

CLUB CONNECTION



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OPENING SERVE...

Welcome to your October edition of Club Connection. September quite simply has been an excellent month for the Club. We have welcomed a number of new members to our community, with our membership numbers currently standing at 311, which is a very pleasing increase from last year. Welcome to you all! Thank you to all members for your work encouraging new players to join us- it really does make such a difference.

On Friday 26th September we held a hugely successful Macmillan Coffee Morning, which raised an amazing £554 for a great cause. There was plenty of cake, a Tombola, books and hand painted cards for sale and we got a super turn out. This event was combined with a Ladies Midweek League Match with Foxhills, which we won 14-4 overall, so a brilliant morning all round. A huge thank you to Jill for all her hard work and energy in driving such a successful morning.

Also in September we held our Junior Club Championships, which was completed in excellent spirit and with a great standard of play. We would like to congratulate all those who played and in particular our event winners, who will shortly have their names added to the prestigious Clubhouse board!



COMING UP ON COURT...

ADULTS

Italian Night: We are excited to confirm that our Italian Night this year is planned to run on Thursday 6th November at 7:30pm. There will be an Italian meal and a glass of wine and the cost is £17 per head. Bookings are now open. Please RSVP to Kate by 30th October at katedalemurphy@hotmail.co.uk
Spaces are limited and are first come first served!



Coopers Hill Recreational Trust Visit: We are pleased to confirm that on Wednesday 15th October trustees of the Coopers Hill Recreational Trust will visit the Club for a question and answer session with our members. The aim is for members to learn a little bit more about the Trust, how it operates and to ask any questions that you would like to. Please do come along to the Clubhouse at 6:30pm on this day if you would like to find out more or ask a question.



JUNIORS

Christmas Cake Sale: To mark Christmas, on the morning of Saturday 6th December between 10:00 and 12:30 we will be hosting a Christmas themed cake sale at the Club along with teas and coffees. We warmly welcome parents and families along to enjoy a slice of cake. This event is open to all members and we very much hope to see many of you then.

UPDATE ON MEMBER SURVEY

We would like to say a huge thank you to the members who filled out the recent member survey. Some initial feedback from this can be found in our AGM minutes, which have been shared with all members.

The Committee is now taking time to review all of the feedback, with a view to using this to drive the Club forwards. While of course we cannot take forward every suggestion for different reasons, we will certainly look to implement as many of the ideas as we can. Ultimately it is your Club and we really appreciate members feedback as we continue to strive to improve the Club for the benefit of us all.

SAFEGUARDING POLICY

We just wanted to let members know that we have recently updated the Club's Safeguarding Policy. This can be viewed on the Club's website or in the Clubhouse if members would like to take a look.

As a Club, we are fully committed to providing a safe and inclusive environment for all of our members and guests and have clear policies in place to support with this. All of our policies can be found on the website and in the Clubhouse. In short, we would remind members that safeguarding issues can happen anywhere and any concerns should be reported immediately.

RECYCLING TENNIS BALLS

A plea to members to empty out those tennis bags of old tennis balls and place them in our recycling bin by the Clubhouse!

We welcome receipt of any used tennis balls into this unit which we then send off for recycling- this is both environmentally friendly and raises funds for the Club.



CAR PARK REMINDER

We just wanted to remind members to make sure you get a ticket from the machine and display this in your car if using the Coopers Hill Car Park. The first three hours are free of charge and given that this should cover most Tennis activity, no payment should be necessary. If you are in the Car Park for over three hours, a small charge does apply. We would really urge members to follow this protocol to avoid picking up penalty notices from the Council. Parking attendants are certainly very active in this car park.

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