



# IRVINGTON CLUB NEWS



MARCH 2018

## Notes From the General Manager

Dear Members,

Our Annual Meeting/Party on February 24th was a huge success! We had 65 members attend the meeting and over 120 attend the party. I want to do some shout outs to those who helped in putting everything together for you to enjoy:

- Kam & Kam Catering for the delicious & plentiful food;
- Big Screen Productions for the Casino and DJ;
- Karmen Von Arx for her help in decorating and staging to make it all look pretty in the ballroom;
- Kathy Rogers for taking charge of the raffle items (AND of course all of the generous members who donated something);
- Mike McGinnis for graciously being our bartender for the evening;
- My amazing team, especially Pam, Anita and Brian for doing all of the "behind the scenes" work.

Most of all "Thank You" for attending and making it a really fun night!

I welcome and look forward to working with our newly elected Board Members: Stephen Doubleday, Linda Paulk, John Lynch and Cathy Zarosinski. Congratulations on your nomination to the Board of Trustees.

Our Oregon State Senior Men's Indoor Tournament is coming up (March 15 - 18, 2018). A lot of our members play in this tournament every year and it's always fun to just come out and watch. Please stop by and cheer on your fellow members!

I will be MIA for the next few weeks. I am having a total knee replacement on Wednesday, March 7th. I will be back as quickly as I can, but I know that you are in good hands with my Team.

As always, I look forward to seeing you around the club.

Barbara

## Notes From the President

Dear Members,

Thirty-one years ago I walked into the Irvington Club, talked to a woman named Betty about becoming a member, wrote a \$100 initiation check, and immediately walked out onto the court for Ladies Night. Just like that, I was a member. A lot has changed.

USTA was just getting off the ground, junior programs were not as developed as they are now, and oh yeah, we had really old carpet, funky furniture, and an upstairs that was mainly used for hide-and-go seek during club tournaments.

Before I became a board member, I sometimes questioned why things happened here at the club. I'd ask my doubles partner if she knew why a certain decision was made. If my partner did not know, I might ask other members in the lobby. Not surprisingly, my questions were often unanswered. Why, because I was not asking the right people.

When I became a member of the board of trustees in 2015 I read the IC bylaws for the first time. That answered some of my questions but I really only started to understand how the club operates, and how decisions are made, through my work on various board committees.

What I learned as a trustee, and what I suspect will be a challenge for me as president, is that nothing is as simple as it may seem. For every USTA team that forms, members who do not play USTA may have less court availability. If there are A and B teams at the same level, someone who might want to play on the A team will get stuck on the B team. And so on.

Given all of this, I feel somewhat certain that over the next year the Board may do something that some, or even several members, may take issue with. My promise to you is that we will act, at all times and on all issues, with as much transparency as possible. We are here to answer questions, to explain why things happen, and to get input from all of you before we take big action.

But I want to end with a challenge to you: Please talk to the Board, talk to Barb, to Walter, to Cris, if you have questions about why things are happening here. We can't promise to provide the outcome you may desire, but we can explain the competing interests, policies, rules or other reasons for the questioned action. My hope is that transparency and communication will be the key to a successful year.

Cheers to all of you! I'm very honored to be your President.

Amy

## Member Scoreboard

**29th Annual Monterey Country Club Senior Tournament**  
January 3rd - 7th, 2018 ~ Palm Desert, CA

**Men's 75 Doubles**  
1st ~ John Popplewell & Chuck White

**Men's 75 Singles**  
Finalist ~ Roger North

**2017 Year-End Men's 75 Doubles National Rankings**  
#2 ~ John Popplewell & Chuck White

## Calendar of Events

### MARCH

11th Daylight Saving Time Begins (Spring Forward!)  
14th Tennis Committee Meeting  
15th-18th Oregon State Senior Men's Tournament  
17th St. Patrick's Day  
21st Board Meeting

### April

1st Easter Sunday  
25th Administrative Professionals Day



## Winter Tennis Classes & Open Play

### Monday

Women's Open Play (6:15pm - Close)

### Wednesday

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

### Thursday

3.0-3.5 Women's Class w/Cris (8:30 - 9:30 am)  
City League Drill (Hicks) w/Cris (10:30 - 11:30 am)

### Saturday

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

## USTA Matches

March 2nd	7:30 pm	18+ 3.0 Women	Gina Hill
March 3rd	2:30 pm 5:00 pm	18+ 3.5 Women 18+ 4.0 Men	Deb Naugler Keith Johnson
March 4th	2:30 pm 5:00 pm 7:30pm	18+ 2.5 Women 18+ 3.0 Men 40+ 7.0 Mixed	Irene Gilbertson Kayser / Windish Loomis-Malin / Lang
March 9th	7:30 pm	18+ 3.0 Men	Kayser / Windish
March 10th	2:30 pm 5:00 pm	18+ 2.5 Women 40+ 9.0 Mixed	Irene Gilbertson Ry Koteen
March 11th	2:30pm 5:00 pm 7:30 pm	18+ 3.5 Women 18+ 3.5 Men 40+ 8.0 Mixed	Deb Naugler Steinhoff / Laurent Paulk / Hunter
March 23rd	7:30 pm	18+ 4.0 Women	Lisa Lyon
March 24th	2:30 pm 5:00 pm 7:30 pm	18+ 3.5 Men 18+ 3.5 Men 18+ 4.0 Men	Steinhoff / Laurent Diess / Darling Keith Johnson
March 25th	2:30 pm 5:00 pm 7:30 pm	18+ 4.5 Men 18+ 3.5 Men 40+ 6.0 Mixed	Adam Rotherth Steve Diess Mathewson/Boucher
March 31st	2:30 pm 5:00 pm 7:30 pm	18+ 4.5 Men 18+ 4.5 Women 40+ 7.0 Mixed	Adam Rotherth Tracy Bardell Loomis-Malin / Lang

## 2018 TOURNAMENTS

**Oregon State Senior Men**  
March 15th - 18th

**adidas Open**  
Pro Am ~ June 19th  
Tournament ~ June 20th - 24th

**Junior Immediate Tournament**  
August 16th - 19th

**Carolyn Lumber Championships**  
October 7th - 20th

## Joey's Fitness & Body Sculpting

### Strength, Agility & Core Conditioning Class

Mon & Wed: 8:30 - 9:30 am & 9:30 - 10:30 am  
Tues & Thurs: 5:30 - 6:30 pm  
Fri & Sat: 8:30 - 9:30 am

This program is specifically geared for those looking to improve their overall cardiovascular fitness, muscle toning and weight loss.



### Teen Conditioning

Monday thru Thursday: 4:00 - 5:00 pm

Tailored specifically for teens that are looking to improve their overall fitness. It emphasizes strength, conditioning, core training, agility, and quickness. Improve your sport performance.

*Weight room orientations and individual personal training may be arranged by contacting Joey at [fitness1st@gmail.com](mailto:fitness1st@gmail.com)*



May your home always  
be too small to hold  
all of your friends.

## ANNUAL MEETING & PARTY RECAP

Thank you to the members who donated raffle items for this year's Annual Meeting & Party. We had 19 packages for members to choose from this year and we had one of our largest crowds in recent years!

Thank You to:

Laney Kibel & Deborah Romerein • Diane Nemarnik • Tara & Brian Hendrickson • Terry & Jeff Folen • Tanya & Stephen Doubleday • Bob Grenzer • Dorothy & Dave Brown • Terry & Sarah Chung • Susan Crabtree & Scott Eads • Willis Boyer • Rose Bonomo • 3.0 Women's USTA Team • 4.5 Women's USTA Team • 3.5 Men's USTA Team

## Tai Chi for Wellness with Dr. Arn Strasser

**THE NEXT TAI CHI CLASS WILL BEGIN TUESDAY, MARCH 20th from 7-8pm** at the Irvington Club in NE Portland. THE CLASS IS 8 SESSIONS and the fee is \$80. For more information on the class and the benefits of Tai Chi, please visit [pdxchiropractor.com](http://pdxchiropractor.com).

TO REGISTER FOR THE CLASS please email [info@pdxchiropractor.com](mailto:info@pdxchiropractor.com) or call 503.287.2800. You will be able to pay for the class online at [pdxchiropractor.com](http://pdxchiropractor.com) on the TAI CHI PAGE with a PAYPAL link or by credit card or check.

PLEASE NOTE that class size is limited. Passing the word on the class to others who might be interested would be much appreciated. Dr. Strasser has been teaching beginners Tai Chi for over 10 years.

You might have thought of learning Tai Chi. This class is a great way to begin ... or, if you have already taken classes, a perfect way to hone your skills. The class is relaxed with a practical focus and doesn't require any prior experience. It is intended for all fitness levels. Most of all, it's fun to learn!

## City League Team Matches

*All matches 12:00 pm - 2:30 pm*

### Tuesday, March 6th

Team K (Gina Hill & Susan Hope)  
vs. Multnomah Athletic Club

### Wednesday, March 14th

Team B (Sherry Rogers & Wendy Weddle)  
vs. Multnomah Athletic Club Black

### Tuesday, March 20th

Team H (Mary Stevenson & Andrea Brown)  
vs. Multnomah Athletic Club

### Wednesday, March 21st

Team F (Lori Vranizan & Traci Laurent)  
vs. Multnomah Athletic Club

### Tuesday, March 27th

Team H (Mary Stevenson & Andrea Brown)  
vs. Mountain Park Racquet Club

## Junior Team Tennis

*All matches 12:00 pm - 2:30 pm*



### **March**

4th JTT 10s ~ (Tadjedin)  
11th JTT 14s ~ (Laurent)  
25th JTT 12s ~ (Martinez Griffin)

## Junior Tennis Lessons

**Session runs March 5th - 22nd**

### **Futures & Power**

Monday & Wednesday ~ 3:45 - 5:00 pm

### **Pee Wee - Level 1**

Tuesday & Thursday ~ 3:15 - 4:00 pm

### **Futures - Level 2**

Tuesday & Thursday ~ 4:00 - 5:00 pm

### **Power & High School**

Tuesday & Thursday ~ 5:00 - 6:15 pm

### **April 2018 Lesson Sign-up**

**Members:** Monday, March 19th @ 8:30 am

**Non-Members:** Monday, March 26th @ 8:30 am

# MIXED DOUBLES TOURNAMENT RESULTS

## Open Division

Champions ~ Tracy Bardell & Walter Seidel  
 Runner-up ~ Leslie Ballard & Adam Rothert  
 Conso Champ ~ Kathleen Windish & Alex Emerson

## 6.0 Division

Champion ~ Kathy Rogers & Paul Burkhart  
 Runner-up ~ Kelly Norling & John Windish  
 Conso Champ ~ Molly Littlejohn & Bill Larkins

## 7.0 Division

Champion ~ Deb Naugler & Andy Murray  
 Runner-up ~ Ann Reno & Chris Kayser  
 Conso Champ ~ Traci Laurent & Paul Laurent

## 8.0 Division

Champion ~ Maddie Karpinski & Lars Topelmann  
 Runner-up ~ Tara Hendrickson & Soren Coughlin-Glaser  
 Conso Champ ~ Lisa Lynch & Steve Harris

## 9.0 Division

Champion ~ Leslie Ballard & Adam Rothert  
 Runner-up ~ Alex Emerson & Cathy Porter  
 Conso Champ ~ Jill Lee & David Finkelman

## 55+ 6.0 Division

Champion ~ Laney Kibel & Fletcher Frisch  
 Runner-up ~ Sherry Williamson & Fred Kowell  
 Conso Champ ~ Cassie Warman & Allan Warman

## 55+ 7.0 Division

Champion ~ Sharon Loomis-Malin & Steve Thompson  
 Runner-up ~ Chris Farentinos & Dave Brown  
 Conso Champ ~ Yvonne Anselmi & Jim Gerber

## 55+ 8.0 Division

Champion ~ Lisa Lyon & Ron Selis  
 Runner-up ~ Jan Rothert & Terry Gariety  
 Conso Champ ~ Linda Paulk & John Popplewell

## 65+ 7.0 Division

Champion ~ Carol Davidson & John Wahl  
 Runner-up ~ Cathy Zarosinski & Dan Christianson  
 Conso Champ ~ Marianne Dwyer & John Wahl

## Mary Moreland Invitational

Champion ~ Mary Moreland & Brian Hendrickson  
 Runner-up ~ Walter Seidel & Cris Valverde



Deb Naugler, Andy Murray, Ann Reno, Chris Kayser



Dave Brown, Chris Farentinos, Sharon Loomis-Malin, Steve Thompson



Bob Grenzer, Allan Warman, Cassie Warman, Karen Lettiere



Bill Larkins, Molly Littlejohn, Dana Griggs, Omar Martinez



Walter & Cris



Sherry Williamson, Fred Kowell, Laney Kibel, Fletcher Frisch



Terry Gariety, Jan Rothert, Ron Selis, Lisa Lyon



John Wahl, Marianne Dwyer, Mary Knocke, Fletcher Frisch



Ed & Lori Vranizan and Traci & Paul Laurent



Alan & Diane Karpinski, Yvonne Anselmi, Jim Gerber



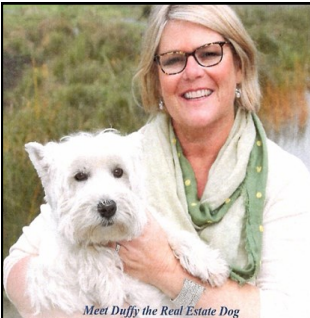
Tracy Bardell, Walter Seidel, Adam Rothert, Leslie Ballard



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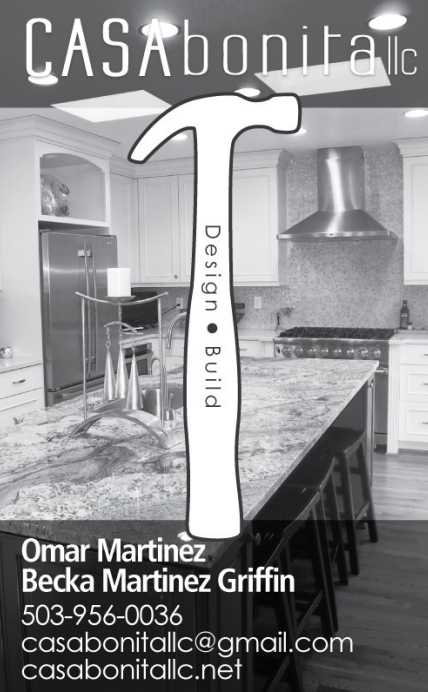
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