

Tennis Club of  
Albuquerque

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Gregg Flynn  
Sarah Hartford  
Nate Mann  
Dick Minzner  
Sheri Nevins

**New Member  
INCENTIVE PRO-  
GRAM:**

If you sign up a NEW MEMBER,  
you will receive a \$100 credit on  
your TCA bill. If they stay a mem-  
ber for a year, you will receive  
another \$100 credit.

**Game, Set & Match  
Resignations**

Barbara & Jack Wheeler

The Racquet

February 2007

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**USTA TENNIS ADULT LEAGUES**

Watch for sign-up sheets in the club to be posted for the USTA Tennis Adult League. This is not to be confused with the Nike Intraclub League. USTA League teams compete against teams from other clubs in the city. Levels of competition will include Men's and Women's 2.5, 3.0, 3.5, 4.0, and 4.5. You must have an official NTRP rating to compete in the USTA League. We will need Captains and Co-Captains, so when you sign-up, be sure to put a "C" next to your name if you are volunteering for that position.

**Deadline for sign-up is February 12th.**

**Lee McNaney Award**

The Lee McNaney Award for 2006 was presented to Sophia Deichmann at the Annual Meeting on January 17. The award goes to the Junior Tennis Player at the club who shows "Achievement in: Tennis, Sportsmanship & the TCA Family Spirit." Congratulations Sophia!

**Election Results**

Our Annual Board meeting was held on January 17. Our new Board Members are Gregg Flynn, Sarah Hartford, & Kathy Sanchez who will be serving 3-year terms & Nate Mann will be serving a 1-year term. TCA would like to thank our three outgoing Board Members Jo Cook, Jeff Hawkins, and John Kennedy for their service to the club as Board Members the past 3 years.

Happy Valentine's Day on February 14th!

- Dates To Remember:**
- ♥ **Feb 3 - March 19 Nike Intraclub League**
  - ♥ **Feb 4 - Super Bowl**
  - ♥ **Feb 14 - Valentine's Day**
  - ♥ **March 10 - USTA League**
  - ♥ **March 11 - Daylight Savings**
  - ♥ **March 17-18 TCA Club Doubles Championship**

### **Committee Sign-Ups**

With the new year comes new committee members to rally the troops and make plans for all endeavors. If you would like to participate on one of the committees, and share your creative thoughts and ideas for new programs and events, stop by the clubhouse and add your name to the list. Listed here are the 2007 committees and chairs:

Building & Grounds/ Fitness Center:

Gregg Flynn

Tennis: Sheri Nevins

Swimming: Janet Strozier

Long Range Planning: Nate Mann & Dick Minzner

Social: Sarah Hartford

Membership: John McIntyre

Our condolences go to Ocho and his family for the loss of his father last month.

## **TCA Singles Champions**

Women's Div. 1		
Leslie Kelly	1st	
Sheri Nevins	2nd	
Women's Div. 2		
Liz Fleddermann	1st	
Glenna Hickman	2nd	
Women's Div. 3		
Susan Hagemann	1st	
Dee Burton	2nd	
Men's Div. 1		
Alex Mansfield	1st	
Jud Lee	2nd	
Men's Div. 2		
Walt Simpson	1st	
Patrick Apodaca	2nd	
Men's Div. 3		
Mike Hamer	1st	
Jack Tipps	2nd	

**Congratulations to our winners and thanks to everyone who participated!**

### **NON-MEMBERS ON TCA USA LEAGUE TEAMS**

When a TCA Member invites a non-member to play on any of the TCA USA League teams, there will be a \$50.00 charge to the non-member. This entitles them to attend all team practices and matches at the Club with other team members during the season of that particular league. If the non-member decides to become a member of TCA, the \$50.00 will be deducted from the Initiation Fee for that calendar year.

Team captains, PLEASE notify Cathie or Liz of any non-members playing on your teams, as well as be responsible for collecting the \$50.00 TCA fee before play begins.

## **OCHO'S TENNIS SHORTS**

### **NIKE DOUBLES CLUB LEAGUE**

This is our Doubles Club Championship. Due to the fact that the USTA League will start March 12th, the Intraclub League will be 6 weeks long. PLEASE play all of your matches as soon as possible so there will be no scheduling conflicts with the USTA League.

The top 4 teams from each division will qualify to play the Club Doubles Championship Tournament, March 17 & 18



### **TEAM WORKOUTS**

Get ready for the USA League season. The season is just around the corner. If anyone is interested in a team workout/clinic, we have the pros to do it. Please contact either Ocho or Kelly to discuss your needs.

### **USA League Protocol**

TCA Leagues are going great. Its time to start thinking USA League. Just a reminder, please sign up early so that teams can be formed. As per the tennis meeting in Sept. 1999, for any level having enough players to warrant two or more teams, the format will be: ALL team captains of that level will determine how the teams will be divided. Let's look forward to a great, fun season.

## **WINTER PROGRAM**

### **TCA Junior Development**

**NEW FORMAT for Tournament Group.** The Tournament group will now be billed on a monthly basis. The classes will be Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday for 1.5 hours. Due to the fact that there will be NO make-ups for any reason and the session is pre-billed, there will be extra lesson days on Fridays. Fridays will be free workout days for one hour with one instructor. If you attend all classes, Fridays are free (4 to 5 - hours per month - free). **The next session will start February 1st.**

Classes will be:

Tuesday & Thursday - 3:45-5:15 pm

Saturday Instruction: 2:00-3:30 pm

Friday Instruction: 4:00-5:00 pm

Unsupervised Match Play will follow instruction.

### **Young Future Stars**

#### **\*Saturday Group 6-12 Year Olds**

This program will be held on Saturday for a 5-week session, one hour per week, \$44, member, \$49, non-member (plus tax). Please check with instructors for new starting date.

**Beginners** Saturday: 11:00 am- Noon  
**Advanced Beginner/Intermediate** Saturday: Noon - 1:00 pm

### **Young Future Stars \*Wednesday Group 6-12 Year Olds**

This program will be held in addition to the Saturday class. This program will be held on Wednesdays for a 5-week session, one hour per week, \$44 member, \$49 non-member (plus tax). Please check with instructors for new starting date.

#### **Beginner/Adv. Beginner**

Wednesday: 2:30-3:30 pm

#### **Adv. Beginner/Intermediate**

Wednesday: 4:00-5:00 pm