



## **Guildwood Tennis Club**

### **Executive's July Newsletter**

Website: [guildwoodtennis.com](http://guildwoodtennis.com)

Dear Members and Fellow Tennis-Players,

Included in this report are the calendars for July and August, members' phone list, and information and invitations to participate in some fun events.

A quick look at the calendars will show that we will have more available court time in July and August. When events are posted on the calendar, those events take priority. In addition to the listed events, the Ladies' group has requested and been granted playing time on up to three courts on Monday, Wednesday and Friday mornings from 9 to 11 a.m. There will also be a Junior summer tennis camp on Mondays through Thursdays at 10:30. However, one or two courts will always be available for member play. When people are waiting, we ask that you give up your court after an hour of playing- time. Remember that only members wearing a shoe tag are able to use the courts; all others are subject to a \$5 guest fee.

#### **GTC Singles Ladder**

Greg Nicholson has graciously volunteered to run the GTC Singles Ladder starting in July and running through August. This should appeal to players who enjoy singles, competitive play, and/or who want to test their tennis skills against others. Please call Greg at 416-266-2314 , or else email him at [Greg b Nicholson@hotmail.com](mailto:Greg b Nicholson@hotmail.com) . Thank you for running this, Greg!

#### **New Event: Family Day**

Diane Lang is organizing Family Day on Saturday, July 15<sup>th</sup>, 10 a.m. to noon. This event is for parents (or substitute adults) and their children. There will be a variety of activities geared to various ages and skill-levels: games like 'hit the target', mini-tennis drills and friendly challenge games. We will have some suggestions for how to help your young child gain skills on the court, and we hope to encourage older children to get out and play tennis with their (maybe) not-so-experienced parents. Please email Diane at [diane@langnet.ca](mailto:diane@langnet.ca) to participate. Additional help for this day is also welcome.

#### **New Event: Adult/Junior Invitational**

Marina Pereira ([pereimari@aol.com](mailto:pereimari@aol.com)) and Cathy Carson ([cltdcarson@hotmail.com](mailto:cltdcarson@hotmail.com)) are organizing this event. Junior and adult members will be teamed up for a fun doubles tournament, which will take place on Saturday, August 12<sup>th</sup> from 10 to noon. Please contact Marina or Cathy if you are interested.

#### **Veterans' Tournament**

A fun event for the older crowd, this is scheduled for the afternoon of Saturday, August 26<sup>th</sup> (rain date Aug. 27<sup>th</sup>). To sign up, please contact Dave at 416-266-5884.

### **Club Tournament and Corn Roast Barbecue**

The tournament will take place from the evening of Friday, September 8<sup>th</sup> through Sunday, September 10<sup>th</sup>, ending with our **annual corn roast and barbecue on Sunday afternoon at noon** (rain date: Monday, Sept. 11<sup>th</sup>, 6 p.m.). There is no entry fee for the tournament. Each family contributes a dish to share at the corn roast. The format of the tournament is a series of round-robin doubles matches, with individual players keeping track of how many games they have won. This tournament is suitable for players of all abilities, and is both social and competitive. Entry to the tournament is by sign-up with Dave Muir (416-266-5884), and we invite everyone to come out on the Sunday morning to watch the finals and enjoy the great barbecue and corn roast. There will also be prizes donated by local merchants.

### **STF Interclub**

Thank you to our hard-working captains, Chris Krustev and Marina Pereira (A1), and Rosemary Enright (C1). Their efforts are greatly appreciated by both the Executive and all the members of the STF Teams. To check the progress of these teams, visit [www.scarboroughtennisfederation.com](http://www.scarboroughtennisfederation.com).

We extend special thanks to our Club Pros, Marina Pereira and Jared Nicholson, for their excellent leadership and efforts in running the junior and adult lessons. Many juniors participated this spring in the complimentary junior lessons led by Marina and assisted by a team of adult and junior instructors. Although the free lessons are finished, you can contact Marina at 416-282-5097 if you wish to sign up for affordable junior or adult lessons:

We would like to thank Jared Nicholson, our court monitor, for helping to organize our Monday and our Friday evening Social Round-Robins. Jared is also responsible for contacting and encouraging new members to participate in our various activities.

Finally, special thanks to the maintenance team, headed by Frasier and assisted by Dan, for keeping the grass mowed and the courts in good repair.

Please use the city's recycling bins for empty water bottles and tennis ball tins.

Remember to wear your shoe tags! Hope to see many of you at the Club Tournament and at the Corn Roast and Barbecue!

Don't forget to visit the website for up-to-date news on the Guildwood Tennis Club at [guildwoodtennis.com](http://guildwoodtennis.com).

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