


THE COURT REPORTER

Newsletter of the Walnut Creek Racquet Club

June, 2013



75 year old Nadine Laursen shows the younger ones how to play a tournament. Congratulations to Nadine and her partner Justin Snyder on being the finalist in the 2013 Calcutta Main Draw!

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THE PRESIDENT'S REPORT



Sterling Fairholm
2013 WCRC President

Happy June WCRC!

For the first time the USTA split the senior divisions into new divisions and although it was met with mixed reviews the WCRC had a terrific showing with 7 teams making playoffs. Congratulations to **Reid Cooper, John Sovik, Rich Miller, Brian Italia, Wendy Reiser, Myrl Kan and Maureen Satcher** for making the playoffs and Brian Italia's team went on to Districts. Great job captains!

USTA Adult League is about half over and Mixed is suddenly upon us, the USTA Mixed season starts on June 17th!

Calcutta was another huge success. See the highlights and big money winners on pages 8-11.

The Winter Doubles Tournament took place at the end of May and finished with some great tennis, congratulations to all the winners and finalists. Thank you to the league coordinator **Lynne Weinshelbaum**, tournament director **Bob Walgren** and the board for making it an annual success. With the end of one league means the beginning of another. Check out the photos and results on pages 4-7.

Summer Singles has just started and everyone is encouraged to sign up. The Tournament is in October so there is lots of summer tennis to be played.

See you on the courts!

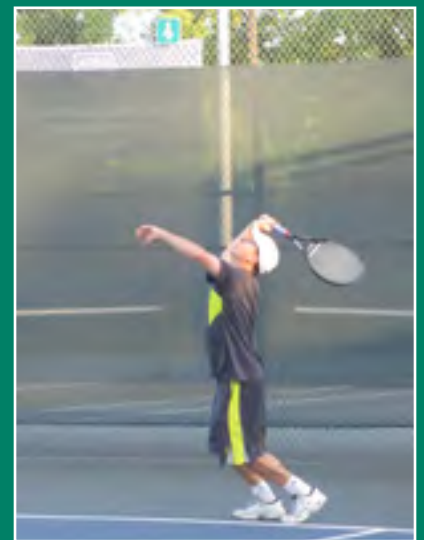
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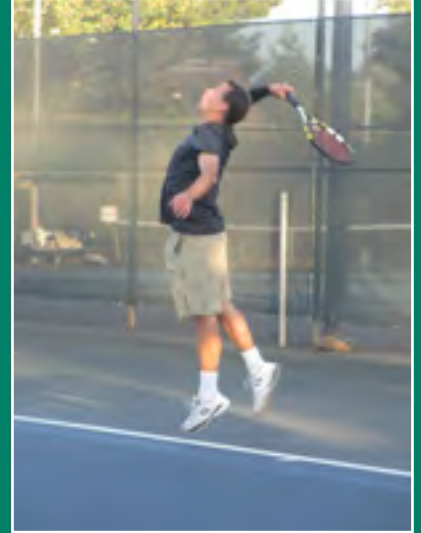


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We had a great turnout for the Winter Doubles League Tournament. Congratulations to the winners, finalists and everyone who competed. Weather cooperated and there was plenty of food, beer and wine for all (beer must have been popular on Saturday since we ran out by early evening). Thanks to Bob Walgren for doing a terrific job keeping us all on schedule and fielding all the calls. Big thanks to Shari Gonzalez for doing the draws and posting results and fielding tons of emails with questions. Also thanks to Tammy Anderson for ordering the food and getting us in and out of Costco before I could spend too much money on their Belgian ales. Thanks to Tammie Snyder for letting us use her camera and, of course, for writing the checks. And finally thanks to Sterling for being the keeper of the beer. Thanks to all 318 of you who participated in the league this year!

Lynne Weinshelbaum





2013 Winter Doubles Winners



3.0 Women's

Julia Bell & Kim Shaw
def.

Tais Mantovani & Julieta Leong
6-1, 6-3



3.5 Women's

Pru Pruden & Kat Lloyd
def.

Tami Maxwell & Sheila Langon
6-2, 7-5



4.0 Women's

Shari Gonzalez & Heidi Belton
def.

Hilary Anderson & Michele Dwinell
7-6 (3), 6-2



4.5 Women's

Tammy Anderson &
Mary Trueblood-Miller
def.

Tiffany Fong & Lynne Weinshelbaum
6-2, 6-1

2012 Winter Doubles Winners



3.5 Men's

Greg Kalustian & Kevin Kyono
def.

Erik Lee & Gary Debrauwere
6-2, 6-4



4.0 Men's

Mark Jimenez & Danny Miranda
def.

Nadav Noy & Greg Hixson
7-6 (2), 6-3



4.5 - 5.0 Men's

Debashis Panda & Juan Cedeno
def.

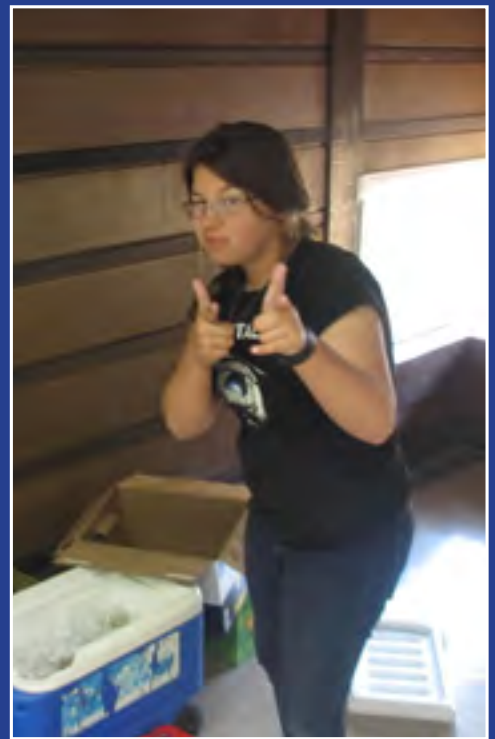
Jesse Gonzalez & Carlos Manuel
6-2, 7-5

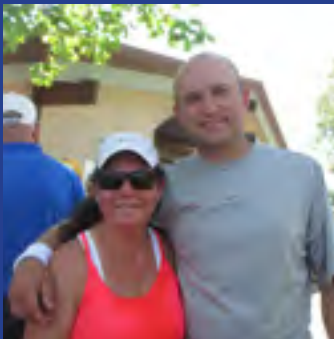
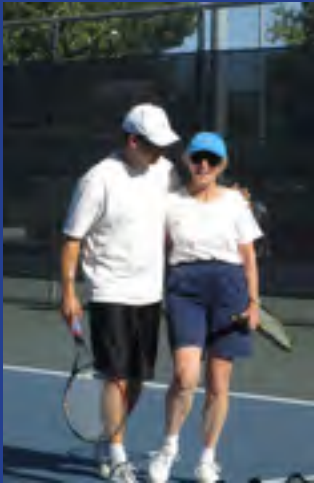
Calcutta Party & Tournament: May 3-4



Emcee Nat Bitton kept the packed house in stitches while auctioning off the handicapped teams. This year we made more money than ever at the auction. The bidders enjoyed food catered by The New Mecca and lots of libations to keep the bids coming in fast and furiously.

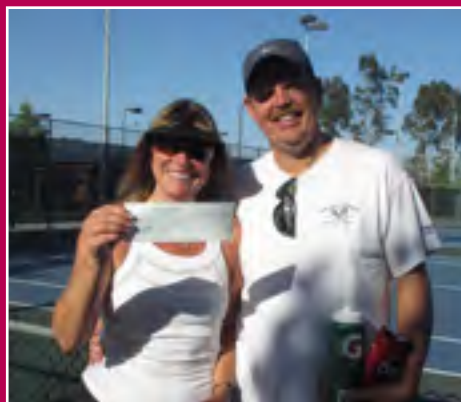
We had a great turnout on May 17th & 18th! Friday night's party was a blast with 32 teams going for a total of \$2,465! The WCRC added some money into the winners pot to make for an exciting Finals for Saturday's Tournament.







Calcutta Main Draw Winners



Winners: Stephen Buchholz & Karen Gee (+6) def. Justin Snyder & Nadine Laursen (+10) 31-26

Steve and Karen split a check for \$315.

Team Owners: Nadav Noy, Kranthi Tappita, Debashis Panda, Jan Lisi, Jon & Sally Van Oosbree and Miwa Hashimoto split the \$1,155 pot from their \$70 investment!



Finalists Justin and Nadine split a check for \$245.

Team Owners: Team Deschane split the \$700 pot from their \$60 investment!



Calcutta Consolation Winners



Winners: Christine Hohenstein & Dan Hoenecke (-10) def. Jay Pineda & Gale Haux (+9) 31-29

Christine and Dan split a check for \$210.

Team Owner: Christine Hohenstein bought herself for \$50 and made \$525!



Finalists Jay and Gale split a check for \$105.

Team Owners: Bill & Verna Ogden, Nadav Noy, Kranthi Tappita, Debashis Panda, Jan Lisi, Jon & Sally Van Oosbree and Miwa Hashimoto \$245 pot from their \$40 investment!





AWARD-WINNING TENNIS BENEFIT FOR BREAST CANCER AWARENESS

Saturday, June 22, 2013 at Orindawoods Tennis Club

AM Clinics with Local Tennis Pros

PM Tournament of Champions

Gourmet Lunch & Raffle (registration includes raffle ticket)

Ace It! benefits Alta Bates Summit Foundation

CAROL ANN READ BREAST HEALTH CENTER

All of your contribution is tax-deductible

Please join us for a fun day of tennis and friends!

For more information please visit:

www.orindawoodstennis.com

ACE IT! REGISTRATION FORM 2013

Name: _____ Rating: _____

Phone #: _____ E-Mail: _____

Address: _____

IF ENTERING WITH A PARTNER PLEASE INDICATE NAME, CURRENT RATING, AND INCLUDE BOTH PAYMENTS WITH THIS FORM.

Name: _____ Rating: _____

Phone #: _____ E-Mail: _____

Address: _____

ACE IT! IS HOLDING THE LINE ON 2013 DONATION AMOUNTS BECAUSE OF THE ECONOMY, BUT YOU ARE FREE TO DONATE MORE IF YOU ARE ABLE

___ AM ONLY: 8:30 AM – 1PM (Clinics, Lunch & Raffle) **Donation: \$75.00**

___ PM ONLY: NOON – 4PM (Lunch, Raffle, tournament) **Donation: \$75.00**

___ FULL EVENT: 8:30 am – 4 PM (Warm-Up, Clinics, Lunch, Raffle & Tournament) **Donation: \$125.00**

___ LUNCH TICKET: Anytime (Lunch, Raffle & Cheers!!) **Donation: \$25.00**

___ SUPPORT ONLY: Cannot Attend; **Donation: \$_____**

In honor of: _____

PLEASE INDICATE PLAYING PREFERENCE FOR THE TOURNAMENT. WE WILL TRY TO ACCOMMODATE AS MANY AS POSSIBLE!

___	Mixed Doubles	___	Women's Doubles
___	Men's Doubles	___	No Preference

Make checks payable to: **ALTA BATES SUMMIT FOUNDATION**

Mail this registration form, along with your check to:

Ace It! at Orindawoods

P.O. Box 2087, Orinda, CA 94563



2013 Men's and Women's Summer Singles Leagues **Registration Form**

Register
on-line
save \$5

Full Name _____

Address _____

City _____ Zip _____

Home Phone _____

Work Phone _____

Cell Phone _____

Email _____

T-shirt Size ☐ M ☐ L ☐ XL ☐ XXL

T-shirt Type ☐ Regular ☐ V-neck* ☐ Tank top*

*V-neck and tank top in women's style only

Current Rating: ☐ 2.5 ☐ 4.5
 ☐ 3.0 ☐ 5.0
 ☐ 3.5 ☐ 5.5
 ☐ 4.0

I would like to enter the following division:

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I am a: ☐ WCRC Member (\$25)
 ☐ Non-Member (\$35)

If you register on line:

- ☐ WCRC Member (\$20)
☐ Non-Member (\$30)

Dates: May 27th - September 30th

Entry Fee: \$25 for WCRC Members
 \$35 for non-members

Format: Men's Singles/Women's Singles

Divisions: Men's 3.0 - 5.0/5.5
 Women's 2.5 - 4.5/5.0

Scheduling: This is an open schedule. Players are responsible for scheduling their own matches. Players will be provided with a contact list of participants within their division.

Match Format: Best two-out-of-three set format. 12 point tiebreaker. Both players responsible for bringing new balls to match. Winner gets unopened can.

Match Site: Any site mutually agreed upon

Scoring: The winner is responsible for reporting the match score by logging on to www.wcrc.net.

Standings: Division standing will be updated on a real time basis as scores are posted

Tournament: End-of-season tournament with draw determined by league standings. Oct. 11-13-21 & Oct. 19

Match Min.: 6 matches

Checks to: WCRC c/o Cameron Coltharp
 336 Blue Ridge Drive
 Martinez, CA 94553

Or Online: www.wcrc.net/Leagues/Signup.aspx

Questions: ccoltharp@telecarecorp.com
 510-717-2107

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CALENDER OF EVENTS



Jun 3-7	USTA Adult 65+ Playoffs Round 1
Jun 10-14	USTA Adult 65+ Playoffs Round 1
Jun 17	USTA Adult 55+ Season Opens
Jun 17	USTA Mixed Doubles 18+ Season Opens



Jul 1	USTA Mixed Doubles 40+ Registration
Jul 8	USTA Combo Doubles Registration
Jul 14	USTA Adult 18+ Season Closes
Jul 19-21	USTA Adult 18+ Playoffs Round 1
Jul 26-28	USTA Adult 18+ Playoffs Round 2
Jul 29	USTA NorCal 70+ Registration



Aug 9-11	USTA Adult 18+ Districts
Aug 23-25	USTA Adult 18+ Sectionals
Aug 26	WCRC Mixed Doubles League Opens



Sep 2	USTA Mixed Doubles 40+ Season Opens
Sep 8	USTA Adult 55+ Season Closes
Sep 8	USTA Mixed Doubles 18+ Season Closes
Sep 9	USTA NorCal 70+ Season Opens
Sep 16	USTA Combo Doubles Season Opens
Sep 27-29	USTA Adult 55+ Playoffs Round 1
Sep 27-29	USTA Mixed Doubles 18+ Playoffs Round 1
Sep 30	WCRC Summer Singles League Ends

TREASURER'S REPORT

Tammie Snyder

as of April 30, 2013



Walnut Creek Racquet Club Profit and Loss Standard January through April 2013

	Jan - Apr '13
Ordinary Income/Expense	
Income	
Advertising Income	300.00
League Dues	417.50
Membership Dues	4,944.36
Total Income	5,661.86
Expense	
Bank Service Charges	8.00
Board Meeting	209.99
Calcutta Expenses	1,147.82
Captains Meetings	103.00
Dues and Subscriptions	95.00
Fall Mixed Tournament Expenses	2,337.51
Gifts	75.95
Miscellaneous	180.00
Office Supplies	11.91
Postage and Delivery	356.39
Printing and Reproduction	420.04
Professional Fees	300.00
Tennis Balls	118.59
Tournament Food	1,002.26
Website	159.85
Total Expense	6,526.31
Net Ordinary Income	-864.45
Other Income/Expense	
Other Income	
Interest Income	7.15
Total Other Income	7.15
Net Other Income	7.15
Net Income	-857.30
Balance as of April 30, 2013	\$52,309.38

**Deadline for the July issue
is Mon, June 24th.**



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Lifetime Tennis

What's Happening at the Courts?

Summer Enrollment:

We are currently excepting enrollment for our Summer Classes that begin the week of June 29th. Be sure to register soon to reserve your spot in your favorite class. Summer Youth Camps begin the week of June 10th and will be running every week, M-F, 9:00am-12:00pm. These camps and classes fill up quickly, so stop by the office at Heather Farm Park to register, or go online at lifetimetennis.com.

Monthly Pass Holder Specials:

During the month of June, Pass Holders will receive 10% off all shoes and clothing.

Pass Holders are also welcome to participate in our FREE Wimbledon Celebration on Friday, June 28th, at 7:00-9:00pm. Be sure to wear your Wimbledon whites while enjoying Wimbledon's tradition of strawberries & cream. Free give-aways and fun competition for all Pass Holders! Sign up in the office at Heather Farm Park by Wednesday, June 26th. Level of play will be 2.5-4.0.

Private Lessons & Friday Night Round Robin:

Private lessons for June are filling up quickly. Have our tennis director, Joe Noth, take a look at your game and tune it up for your upcoming matches. You can also join Coach Joe during the Friday Night Round Robin with the Pro. This sells out quickly, so remember to sign up in the office at Heather Farm to reserve your spot. This is offered every Friday night, 8:00pm-10:00pm, Pass Holders \$4, Non-Pass Holders \$8.

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