

IRVINGTON CLUB

NEWS

Celebrating 120 years

OCTOBER 2018

FROM THE PRESIDENT

Dear Members,

When you stop and think about it, tennis is a unique sport. It encourages us to bring our best selves to the game. What do we do when we hit a shot that snaps the net and dribbles onto our opponent's side? We raise our hand as if to say "I'm so sorry about that."

Now think about a deflected pass in football that happens to land in the offensive lineman's hands. He runs into the end zone. Apology or dance? Dance of course. And what happens when we hit the tennis ball on the second bounce. Even if our opponent does not see it, we give the point to our opponent. Now imagine recreational basketball. You double dribble but nobody sees it. Do you self call?

In doubles, you see the ball out but your partner sees it good. Point goes to your opponent. In pick-up soccer you think you are on side but your teammate thinks you were off. Do you let your opponent know they get a free kick? I've never seen that happen.

What makes tennis unique, and the reason I love the game, is because it feels good to play with integrity. But playing this way is not automatic. It is not a given. When we play we make a choice about who we want to be when we step onto the court.

This year, I will throw out two challenges to everyone who plays in the Carolyn Lumber Tournament. Choose to play with integrity. Most of us do but maybe not all the time. Second, figure out your worst habit in tennis. Are you a foot faulter? A racquet thrower? Do you forget to call the score?

So have a great tournament. Bring your best self to the game, and whatever it is that you wish you wouldn't do, challenge yourself to stop.

FROM THE GENERAL MANAGER

Dear Members,

Fall is upon us and we are ramping up for the Carolyn Lumber Tournament. As always, plan on:

- Not cooking dinner for two weeks
- Watching lots of great tennis
- Some late night raffles
- Perhaps a "theme" night here and there
- Eating some delicious meals
- Having fun!!!!

If you can't play in the tournament due to time restrictions, make sure you sign up to be a sub.

Things happening around the club:

- We will be installing three ceiling fans in the weight room on October 3rd & 4th. The weight room will be closed both days between 7 am - 3 pm
- We will be doing some re-grouting in the men's downstairs shower.
- We now have a "regular" toaster in the kitchen that can handle bagels.

You are my eyes and ears around the Club, so if you see something that needs tending to, please let me know. My team and I want your experience here at the Club to be a good one!

Dates to Note:

Oct. 7th - 20th ~ Carolyn Lumber Tournament Nov. 15th ~ Annual Wine Tasting Dec. 13th ~ Ladies White Elephant Gift Exchange, Drill & Potluck

Happy Fall and hope to see you at the Club!

Barbara



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Amy

WINE TASTING

Thursday, November 15th 6:00 - 9:00 pm

Join us for an evening of wine tasting with samplings from:

David Hill Winery • Coopers Hall Winery Nemarniki Vineyards • Viola Wine Cellars Elk Cove Vineyards • Vincent Wine Company



Appetizers will be served to complement the wines

Open to all Bring your friends & neighbors! \$10 per person

Don't forget to bring your checkbook for purchases as some vendors do not accept credit cards!

Fall Tennis Classes & Open Play

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

<u>Wednesday</u>

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

<u>Thursday</u>

3.0 - 3.5 Women's Class w/Cris (8:30 - 9:30 am)

<u>Saturday</u>

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)

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

OCTOBER

3rd & 4th ~ Fan installation in Weight Room 7th - 20th ~ Carolyn Lumber Tournament 10th ~ Tennis Committee 17th ~ Board Meeting



Welcome New Members June - September 2018

New Family:

Shawn Ellis & Judith Rolfe Clay Newton & Dianne Turner Kate & Brian Quisling Megan Ullmann & Pete Jacobs

New Individual: Joy Martin

New Associate: Andrea & Paul Cedfelt Treasure & Eric Heinle Ken McGair Jen Maas & Matt Lattal Shelia & William Seidl Drew Smith Sarah & Casper Yu

New Junior: Nico Albano Tristan Grover Gabe Gardner Oliver Lemkau Miles Goldstein Ethan Vuong



Joey's Fitness & Body Sculpting

Strength, Agility & Core Conditioning Class

Monday & Wednesday 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 sports performance.

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

Teen Conditioning Testimonial: "Thank you for the wonderful job training Kazmer. After the first workout with you, he said "now that's a real workout, Dad!" You have positively pushed him outside of his comfort zone with encouragement so that he is proud of himself after every session with you. He also enjoys the diversity of your exercise program and looks forward to reaping the gains this swim season. You rock!" ~ Michelle & Keith Zawadzki

NOVEMBER 15th ~ Wine Tasting in Ballroom

USTA Matches

Oct. 5th	7:30 pm	55+ 7.0 Men	J. Lang / C. Thomas
Oct. 6th	2:30 pm	55+ 7.0 Women	Sharon Loomis-Malin
	5:00 pm	55+ 9.0 Women	Lisa Lynch
	7:30 pm	18+ Mixed 6.0	Michelle Zawadzki
Oct. 27th	2:30 pm	55+ 9.0 Women	Lisa Lynch
	5:00 pm	55+ 8.0 Women	Kate Hunter
	7:30 pm	55+ 7.0 Women	Sharon Loomis-Malin
Oct. 28th	2:30 pm	18+ Mixed 6.0	Michelle Zawadzki
	5:00 pm	55+ 7.0 Men	J. Lang / C. Thomas
	7:30 pm	18+ Mixed 7.0	Blythe Knott
Nov. 3rd	2:30 pm	18+ Mixed 8.0	Maddie Karpinski
	5:00 pm	18+ Mixed 7.0	Blythe Knott
	7:30 pm	55+ 8.0 Women	Kate Hunter
Nov. 4th	2:30 pm	18+ Mixed 6.0	Michelle Zawadzki
	5:00 pm	55+ 7.0 Men	J. Lang / C. Thomas

City League Matches

All matches 12:00 - 2:30 pm

Tuesday, October 16th Team H (Mary Stevenson & Andrea Brown) vs. Multnomah Athletic Club

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

Wednesday, October 24th

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

Wednesday, October 31st Team C (Sherry Rogers & Kathy Windish)

In Memoriam

Stanley Zaklan July 3, 1924 - May 13, 2018

Stanley Zaklan died quietly Monday, May 14, 2018, at age 93. He loved tennis, literature and his wife,

Marthaleah, whom he called Marfushka. Stanley grew up during the depression on a small dairy farm pressed against the great forests of Northern Idaho, the ninth of 10 children born to Serbian immigrants. He attended University of Southern California while

he trained to be a Naval officer. There he met Marthaleah. They married and moved to New York City. Later they returned West to settle in Portland, where he was a professional electrical engineer and active member of the community. He never stopped reading books, voted Democrat and he was kind; Stanley was always kind.

Stanley is survived by his two children, Lance and Nichola; and his cherished granddaughter, Militsa; as well as many beloved nieces and nephews. In lieu of flowers, donations are welcome to Swing Left, Indivisible, the Southern Poverty Law Center, the ACLU, Planned Parenthood and vote early and often.

Carolyn Lumber Tournament

Tournament Dates: October 7th - 20th



Watch for emails regarding matches, theme nights, raffles and much, much more!

Be sure to check out the Tournament Homepage at www.tennislink.usta.com Tournament ID #600002518 or the Club's website at www.irvingtonclub.com

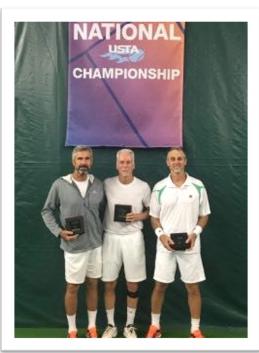
Reminder: Court Reservations For Juniors

Reservations for junior court times may be done online or by calling the Club. For previous day reservations, refer to the schedule below:

Call after 10:00 am
Call after 6:00 pmFOR Non-Prime Time Hours
FOR Prime Time Hours (which are as follows)
Mon, Tues, Wed, Thurs – 8:15 am, 9:30 am, 5:00 pm, 6:15 pm, 7:30 pm
Fri – 8:15 am & 9:30 am
Sat & Sun – 8:15 am, 9:30 am & 10:45 am

If the junior is playing with an adult then they can call at 8 am for reservations. Any infringements of this rule for booking courts early will be charged a \$12 fine.

2018 ITF Seniors World Championships & National 60 Indoor



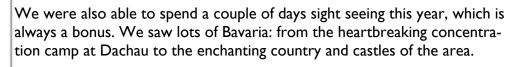
By: Mike Tammen

The ITF Seniors World Championships were held in Germany this year and we ended up in with a 4th Place finish losing to eventual winner, Germany, in the Semi's 2-1 and then lost to France in the playoff for 3rd Place. Both matches were hard fought. We had our chances but the Europeans were just a bit better on the Red Clay then the Americans were this year. Cheers to Germany, the 2018 Austria Cup Champions!

Ulm, the city we played in, was just beautiful with lots of history and culture. The largest steeple in the world, belongs in Ulm along with the Danube flowing down the middle. The Germans know how to host a great event like this



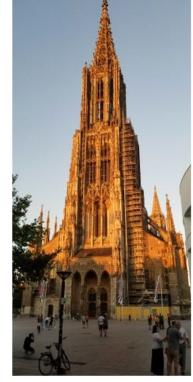
with lots of German food and beer, and of course, clay court tennis ... What more could you have asked for?



Following the Worlds, I flew home and played the National 60 Indoors Tournament. Lots more great tennis as I won the singles and lost in the doubles final. The Seattle Tennis Club hosted the event this year; all whites still ... one of the few clubs left on the West Coast that requires them. So, a 4th Place finish for team USA, then one gold and a silver at the Indoors.

Thank you all for your support, I could not have done it without you. Next stop, Normandy, France for the Presidents' Cup!





Community Corner

Decoding Dyslexia Oregon is the next volunteer opportunity for Irvington Club Members ... Sunday, November 4th, 4PM at a Blazer Game!

You will walk around the Rose Garden in groups of two and sell 50/50 tickets to anyone in the crowd at the game that wishes to purchase them. You will get training before the game begins. You are done by half time and then you can relax and enjoy the REST of the GAME! How sweet is that!!!?

Lisa Lyon is associated with this group and their goal is: We strive to raise dyslexia awareness, empower families to support their children, and improve resources for students with dyslexia in Oregon public schools.

If you would like to sign up to "work" this event please contact John Linde at johnlinde@hotmail.com or Pam at the Front Desk. We are looking for 20-25 volunteers!



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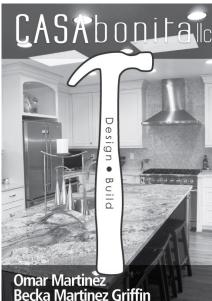
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