



Fontainebleau
Swim & Tennis Club
Monthly Newsletter

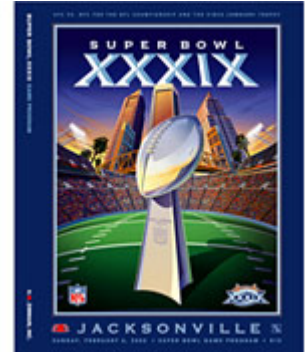


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**It's a "Super" Time
 for
 FSTC Members**



It's Super Bowl Sunday and a Super time to enjoy your Swim & Tennis Club. With our unseasonably warm weather, take a walk down to the Club premises, play on the tennis courts or the children's play area, just enjoy the view, or throw a football or two.

A membership drive is on to encourage new and current neighbors to join the Club. There is a \$50 referral fee to all current members who refer a new member. For membership information, check out our website at www.fstc.us or contact Genie Hooper. In addition, we are in the process of updating our membership directory. If you have any changes from last year's please forward that information to Genie Hooper at bghooper@earthlink.net. The directories will be available this spring.

Spring tennis is just around the corner. There is more information on tennis in this newsletter, so keep reading.

Parents interested in serving on the Swim & Dive Boards should contact Maria Clements or attend the first meeting of the year on Tuesday, February 8 at 7:30pm.

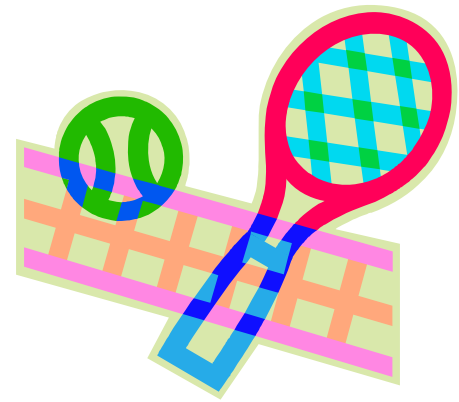
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Tennis News
(written by Tim Yelton)



Congratulations to our C-1 ALTA Ladies!!!

This past fall our C-1 ALTA Ladies won their Division and earned another sign for our courts. They then went on to win in the 1st round of the play-offs.

Unfortunately the eventual City Champions beat them by just one match to attain the title. Winning your Division is tough, but going to the post season is even more challenging. This team is made up of: Genie Hooper, Nancy Keita, Sally Atwell, Carol Harper, Jen Drew, Madeline Guadagnino, Cathy Hirsch, Julie Cole, Jenny MacDonald, Kristin Anchors, Mary Beth Patten, Jeannette Beck, Heather Davis, Ellen Lange, Erin Nydam, Deborah Osterholtz, Gina Peehler, and Jane Jones (Coach)

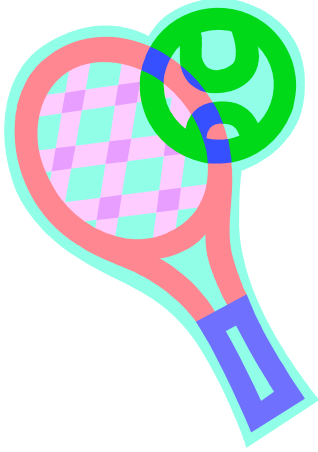
We're proud of you Ladies!! "Good Luck" in the B League!

Check our Website at: www.fstc.us then click on the Tennis ICON to see this dynamic team.

Let's Talk MORE Fontainebleau Tennis!

With the USTA Winter Regular Season over and ALTA's Winter Mixed Doubles Season underway can you guess how many matches your Tennis Teams have played since November (start of the USTA Winter Season)? That would be 105 matches. That's 224 Sets and over 2,000 games of Tennis! Would that qualify us as a Tennis Community? I think so, but not only that, we're a **winning** Tennis Community. Read about our USTA Ladies below. By my count (collectively speaking) every 10 times

Fontainebleau players take the court they win 7 of those matches. This, despite the fact that we're continually progressing up the USTA and ALTA ladders. Just recently our USTA Men's 3.0 Team advanced to 3.5, our Mixed Doubles C-2 ALTA Team to B-7, our B-2 Mixed Doubles ALTA Team to A-9. And our 3.0 USTA Ladies Team will surely be moving to 3.5 next season, and the C-1 Ladies will be in the "B" ranks next season. *"Now that's Bleau Tennis !!"*



Congratulations to the Ladies USTA 3.0 Team ! These ladies are nothing short of phenomenal! They clearly won their Division with **31 Wins and only 4 loses** (that's an 89% win rate)! They won over 50% of their matches with ten of the fourteen players winning 100% of their matches (and 6 of them winning 100% of their Sets played). They are ranked #2 throughout the play-off so there's a very strong possibility they'll have home court advantage throughout the play-offs. Let's head to the courts and cheer them on! (Ladies, I'll need a picture for next month's newsletter!)

Our **3.5 USTA Men's Team** didn't fair so well closing out the season with 17 Wins and 18 Loses. Better luck next season guys!

ALTA Winter Mixed Doubles Play is Underway !

Our **B-7 Team** is currently in **1st** place with 15 regular season matches played. Now this is the team that moved up from the C League. Their present record is **12 Wins** and 3 Loses (Sunday, Jan. 30th NOT included) (an **80% win rate**). Eight players have a 100% Winning Match rate. I think we'll call this team "The Jefferson's" 'cause they always seem to be "*moving on up*" (*OK, you have to be a certain age to get that one.*)

Our **A-9 Team** is currently in the middle of the pack in their Division. They had some "*tough breaks*" over the previous 3 weeks, but won all 5 matches Sunday (Jan. 30th). Their record is currently 11 Wins and 9 Loses. Not bad for a team that was B-2 last Mixed Season.

Fontainebleau's Spring ALTA Teams are Forming!

Rosters for the ALTA Spring Teams are forming. The two Men's Teams begin regular season play on Saturday, March 19th. The Ladies Teams begin Sunday, March 20th. If you're interested in playing contact me at: tayelton@bellsouth.net.



Revised Tennis Rules on the Website Soon!

Your Board just approved the revised Tennis Rules. They will be on the Website soon. The only major change was the "Court Sign-up" window. Before you could not reserve the courts more than twenty-four (24) hours in advance. Now you can reserve them **forty-eight (48) hours in advance**. Please make every effort to cancel your reservations if you are unable to meet your commitment.

A Lock-Box for the Bathrooms will be Installed Soon!

There have been a few concerns among the teams regarding the bathrooms being locked and no one with a key available to unlock them. Solution: A Lock-Box will be placed right outside the Entry Door to the Restrooms. With your Main Gate / Tennis Gate key you can unlock the Lock-Box and extract the Entry Door Key (it will be on a cord). After unlocking the Entry Door, replace the key back in the Lock-Box, and lock the Lock-Box. After all matches are complete lock the Entry Door before departing to insure the security of our facilities (a key is NOT required to lock the Entry Door).

One last thing...

One last thing... as your new Tennis Director I'm looking for your input. Please don't assume I know everything that's going on. If you have Tennis information that you think I should know about, please do not hesitate to let me know (preferably by email at: tayelton@bellsouth.net). **Go Bleau!!**

Club Fees are due. If anyone has not received an invoice, please contact Kyle Kolvereid.

Club Rental: Don't forget you can use the clubhouse for your next event. Contact Rudy Nydam 770-698-0155 or rudy.nydam@usa.xerox.com.



New Member: Please welcome our newest member, Jeannie Berken. Jeannie is a retired executive from Georgia Pacific and is relocating here from the Buckhead area. Jeannie will be moving into her house on Joel Lane in mid-February and is Penny Forman's sister.

And a good-bye note from Meredith Carr:

Chris, Mary Clifton and I moved to Washington D.C. on Tuesday, January. Mary writes, "We have loved our home and neighborhood, and thank all of the neighbors and members for being so caring during our time here. Chris will be running the D.C. office for the new GA Senator Johnny Isakson. If you ever are up in the area, let us know! This is my new email address, if you have any questions: meredithcarr@hotmail.com



Congratulations to the Nydam's on the birth of their new daughter, Lily Anne. Lily was born on January 10 and weighed 6 pounds 7 ounces and was 19 $\frac{1}{4}$ inches long. Baby Lily joins big sister Emily.

Musical Instruments Needed: Ellen Lange and Kristin Anchors, teachers at Kittredge School, are asking for donations of musical instruments for their band students. Please call Ellen at 770



350 0195 to make a deductible donation.



Free Beagle-mix puppies: If interested, contact The Llops @ 770-394-9690.

Newsletter Information: If you know of any member who is not receiving their newsletter, please email Penny Forman at fbleaunews@aol.com or call 770-804-0790. Thanks! Also the deadline for article submission is the first Friday of each month to fbleaunews@aol.com. Please send school news, community news, or any other news you'd like to share with your neighbors.