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PACQUENAC TENNIS CLUB NEWS

A MESSAGE FROM OUR PRESIDENT...

Our season is in full 'swing' ! The tournament sign up sheets are posted on the club bulletin board. Dan McElwreath is the tournament chairman for all events. If you have questions about the Friendship Tournament you can call me. I prefer talking on the phone instead of emailing because you can go into more depth if necessary on a phone call.

Friday, May 27th, is the second Friday Night Tennis Party of the year. Come and enjoy the camaraderie. BYOB and food. Many people bring "picnic" type food to grill on the patio Weber grill. We look forward to seeing you all there. It is supposed to be quite warm that day. It starts at 4ish and ends whenever !

I would like everyone to know that you can **ALWAYS** (except after 9:30PM) call me with any club related questions or topic. I look forward to seeing you on Friday or talking to you soon.

Gerald Cetrulo, President



Trivia Question

If your opponent hits the ball with enough backspin in that the ball bounces on your side of the court and then spins back over the net onto their side of the court and you do not touch the ball, who's point is it ?

Meeting Host Schedule

- June: Don Wain
- July: Eric Mertrud
- August: Jerry Bott
- September: Pasquale Baccarella
- October: John Griffin
- December: Matt Dondiego

Membership Chairman

We have four membership applications to vote on at our next Board Meeting in June, 2016:

Johnathan Thai/Aaisha Alexander, 47 Iron Forge Sq., Pompton Lakes, NJ07442.

Renee Kazanowski/ThomasPenhale, 40 Village Rd., Pompton Plains, NJ 07444.

Dennis Micke/Joanne Nasto, 3631 Stevens Rd., Wallington, NJ 07057.

Richard/Lorraine Casamento, 359 Powerville Rd., Boonton, NJ 07005.

Jerry Bott, Chairman



**This month's board meeting will be hosted by Don Wain on June 9, 2016
The meeting will be held at the Clubhouse starting at 7:30PM**

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2016 PACQUENAC JUNIOR TENNIS ACADEMY SCHEDULE AND PRICING

Group tennis lessons will be held on Tuesday, June 21, Wednesday, June 22, Thursday June 23, Friday June 24, Monday, June 27, Tuesday June 28, Wednesday June 29, Thursday, June 30, Friday, July 1, and Tuesday July 5, 2016.

TIMES: 11AM-12 Noon—Intermediate and Beginners (Elementary and Middle Schools)
12 Noon—1 PM— Advanced (High School)

PRICE: \$90.00 for 10 lessons over 3 weeks
\$45.00 for each additional child in the same family.

NOTE: Children of non -Club families must pay an additional \$35.00 for yearly PTC court fees. Price includes entry in an age appropriate Junior Tournament which will be held on THURSDAY, July 7th and FRIDAY, July 8th starting at 10 AM on Thursday and 11 AM on Friday. Draws will be posted no later than Tuesday, JULY 5th on the Club Bulletin Board.

All Juniors must wear smooth-soled tennis sneakers to play on the red clay courts. Contact Club Teaching Pros Bob Reich (973-696-3635) OR Johnathan Le (646-824-8961) to register. Make checks payable to Pacquenac Tennis Club and bring it to the first day of lessons. Please provide names, ages home address, email and telephone number at this time. Please indicate if your child is a beginner, intermediate or advanced player.

If you have any questions, call the Club Pros at the above phone numbers. We are happy to promote the sport of tennis at all age levels. Come join us at our premiere tennis courts on Red Clay!

Johnathan Le and Bob Reich

ATTN. ALL MEMBERS: WE NEED YOUR HELP.

Jonathan Le and Bob Reich have announced an up-grade (at last year's prices) of their junior lessons. It is now called 'Pacquenac Junior Tennis Academy. Lessons will begin on Tues., June 21st and will run through Fri., July 8th. Details are outlined on our Website, our Newsletters and on the bulletin board at the club. Upgrades starting this year will include T-shirts for all Juniors, plaques and/or trophies for all finalists and prizes for most improved players. Only 2 juniors both from the same family who are members signed up last year. As a result, we need all the promotion and publicity we can get, so, we are asking everyone to alert your neighbors with school age children to take advantage of our reasonably priced lessons. Please refer all potential Juniors and their parents to our club teaching pros.

Also, our club and lessons will be featured in our library's showcase encasement near the front door on the left as you walk in.

Bob and Johnathan



FRIDAY NIGHT TENNIS PARTY

This **FRIDAY, May 27th**, is our 2nd Friday Night Tennis Party which starts at about 4ish. BYOB & food. The grill will be available—come out and enjoy a pleasant evening. This is a great way to socialize and meet members and their spouses. We'd love to see you there. Gerald Cetrulo, Club President



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[PTC 2016 Calendar of Events](#)

- MARCH** **2016 Membership Dues Due – LATE FEE - \$30.00.**
- APRIL** Court Preparations – Opening Day T/B/A
Women’s League – May thru June
1st FRIDAY NIGHT TENNIS PARTY, April 29th 4:00-7:00 PM
- MAY** **PTC OPEN HOUSE – SAT./SUN, MAY 7-8, 1:00-4:00 PM**
Men & Womens ROUND ROBIN begins – see Website.
PTC Yard Sale, Saturday, May 14th, 2016
FRIDAY NIGHT TENNIS PARTY, May 27th, 4:00- 7:00 PM
Founder’s Tournament Registration – tournament play May thru October
- JUNE** 1st Half of Friendship Tournament - **June 11th & 12th, 8:30 – 11:00 AM**
CLUB BREAKFAST - Sunday, June 12th, 9:00 – 11:00 AM
Arthur Worden Tennis Scholarships Awarded Wed., **June 15th at PTHS, 7:00 PM**
Pacquenac Junior Tennis Academy Schedule & Pricing – begins **JUNE 21 - JULY 5th, 11am-1 pm (see website).**
FRIDAY NIGHT TENNIS PARTY, June 24th, 4:00-7:00 PM
- JULY** Cal Small Awards & Coaches Awards – Tues., **JULY 5th, 12:00 PM**
Junior Tournament (see Website) –Thursday, **JULY 7th, 10:00 AM**
Jr. Tournament Semi-finals & Finals-Friday, **JULY 8th, 11:00 AM**
FRIDAY NIGHT TENNIS PARTY, July 29th, 4:00 – 7:00 PM
- AUGUST** **Women’s League Celebration – T/B/A**
FRIDAY NIGHT TENNIS PARTY, August 26th, 4:00 – 7:00 PM
- SEPTEMBER** **Founders Tournament - Play offs**
Friendship Tournament **2nd 1/2, September 17-18th**
PTC FALL PICNIC/OKTOBERFEST – September 18th
FRIDAY NIGHT TENNIS PARTY, Sept.30, 4:00-7:00 PM
- OCTOBER** **Founder’s Tournament FINALS**
FRIDAY NIGHT TENNIS PARTY, Oct. 28th, 4:00-7:00 PM
- NOVEMBER** **PTC WINTER CLOSING (?) Weather dictates !**
PTC ANNUAL CLUB AWARDS BANQUET, November 6, 2016
LAST POSTING IN NEWSLETTER – Make a Copy or go to Website!

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NOTES FROM OUR WEBMASTER

The following email distribution lists exist:
votingmembers@pacquenactennisclub.com
members@pacquenactennisclub.com

These are used for official PTC communication and is not available to the membership at large. Messages sent to votingmembers@pacquenactennisclub.com will be filtered by the President. The following distribution list is available for the membership to exchange messages: water-cooler@pacquenactennisclub.com To help reduce unwanted messages in your inboxes, this is an opt-in list, meaning, you must request to be included in the list. An opt-in request form will be send out soon.

Tom Mathews



NOTES FROM OUR TOURNAMENT DIRECTOR

FRIENDSHIP TOURNAMENT: June 11 & 12—8:30-11:00 AM
Call either Gerald or Carol Cetrulo at:
Gerald @ 973-650-4474, Carol @973-800-6781.

SENIOR TOURNAMENT: June thru August.

FOUNDERS TOURNAMENT: June 1st thru September, playoffs in October. Register at:
ptcfounderstourney@pacquenactennisclub.com

Sign up sheets for all tournaments are displayed in the bulletin board on the clubhouse porch for your convenience. Sign up NOW for some great and competitive tennis !

Dan McElwreath



PACQUENAC TENNIS CLUB BREAKFAST

Our spring CLUB BREAKFAST is just around the corner. Mark your calendars for a great morning on SUNDAY JUNE 12th, from 9 -11:00 AM.

Thor Jorgensen



Trivia Answer

A : Your opponent 's point.

COACHES CORNER

Question from a PTC Member:

‘How can I get more power and net clearance on my serve and ground strokes ?’

ANSWER:

Bend your knees before contact and think of angular—as opposed to linear—momentum when striking the ball.

If you have any questions, please feel free to ask me. Play hard and practice harder !!

Jonathan Le



Women's Round Robin Tennis
May – June 2016

Wednesday mornings – 8:30 AM – 11 AM
Thursday afternoons – 4:30 PM – 7 PM

A graphic featuring Minnie Mouse in a pink polka-dot dress and bow, set against a background of pink and purple flowers and butterflies. The text is in pink and black.

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