



Welcome to the August edition of
the RPRLTC Bi-Monthly Newsletter!

Regular updates on what's happening
at your tennis club!



RPRLTC August Newsletter

A BIG Welcome to all new Members!

Another successful Open Day, linked again to the LTA's Great British Tennis Weekend. Thanks to all who helped out in any way. A warm welcome to all our new members, all 18 of you. We look forward to meeting you all on court. If any new member has any questions or queries about the club, please contact Paul Sadler on 07743 226500. Please let us know should you have any questions: Paul Sadler
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Gate Code Change

In line with the clubs security practices, we have recently changed the code to the gate at the entrance / exit to the club. All members have been emailed with the new code but should you need reminding of this, please ask one of the committee members.

Volunteers

The club always welcomes help from non-committee members too. Do you have a particular skill that might be helpful to the club in any way or just to help out on open days? If anyone would like to help, on an ad-hoc basis, please contact Paul Sadler on psadler@tesco.net.

DATES FOR THE DIARY

Monday 29 August – American Tournament – 2pm start
Wednesday 14 September – Fast4 Tournament – 7pm start
Sunday 25 September – American Tournament – 2pm start
Friday 30th Sept - Macmillan World's Biggest Coffee Morning
(details on the noticeboard)

Please put your name down for each of these tournaments in the clubhouse.

Future American Tournaments: Oct 4th, Nov 17th and Dec 29th

Monthly American Tournaments

An American Tournament will be held typically on the last Sunday of every month, starting at 2pm. For those unfamiliar with the format, this is a fun mixed doubles tournament for players of all abilities as everyone plays a short set with and against all other players, accumulating points to find the eventual individual mens' and ladies winner. The next American Tournament is scheduled for Monday 29th August and sign up for this is crucial. Please put your name down on the list in the Clubhouse.

SINGLES BOX LEAGUES

The latest round of box league singles have restarted again and full lists are up in the clubhouse. For any further details on this competition please get in touch with Mike Smith on mnsmithltc@btinternet.com

The league comprises 3 divisions of 4 or 5 players, playing each other in a round robin format over one set only, with a tie-break at 6 games all. An easy and quick way to bring singles into your tennis repertoire!

****Autumn Coaching****

The Autumn term coaching sessions, starting in September, are now on-line and ready for booking. Juniors on Tuesday, Friday and NEW Thursday! Adult beginners and improvers on Tuesday evenings and Adult advanced on Friday evenings. Book on-line at: www.rprlhc.co.uk and follow the link to Premier Tennis.



Hiring of the courts!

Earlier this summer the courts were hired by Terri (Committee Member) for a work team building afternoon. Sarah was brought on board to provide some fun Tennis based activities which were suitable for all abilities and it proved to be a huge success!

For more information on hiring the courts for your own team building event or social event, please speak to Terri Flynn: terri.flynn1@gmail.com



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Floodlighting / Hitting Wall

Tokens for the floodlights on any of our 5 courts can be bought from committee members at £2.50 for 30 minutes. The New Hitting Wall will be in place in the Autumn, exact dates tbc. It will be built at the back of court 4.

Tip of the month from our Coach Jose:

Forehand Tip: ***“Keep your left arm out to the side tracking the tennis ball...helps to track the incoming ball and this will also help to keep you balanced!”***

RPRLTC Teams

If you would like to be considered for any of the teams for the Summer / Autumn League please contact the Team Captains.

Mens: Mike Smith Tel – 07962 121786 Email –

mnsmithlhc@btinternet.com

Ladies: Liz Mclean – 07955 784396 Email – lizmaclean@hotmail.com

Junior Club Summer Tournament Results

8 and under – Winner Arnav Agrawal. Runner-up Timothy Tregilgas

9 and under - Winner Darius Aahamad. Runner-up Adam Millar

10 and under – Winner Raphael Smith Haynes. Runner up Alexander Hyland

16 and under - Winner Ruben Smith Haynes. Runner up Viren Patel

Full details and photos: <http://www.rprlhc.co.uk/?p=1015>



Senior Club Summer Tournament Results

Ladies Singles - Louise beat Nicky

Men's Singles - Neville beat Warren

Ladies Doubles - Lizanne & Handan beat Liz & Anna

Men's Doubles - Jacek & Alex beat Warren & Alfredo

Mixed Doubles - Nicky & Warren beat Neville & Lizanne

A big thank you to all who to all who participated, umpired, supported, cooked, baked which helped make the annual seniors summer final day remain the highlight in the clubs calendar!

Full details and photos: <http://www.rprlhc.co.uk/?p=1030>