THE COURT REPORTER

Newsletter of the Walnut Creek Racquet Club November, 2022

Glenn Teixeira watches his finishing shot.

Photo by Bob Satcher

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THE PRESIDENT'S REPORT

Happy November!

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Now the Holiday season is officially here and I hope you thoroughly enjoy it while spending quality time with family and loved ones. Our Summer Singles tournament was held the weekend of 10/28-10/30-results in the next issue!



Sally Krapf 2022 WCRC President

Since the Summer Singles league has wrapped up, we currently have 2 WCRC Leagues in progress; Mixed Doubles and WING (Winter/Spring) Singles. The Winter Doubles will be kicking off in December!

If you haven't signed up for the WCRC Fall Mixed League you still have time, this is a fun league where you can sign up for 6.0, 7.0, 8.0 or 9.0 or a combination of them as some players do. Of course we will have a fun tournament at the end of the season with food, drinks, and League gifts. As with all WCRC Leagues the finalist and winners get to choose a cool gift. Just a fun League to play more tennis!

Sign up at www.wcrc.net

Congratulations to all the players that participated at the Tri-Level Tournament.

USTA is closing out the 70+, 55+ mixed and combo seasons. Up next is 40+, 40+ daytime, 65+ daytime and mixed 18+. Teams are already forming so find a spot today!

Looking forward to the upcoming holidays!

See you on the courts!





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M EMBERSHIP

Dana Baioni Andrea Bishop George Day Rachel Gabato Tom Kring Aaron Lee Walnut Creek Orinda Benicia San Francisco Concord Oakley

Welcome to Our 12 New Members Current Membership: 1206

3.5	Lisa Palma	Lafayette	3.0
2.5	Stacey Perry	Alamo	4.5
2.5	RogerRinco	Walnut Creek	N.A.
4.0	Sue Sheehan	Walnut Creek	3.0
3.0	Stacey Street	Danville	5.0
4.0	Venkatesh Sundaram	San Ramon	4.0



Membership questions contact: Pam Maloney at 925-787-3970 or email at: pam4tenis@gmail.com





What's Happening at the Courts?

OPERATING HOURS AT WCTC

Monday – Friday: 8am-10:00pm • Saturday & Sunday: 8am-8pm

NEW USTA Class coming for Winter Session 2023! - We are pleased to announce that for Winter Session 2023 we will be piloting a class that will focuses specifically on 4.0+ players. Our very own Tennis Director Jeff Forbes and Lead Tennis Pro Kevin Huang will both be teaching the class. The class will focus on building match skills and strategies while offering some time for free play. To enroll in the class, you must be a 4.0 or higher rated player and must have previously played or currently play on a USTA Team. If you are interested in enrolling the class please contact the General Manager, <u>davidr@lifetimeactivities.com</u>, or Tennis Director, jefff@lifetimeactivities.com for more information!

Warm up time before USTA Match - Please note that per USTA match rules, you are guaranteed 5 minutes of warm up time before your match. This time is already built into your match reservation time. If you would like to warm up on the courts before your match, you may do so free of charge up to 15 minutes before your match starts, as long as there are open courts available. If you would like to have longer than 15 minutes for a warm up, then you will need to book a reservation or walk on court and the standard \$6 fee becomes applicable. If you have a Lifetime Activities pass, then you will still need to book a warm up court, but the charge is not applicable to you.

Walk-On Court Process - Walk on courts are first come first serve only. In order to obtain a walk on court, you must come to the front desk with at least 1 other person that you will be playing with before you will be granted a court. Your reservation time will start at the time that you are granted the court, i.e. walk on court reservation time slots may be booked outside of the reservable court time slots. Please note that you are only allowed to book 1 court under your name per day. If you have already booked a reservable court under your name, then you will not be able to book a walk on court under your name during that same day. We thank you for your cooperation and understanding. If you have any questions about the walk-on court process, you can email the General Manager at <u>davidr@lifetimeactivities.com</u>.

Visit us online at www.lifetimeactivities.com or stop by the the office at 1751 Heather Drive. Please call with any questions at 925-945-0105.

Spotlight It's More Than Just Tennis: Lynne Weinshelbaum

Interview and article by Ian McLaughlin

As an effort to get to know our membership the Board has decided to have a monthly column "Member Spotlight". We will be interviewing WCRC members and getting to know them. This article will help us find out how they got introduced to tennis, their background, any favorite memories, etc. We hope you enjoy this commentary.

ven if you don't personally know WCRC member Lynne Weinshelbaum, chances are you've come across her at Heather Farm. In addition to playing tennis several times a week, Lynne has been a very active member and held numerous leadership positions with the club since 1997/98.

Lynne is truly a citizen of the world and with a father in the military she was born at the Presidio in San Francisco and moved all around the United States throughout her young life. Eventually their family settled in Moraga, where they stayed through Lynne's high school career at Miramonte, where she played almost every sport, including tennis.



Staying in the East Bay, Lynne went on to Cal (go Bears!) to study marketing and finance, and earned her MBA from Cal as well (go Bears!)

Lynne is now retired after seventeen years with American President cruise lines, followed by a second full career in IT support after she went back to school to study computer science.



Lynne's work with American President Lines had her traveling extensively around the globe, which complemented all the travel she did with her family when she was young to give Lynne a uniquely broad perspective on our own society and In addition culture. her volunteer to work with WCRC, Lynne gives back to the community by volunteering at the Oakland Zoo and the Berkeley Humane

Society, both of which are close to the home in the Oakland Hills she shares with her partner John.

When asked what she likes most about being involved in WCRC, Lynne says "it's more than just tennis." She thinks it's a truly unique group of people with great camaraderie, creating meaningful long term friendships; Lynne is still close with several people she initially met at Heather Farm nearly three decades ago. Some of Lynne's favorite memories at the club stem from the informal team tennis matches that were once a regular





Friday night event at Heather Farm, with great food, great drinks, and great fun on and off the courts. The kind of thing we all love about playing tennis with WCRC. It's more than just tennis.











2022 Men's and Women's WI-NG (WInter SpriNG) Singles Leagues



Registration Form

Full Name		Dates:	October 31st - April 16th
Address		Entry Fee:	\$10 (per bracket)
Address		Format:	Men's Singles/Women's Singles
City Zip		Divisions:	Men 3.0 - 4.5+ & 50+ years of age Women 3.0 - 4.5+ & 50+ years of age
Home Phone Work Phone Cell Phone		Scheduling:	This is an open schedule. Players schedule matches (date, time, and location) by mutual agreement. Players use the league website to communicate.
Email		Match Format: Best two out of three sets. When	
Current Rating: 0 2.5 0 3.0 0 3.5	4.55.05.5		opponents agree, a super tiebreaker (10 point) can be used in lieu of the third set.
O 4.0		Match Site:	Any site mutually agreed upon
I would like to enter the following division: O Women's 3.0 O Women's 3.5 O Men's 3.5		Scoring:	The winner is responsible for reporting the match score online at www.wcrc.net.
 Women's 4.0 Women's 4.5/5.0 Women's 50+ (3.0-5.0) 	 ○ Men's 4.0 ○ Men's 4.5/5.0 ○ Men's 50+ (3.0-5.0) 	Standings:	Division standing will be updated on a real time basis as scores are posted
50+ Division is 1 flight with ALL levels (3.0 - 5.0) I am a: • WCRC Member (\$10) • Non-Member (\$10)		Tournament:	End-of-season tournament by arrangement for top 4 players in standings. Playoff matches to be completed 4/17 to 5/31.
		Match Min.:	1 match
Only \$10		Checks to:	Walnut Creek Racquet Club (<u>NOT</u> WCRC) c/o Cameron Coltharp 336 Blue Ridge Drive Martinez, CA 94553
		Or Online:	wcrc.net/login
		Questions:	camcoltharp@gmail.com 510-717-2107

CALENDER OF EVENTS 20222

Nov 4	USTA 70+ Daytime Season Closes
	USTA Combo Doubles Day Season Closes
Nov 5	USTA 65+ DT Team Registration Opens
Nov 6	USTA 55+ Mixed Season Closes
	USTA Combo Doubles Season Closes
Nov 7	USTA 40+ Team Registration Opens
	USTA 40+ DT Team Registration Opens
	USTA 18+ Mixed Team Registration Opens
Nov 10-13	USTA Mixed 55+ Playoffs Round 1
Nov 14-18	USTA 70+ DT Playoffs Round 1
	USTA Combo Doubles Day Playoffs Round 1
Nov 17-20	USTA Combo Doubles Playoffs Round 1
	USTA Mixed 55+ Playoffs Round 2
Nov 28-Dec 2	USTA 70+ Daytime Playoffs Round 2
	USTA Combo Doubles Day Playoffs Round 2

WCRC LEAGUES

Fall Mixed League - Aug. 1 - Jan. 26, 2023
WING Singles League - Oct. 31- Apr. 15, 2023
Winter Doubles League - Dec. 26 - May 7, 2023
Fall Mixed Tournament - February 3-4, 2023

TREASURER'S REPORT



Cara Mia Barnacascel January - July, 2022

Income	
Total League Dues	\$4,373.59
Membership Dues	\$17,994.07
Total Tournament Dues	\$3,031.18
Total Income	\$25,398.84
Gross Profit	\$25,398.84
Expenses	
Board Meeting	\$644.78
Captains Meetings	\$340.30
Contributions	\$1,000.00
Gifts	\$159.11
Total League Expenses	\$4,167.69
Nationals Fee	\$720.00
Nationals Stipend	\$500.00
Office Supplies	\$125.35
Total Printing and Reproduction	\$347.22
Total Professional Fees	\$270.00
Rental Fees	-500.00
Sectionals Fees	\$1,770.00
Supplies	\$578.46
Taxes	\$25.00
Total Tournament Expenses	\$11,831.48
Website	\$789.55
Total Expenses	\$22,768.94
Net Operating Income	\$2,629.90
Net Other Income	\$166.62
Net Income	\$2,796.52

Balance through August, 2022

\$60,576.64



Mixed Doubles League - Standings

6.0		L
Cara Mia Barnacascel / Brian Hennessy	1	0
7.0		
Rebecca Kay / Garvin Tom	4	1
8.0		
Cristina Tudor / Tal Yahud	2	0
9.0		
Steph Stieber / Steve Lehmer	1	0