

## Stamford Tennis Club E-bulletin June 2010

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### **STAMFORD TENNIS CLUB E-BULLETIN 39 (June 2010)**

(past bulletins can be found on [www.stamfordtennis.co.uk](http://www.stamfordtennis.co.uk) and in the clubhouse)



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### **STAMFORD TENNIS CLUB OPEN MIXED DOUBLES TOURNAMENT Sunday 11th July**

The Tournament starts at 10am, lunch is at approx 1pm and prize giving at approx 3pm.

Format will be round-robin feeding into a knockout tournament, guaranteeing all standards of pairs several rounds of matches.

The Cost is £10 per person (ie £20 per pair) which includes Lunch and Prizes. Drinks and snacks are also available throughout the day.

Below is the entry form, please email this through to [mark.pallister@sky.com](mailto:mark.pallister@sky.com)

You can still apply if you do not have a partner and we'll find one for you.

Closing date for entries is 30th June (but late entries will be considered).

Organiser is Mark Pallister, any queries please call him on 01780 480590 or via [mark.pallister@sky.com](mailto:mark.pallister@sky.com)

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**STC Open Mixed Doubles Tournament**

**Sunday 11 July 2010**

**Entry Form**

**Contact (phone and/or email):**

**Your name:**

**Your partner's name (if applicable):**

**Cost: £10 per person (ie £20 per pair)**

**Preferred payment is by cheque, made payable to 'STAMFORD TENNIS CLUB'**

**Please send your completed Entry Form and cheque to:**

**Mark Pallister, Mona House, Ryhall, Stamford PE9 4HL**

**Any queries please contact Mark on 01780 480590 or via [mark.pallister@sky.com](mailto:mark.pallister@sky.com)**

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**CLUB JUNIOR CHAMPIONSHIP: Monday 28 June and Wednesday 30 June 2010**

Age groups 9 to 16

## REMINDER

On **Monday 28<sup>th</sup> June** we shall be completing the junior club championships. This will be incorporated into the evening coaching session. There will be a **Boys U14, Boys U16 and an Open Girls event. Play will start from 5:00pm.** All junior members of the club are welcome to enter. The format will be decided upon on the evening, depending on the numbers entering. I anticipate a round robin to semi-final to final format. Players from the Monday and Wednesday evening groups and the Aegon teams are of course invited (expected) to enter. These will be the only Junior Club Championship events this year.

For our slightly younger players there will be a Mini Green Club Championship tournament held on **Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup> June from 16:30 to 18:00.** This event will be played as a **Mini Green** tournament but any **orange** players who would like to play in this green event are welcome to enter. This will be a combined boys and girls event.

Please contact Carole Wilson on 07939 095713 or [c.wilson4040@btinternet.com](mailto:c.wilson4040@btinternet.com) to confirm your entry or ask any questions.

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# Stamford Tennis Club

Off Conduit Road, Boys School Tennis Courts

## CURRENT COACHING PROGRAMME

**MONDAY 7<sup>th</sup> JUNE to SATURDAY 17<sup>th</sup> JULY  
2010**

### Adults Coaching Programme

**Mondays 09:15 – 10:45 – Ladies-Rusty Rackets / Beginners (6 weeks) Rate 2**  
**Wednesdays 19:00 – 20:00 – Rusty Rackets / Beginners (6 weeks) Rate 3**

**Children’s Coaching Programme**

**Mondays 16:15 – 17:45 – Team Players U12 (6 weeks) Rate 4**  
**Mondays 17:45 – 19:15 – Team Players 13 plus (6 weeks) Rate 4**

**Wednesdays 16:00 – 16:45 Mini Red (ages 4 – 8) (6 weeks) Rate 1**  
**Wednesdays 16:55 – 17:50 Mini Orange & Green (ages 8 – 10) (6 weeks) Rate 1**  
**Wednesdays 18:00 – 18:55 Full Junior Tennis (ages 11 plus) (6 weeks) Rate 1**

**Saturdays 09:15 – 10:10 Mini Red & Orange (ages 4 – 9) (6 weeks) Rate 1**

**Contact: Carole Wilson: mobile: 07939 095713 or email: c.wilson4040@btinternet.com**

**BOOKING FORM**

**Name..... Date of Birth (child).....**

**Address.....**

**Email Address.....**

**Emergency Contact: Name and Phone number(s) .....**

**Medical Conditions/ Allergies.....**

**Please record the session and time you wish to attend, here.....**

Please tick one box below to show the payment you have enclosed.

Rate 1	Member £30.00	<input type="checkbox"/>	Non-Member £36.00	<input type="checkbox"/>
Rate 2	Member £51.00	<input type="checkbox"/>	Non Member £57.00	<input type="checkbox"/>
Rate 3	Member £36.00	<input type="checkbox"/>	Non Member £42.00	<input type="checkbox"/>
Rate 4	Member £43.50	<input type="checkbox"/>	Non Member £49.50	<input type="checkbox"/>

Please complete this form, detach and send with payment to:

R2R Tennis Ltd, 25 Moor Lane, South Witham, Grantham, Lincs, NG33 5PP (or ring me to 'book in' and bring the form with you the first time you attend). Please make all cheques payable to 'R2R Tennis Ltd' and write the name of the person attending the course on the back of the cheque. Thank you.

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## Stamford Tennis Club

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### **SUMMER HOLIDAYS COACHING PROGRAMME**

WEEK 1 – MONDAY 26th TO THURSDAY 29th  
JULY

WEEK 2 – MONDAY 9th TO THURSDAY 12<sup>th</sup>  
AUGUST

**Each session will include tennis coaching, fun games**

## and competitions to suit the level of the players

**There will be two sessions each day:**

**Mini Red and Orange (ages 4 – 9): 09:30 to 10:50**

**Mini Green and Junior (ages 10 – 15): 11:00 to 12:30**

**Please book your sessions, courses will only be run if there are sufficient numbers!**

**Contact: Carole Wilson: mobile: 07939 095713 or email: c.wilson4040@btinternet.com**

### **BOOKING FORM**

**Child's Name..... Child's Date of Birth .....**

**Address.....**

**Email Address.....**

**Emergency Contact: Name and Phone number(s) .....**

**Medical Conditions/ Allergies.....**

**Each individual session costs £7. Book all four sessions in the same week for only £24 (£6 each)!**

**Please tick below the days you wish to attend and write your time slot here .....**

#### **Week 1: JULY**

Monday 26th     Tuesday 27th     Wednesday 28th     Thursday 29th

**Week 2: AUGUST**

Monday 9th     Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup>     Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup>     Thursday 12<sup>th</sup>

**Please complete this form, detach and send with payment to:**

**R2R Tennis Ltd, 25 Moor Lane, South Witham, Grantham, Lincs, NG33 5PP. Please make all cheques payable to 'R2R Tennis Ltd' and write the name of the child attending the sessions on the back of the cheque. Thank you.**

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**LEAGUE POSITIONS**

**Peterborough League.** Fixtures, results and tables can be viewed on [www.padtc.co.uk](http://www.padtc.co.uk)

The Club is doing well in this league. It currently has five teams in the top thirteen.

In Division 1 the A team, captained by Nick Crowson, is equal top on points with Esporta A, ahead on rubbers, but has lost one match to Esporta.

Also in Division 1, the B team, led by Shay Ginat, is a comfortable fourth.

Propping up division 1 is the C team, captained by Kim Pallister, which has found the going tough.. Having said that, we think that this is the first time ever that one club has had three teams in the Division 1.

In Division 2 the E team, led by Ian Moss, is in third position, and the D team, captained by Kevin Tassel, is fifth. Each division has eight teams.

We have no team in Division 3, and our F team is fifth in Division 4.

**Hunts & Peterborough League.** Fixtures, results & tables can be viewed on [www.hptennis.org.uk](http://www.hptennis.org.uk)

So far only the mixed league has been functioning. We have had a good season. The men's and ladies' leagues commence in July.

In division 1 the Mixed A, captained by Mark Pallister, is third. The Mixed B, led by Warren Thomas, has topped division 2 and will be promoted to division 1 next season. The Mixed C, captained by Neville Burnett, leads division 4, and will be promoted to division 3 next year.

*We would welcome reports from the various team captains for inclusion in future e-bulletins.*

## Our Under 14 boys did very well in the Lincolnshire Aegon competition.

Stamford Tennis Club's Under 14 boys are runners up in the Lincolnshire County competition in the Aegon Team Tennis series. Beating three Lincolnshire teams on their way to the final - Boston and Grantham in the Round Robin Leagues and then Tennis Buddies from Woodall Spa in the semi final, they faced Lincoln team Eastgate in the final.

The Final was played at Eastgate on May 29th 2010:

Despite constant drizzle, Edward Henley and William Bourne won their singles matches - Bourne in straight sets and Henley battling out a tie break to keep Stamford in the frame. Felix Beech and Oliver Huxley faced Eastgate's number 1 and 2 players. They both fought tough matches but were defeated.

At the end of the doubles rounds the teams were equal on points which forced a play-off. Beech and Bourne fought to the bitter end with some winning shots, but they could not overpower Eastgate's first pair and narrowly lost by three points in a match tie break.

All four boys are coached by R2R Tennis. "The boys all put in great performances at each stage of this competition." said the club's Performance Coach Ralph Clarke. "They faced some stiff competition in the final and fought hard but were narrowly pipped at the post. But to get to this stage and take away the runner-up title is a great achievement for Stamford Tennis Club."

Team photo is attached, from the left: Edward, Will, Felix and Oliver. And the boys in the photo are, from left to right, Edward Henley, Will Bourne, Felix Beech and Oliver Huxley.



### Anyone for CRICKET?

We have arranged two "friendly" games against Barnack Cricket Club. First match will be on Friday 23rd July and the return game on Friday 20th August. Matches will start at approximately 6.15, kit provided and Beer and Bar-B-Q will be available. If you would like to be "considered for selection" please contact Ralph Ticehurst on Stamford 755412 who will be the chief and only selector (red wine preferred!) Players and spectators welcome.

## SANTA RUN

Recently Simon Rigby, Alisdair Orr and Alan Gray attended a presentation evening organised by the Rotary Club of Stamford Burghley when Alan presented a cheque for £750 to Rutland Sailability. Ten of us from Stamford Tennis Club ran/walked/staggered round Burghley Park in December and sponsorship money raised by us came to over £1000. We gave £250 to Polio Plus and £750 to Rutland Sailability.

We have since received a letter from Rutland Sailability thanking Stamford Tennis Club for our efforts and the donation. They have also given us a framed picture of RS which Simon has located in the Clubhouse.

## PETERBOROUGH ANNUAL DOUBLES TOURNAMENT

The date of the doubles tournament has been changed to Sunday 17th October because the LTA want to stage an event at Esporta on the 10th. Further details will be circulated nearer the time.

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### [Details of two Veterans tournaments which are taking place on the championship grass courts at the Nottingham Tennis Centre.](#)

**Over 50's Men's Doubles Tournament: Thursday 15th July 2010: Closing Date: Monday 12th July**

**Veteran's 4 day Grass Court Tournament: 21st - 25th July 2010 (Grade 5 ITF Senior Circuit Event)**

**Categories: Men's and Women's Over 40 Singles and Doubles**

**Men's and Women's Over 50 Singles and Doubles**

**Men's and Women's Over 60 Singles and Doubles**

**Closing Date: 7th July 2010**

More information is available from the Tennis Centre Website using the following link:  
<http://www.nottinghamcity.gov.uk/index.aspx?articleid=7407>

## DAVIS CUP by BNP Paribas: Great Britain v Turkey

### 9th-11th July 2010: Devonshire Park, Eastbourne

Devonshire Park, Eastbourne will stage Great Britain's Davis Cup by BNP Paribas Euro/Africa Group 2 tie against Turkey this July.

Davis Cup captain Leon Smith, said: "I'm really looking forward to my first match as captain, and having home support at such a great venue as Devonshire Park will be a massive boost to the team during this important tie"

Tickets are on sale <b>NOW</b> , priced: <b>Full Price</b>			<b>LTA Affiliated Club Concession Price</b>	
<b>Day</b>	<b>Adult</b>	<b>Child (U16)</b>	<b>Adult</b>	<b>Child (U16)</b>
<b>Friday 9<sup>th</sup> July</b>	£20	£10	£18	£9
<b>Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> July</b>	£10	£5	£9	£4
<b>Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> July</b>	£20	£10	£18	£9

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