

Tustin Tennis Club

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JUNE, 2017 Newsletter President's Message

Team, we should all be proud of the fact that we enjoy tennis, walks and friendly get-togethers, which are essential hallmarks of long and healthful living. I certainly feel blessed to see enthusiastic folks at the courts and sometimes at the easy hikes. Our historian, Gary Blackburn has suggested that if you would like any of your group pictures captured in our historical profiles, please send him a link to those pictures. These historical records are generally brought out at our year-end holiday party, but can be viewed anytime, if requested. Just to let you all know that hikes are part of a volunteer group activity of like-minded folks – it is not sponsored or sanctioned by Tustin Tennis Club. TTC membership is not required to participate in these hikes, and you are free to bring your friends. Along these lines, we are also exploring 1-day family picnic events during the year, where we can play some tennis and do light hiking in the neighboring areas. We will let you know as soon as it is finalized.

All of us are lucky to be living in one of the best climates, here in Orange County – and yet we have some days even better than others! On days when more of our friends show up at the courts, it seem that waiting to play can be somewhat longer than we would like. These wait times are especially noticed during, what I call peak hours, 9:15am to 10:15am – so one way to mitigate this is to plan on playing in the earlier or late hours. You can certainly request like-minded folks to either meet early or late in the day (playing past 11:30am is OK too!).

All TTC members are ambassadors of this club and committed to improvements in tennis play, and increase in membership. A non-member is allowed to try our club play, just once. If you see a new person in the court, please let them know that the club appreciates their participation and welcomes their try out. Please do offer guidance to the new person regarding the membership form.

Please continue to have fun, keep healthy and do come to the courts, even if you are not able to play for some reason. Please provide your comments, ideas, suggestions and advice so we may continue to improve our club.

Ishwar Chander TTC-President

Meeting Minutes

TUSTIN TENNIS CLUB MINUTES FOR JUNE 2, 2017

ATTENDEES:

<u>Board Members: Ishwar Chander, Elsie Polston, Neil Sherman, Marsha Embree,</u> <u>Irene Zaleski, Bernie Miller, Cliff Polston, Tom Ly, Gary Blackburn, Sally Biederbecke</u>

The meeting was called to order at 11:04 am by President Ishwar Chander

The previous meeting's minutes were read and approved

PRESIDENT'S REPORT: Ishwar Chander

Ishwar presented a Certificate of Appreciation and pen to Neil Sherman, past president.

<u>Ishwar asked everyone to review and provide comments and suggest changes to the</u> <u>preliminary 2017-2018 calendar.</u>

As a part of the transition, Ishwar asked everyone to review their duties, get documents from previous officers and ask questions if they need help. At our next meeting everyone is to present their reports and understanding of their duties and questions/clarifications.

<u>A place for the luncheon for the outgoing Board Members was discussed with no definite</u> place in mind. Sally was asked to call Nancy and give her some suggestions. Ishwar discussed goals for the coming year asking for suggestions. Goals suggested were:

- 2. improve participation
- 3. 1 day get away-Elsie in charge of Chino Hills as a possibility

No other reports were submitted.

<u> Open Forum:</u>

<u>Time waiting on courts can be long and a suggestion of 1 court being a "rotating" court was</u> proposed by Sally and discussed with no definite plan.

NEXT MEETING: July 7th at 11:00 am at the Magnolia courts

Meeting adjourned at 11:43 am.

Submitted by Marsha Embree, Co-Secretary with Bernie Miller

JUNE TENNIS QUIZ

- A. Before Pete Sampras and Lindsay Davenport in 1999, who were the last Americans to win Wimbledon?
 - A. Billie Jean King, Arthur Ashe
 - B. Pete Sampras, Mary Jo Fernandez
 - C. Martina Navratilova, John McEnroe
 - D. Chris Evert, Jimmy Connors
- 2. Which player was known as "Boom Boom" when he first entered professional tennis?
 - A. Pete Sampras
 - B. Richard Krajicek
 - C. Roscoe Tanner
 - D. Boris Becker
- 3. Which tennis player had the nickname "The Rocket"?
 - A. Adriano Panata
 - B. Roscoe Tanner
 - C. Rod Laver
 - D. Ken Rosewall
- 4. Which American tennis player popularized metal rackets by first using a Wilson T-2000?
 - A. John McEnroe
 - B. Stan Smith
 - C. Jimmy Connors
 - D. Don Budge
- 5. Which tennis great hails from Las Vegas?

- A. John McEnroe
- B. Pete Sampras
- C. Stan Smith
- D. Andre Agassi
- 6. Who was ranked #1 in the world in both singles and doubles tennis in the early 1980's?
 - A. Roscoe Tanner
 - B. Ivan Lendl
 - C. Adriano Panata
 - D. John McEnroe
- 7. Who was the first African American woman to win Wimbledon?
 - A. Serena Williams
 - B. Zina Garrison
 - C. Althea Gibson
 - D. Venus Williams
- 8. Which two teams contested the Davis Cup final in 1999?
 - A. Brazil And Switzerland
 - B. Belgium And Russia
 - C. Australia And France
 - D. Slovak Republic And The USA
- 9. Which Australian man won the Australian Open in 1976?
 - A. John Newcombe
 - B. Pat Cash
 - C. Pat Rafter
 - D. Mark Edmondson
- 10. Which tennis player won both the 1997 and 1998 U.S. Opens?
 - A. Gustavo Kuerten
 - B. Patrick Rafter

C. Andre Agassi D. Pete Sampras

JUNE TENNIS QUIZ ANSWERS

- 1. C
- 2. D
- 3. C
- 4. B
- 5. A
- 6. A
- 7. A
- 8. B
- 9. C
- 10. A

TTC CALENDAR 2017 - 2018 (Preliminary)

MONTH	BOARD MEETIN G	LOCATION	ACTIVITIES	ASSIGNEE(S
JUNE	6/2 at 11: am	Tustin Ranch Golf Club	Tustin Ranch Federal ePostcard (990N), and CA	
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			ePostcard(N199) tax filings	Treasurer
			Preliminary Budget	
JULY	7/7 at 11:00am	Magnolia	Board Meeting	
			Coordinate Tustin ACER	TTC and
			Membership Renewal	Hina Khan
			Board Meeting	
			ACER Membership Renewal (Due 8/15)	
			Start Membership Renewal	
			Prepare Website Hosting Renewal	
			ACER Membership Renewal (Due 8/15)	Membership
AUGUST	8/4 at 11:00 am	Magnolia	Membership Renewal Deadline	Chair Treasurer
			Fall Team Tennis Start	
			Prepare for Website Hosting Renewal	Membership Chair
	9/1 at		Website Hosting Renewal (due 9/3)	Tournament Director
SEPTEMBER	1:00 pm	Magnolia	Board Meeting	Treasurer
OCTOBER	10/6 at 11:00 am	Magnolia	Board Meeting Website Domain	

			Renewal (Due 10/7)	
	11/3 at			
NOVEMBER	11:00 am	Magnolia	Board Meeting	
	12/1 at			
DECEMBER	11:00 am	Magnolia	Board Meeting	Treasurer
			Renewal USTA Insurance (Due 12/31)	Party Chair /
			Christmas Party	Nancy
JANUARY	1/5 at 11:00 am	Magnolia	Board Meeting	
FEBRUARY	2/2 at 11:00 am	Magnolia	Board Meeting CA S/I Filing	Treasurer
MARCH	3/2 at 11:00 am	Magnolia	Board Meeting USTA Membership Renewal (Due 3/17)	Treasurer
APRIL	4/6 at 11:00 am	Magnolia	Board Meeting PO Box Renewal (Due 4/30)	Treasurer
MAY	6/5 at 2:00pm	Magnalia	Board Meeting	Social Chair
		Magnolia	Picnic, New Officers	Social Cridit

On going activities:

- 1. Website Update (Periodic)
- 2. Newsletter (Publish around mid-month)
- 3. Getaway Picnic Planning / Proposals
- 4. Review Treasurer Calendar
- 5. Brainstorm TTC Improvement Activities
- 6. Equipment Inventory reviews

Sunshine

Bernie Miller had knee surgery last week. Some members visited him in the hospital.

Latest word is that Bernie is back home and recuperating.

TTC wishes Bernie a speedy recovery and return to the courts.

In-House Services

1. Give me a call for all your travel needs. Rose/A Premier Travel 714-313-9367

2. I am am a licensed Read Estate Broker (DRE Lic.# 01476605). For all your Real Estate needs, contact me at 949-683-2248. Also contact me for events, groups, and portrait photography and to recreate, restore or retouch pictures through Photoshop. -- Alim Akhtar.

3. If you need Private/Small Group Tennis Lessons at Magnolia Tennis Courts for any age as a beginner or intermediate level. CONTACT: Allan Galera (714) 628-0620. <u>OCtenniscoach@gmail.com</u>. Flexible schedule and willing to travel at your preferred private/public court location in North OC vicinity to stay young, healthy, competitive, and to raise your game to the next level.

TUSTIN TENNIS CLUB HIKING PICTURES

Several members continue to go on local hikes organized by Alim. Here are pictures from some of our recent hikes/outings.

TTC hikers at Woodbridge North Lake - June 8, 2017 https://goo.gl/photos/Mc39raNCZD2zzScu5

Visit to BAPS temple - June 1, 2017 https://goo.gl/photos/saKWyy9dW7zWTAEk7

TTC hikers at Crystal Cove - May 25, 2017 https://goo.gl/photos/QKMa9uY4yh8PaZFZ8

TTC hikers at Backbay - May 18, 2017 https://goo.gl/photos/JUS4vkEEweBtSUFi9

If you want to participate in any of our hiking/walking activities, please contact Alim at <u>alim611@yahoo.com</u>.