debra Naugler & Chris Kayser

Finalists Andrea Brown & Paul Burkhart

Consolation Champions Kathy & Doug Cooke

Mixed 7.0 55+ Draw

Champions Pat Nolan & Rob Nelson

Finalists Sharon-Loomis-Malin & Ed Vranizan

Consolation Champions Barb & Kurt Ferre

Mixed 7.0 Draw

Champions Michael Adler & Tonya Dirk

Finalists Julie & Mark McGinnis

Consolation Champions Wendy Weddle & Omar Martinez

Mixed 8.0 55+ Draw

Champions Mary Logsdon & Joel Ankeny

Finalists Terry Folen & Randy Boose

Consolation Champions Jan & Mark Rothert

Mixed 8.0 Draw

Champions Renee and Joey Schwartz

Finalists Sharon Loomis-Malin & Adam Rothert

Consolation Champions Mark & Jan Rothert

Mixed 9.0+ Draw

Champions Donna Roisom & Andrew Finkelman

Finalists Jill Lee & Brian Sinclair

Consolation Champions Leslie Ballard & Adam Rothert

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Tues-Thurs 5:30-6:25pm

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Teen Conditioning

Mon thru Thurs 4:00-5:00pm



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Weight room orientations and individual personal training may be arranged by contacting Joey at fitness1st@gmail.com

Mixed Madness



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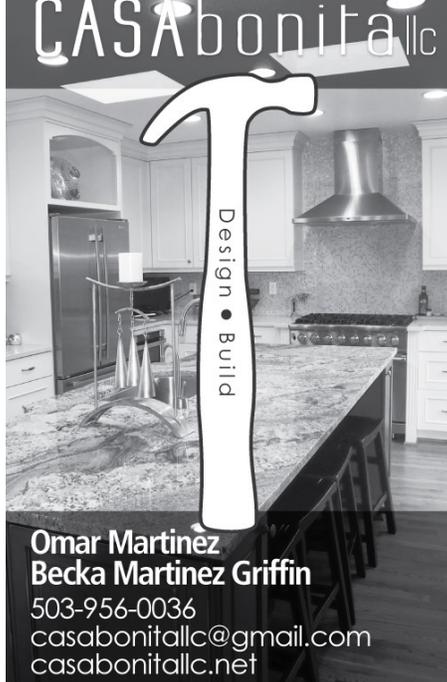
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