

Senior Tennis times

Newsletter of the Senior Tennis Players Club, Inc.

STPC Board of Directors Issues New and Revised Policies

As a result of recent discussions at STPC board meetings, some club policies have been revised and restated. Hopefully these new policies will make your membership more enjoyable and clear up some confusion. (Be sure to read John Stecklein's column, *Baseline*, this month for more on what went on at the Board meeting.) The new policies are listed below.

Who Can Play

Only current members of STPC can participate in our drill and reserved play time (indoors/outdoors) at any facility. **Players must adhere to this rule without exception.** Captains are responsible for checking their rosters periodically against the published STPC membership roster and the monthly updates that appear in the *Senior Tennis Times* to ensure players are members.

Non-STPC Teaching Pros

Only certified teaching professionals

(USPTA or USPTR) whose clubs provide STPC with playing time will be allowed to have their open drills, including the fees, listed at the end of our regular schedules. The STPC lessons will be listed each time with the locations and time as well.

Advertising For-Profit Events

Any trips or tennis camps run by private individuals for profit will be presented in the *Senior Tennis Times* as paid ads. However, if the Board has delegated to a member the planning of a special, nonprofit trip, cruise, or tennis camp, this will be publicized as any other STPC event with no advertising charges required.

Free One-Line Ads

STPC's board of directors decided last month to liberalize the advertising policy of the *Senior Tennis Times*. Members in good standing will be allowed one free one-line want ad in the Times. The basic idea is to give members a chance to, say, sell their racket. But anything, within the

bounds of propriety of course, is okay. So you can even sell your racket!

The plan is to set up the want-ad section on a two-column per page basis so a one-line ad, one column wide, will be about 40 to 45 characters. Ads will be edited to fit. The ad must come to the editor written as the member wants it to appear. If you want to do the ad again a second month, it must be resubmitted in writing. And, if for some reason your phone number is not in the ad, it must accompany the ad. The existing longer (four-line) classified ad, available to members only for \$15, continues to be an option.

There are no promises, but we're going to try out the free one-line ad idea. It is certainly a low cost way to a 1,300 (plus) person market.

Send your one-liner to Nancy E. Kaminski, Editor, 3300 East Gate Rd, St. Anthony, MN 55418-2545 The deadline for ads for the next month's edition is the 20th of the current month.

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October 1994



Baseline
John Stecklein
STPC President

As if I needed one (which I don't), I have discovered the secret of making time fly past — write a monthly column for the *Times*. It hardly seems possible, but we are facing October already — the midpoint of our 1994-95 summer-winter tennis year.

Actions taken at the meeting of the Board on September 8 include the following:

Final approval was given to the revised bylaws. We started reviewing them last February, to bring them in line with recent operational practices of the Board. Primary changes focused on limiting terms in office, specifying officers' duties, liability insurance coverage, and the establishment of an ad hoc advisory committee to assist the president on matters needing attention between regular meetings of the Board. Copies of the new bylaws may be obtained by writing or phoning me at 644-8304.

As part of our ongoing efforts to increase the usefulness of the *Times*, approval was given for two new services. The first is the addition of a Swap/Shop want-ad section which can be used by any paid-up member to advertise the sale or swap of items or services. There will be no charge for these once-a-month one-line ads. The second is permitting teaching pros affiliated with tennis clubs that permit the use of their courts for our STPC organized playing sessions to list the times and costs of their drills in the *Times* at no expense.

A policy was adopted regarding individuals who claim the right to participate in STPC organized playing sessions because they are members of the host tennis club, but who refuse to pay dues to STPC. This policy is spelled out elsewhere in this issue of the *Times*.

Various early morning playing opportunities are now available, thanks to the good work of Chuck Slocum. Most are now filled, but some openings are still available. I encourage all of you who aren't now playing or are not playing enough — particularly new members — to check with the listed captains for openings and help us use these opportunities to the maximum.

Two special committees were appointed: an STPC 2000

Committee, to consider the future of the organization, and a Committee on Administrative Organization. Matt Little will chair STPC 2000 and Dot Guenther will chair the second committee. It is my hope that some members-at-large will be interested in serving on these committees and will make known that fact to one of the chairs. Feel free to volunteer now. Tentatively, interim conclusions of these committees will be presented to the Board for discussion by the January or February board meeting, with final recommendations hopefully to be ready no later than the April meeting.

Plans for the Season Kick-off Luncheon at the Minnesota Valley Country Club on October 18 were presented by Sue Larson. Steve Wilkinson, the featured speaker, has always done a fine job when I have heard him and I encourage all to attend. Co-chairs are Lee Patten and Marilyn Erickson.

It is not too early to remind you to mark the date of December 7 to attend our club's holiday mixer at the Bluffs in Mendota. A good turnout makes the season seem merrier.

Special kudos are due Char Hall, our hard-working and multi-talented VP for Membership, for bringing our membership total to 1344 members as of September 1, for her efforts to encourage captains to seek out and convert freeloading players to paying members in their sessions, and for developing and suggesting strategies to ensure participation of new members in club activities. Please give her your full cooperation if she tries to enlist your help in making our newcomers feel comfortable and wanted.

Finally, I want to mention an interesting telephone call I had about 10 days ago. The caller was a newly-hired coach of a proposed new girl's high school tennis team in the St. Paul area. She mentioned the many obstacles she has had to overcome to get decent courts to play on, recruits in a school where tennis was unheard of, equipment, etc. Her most pressing present need, however, was some volunteers who might help her get the girls acquainted with the game of tennis, an understanding of the benefits to be derived from playing the game, some basic procedures and techniques, practice drills and hitting, court protocol, etc. She wondered if some members of the STPC might be interested in working with her team on a volunteer basis. I was not much help to her because such an activity did not fall naturally into any of the current organizational functions of the Club. I gave her several references to follow up.

Since then I have been wondering if the Club should establish a new function — one that might be called STPC Tennis Volunteers — to work with groups such as this high school team. I can see how such an activity could be very

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STPC Presents:

The Fall Kickoff Social Event!

Tuesday, October 18, 1994

Seniors, Tennis & Life

featured speaker:

Steve Wilkinson, tennis coach at Gustavus Adolphus, director of the Tennis and Life Camps, and nationally-ranked senior tennis player.

Many STPC members have attended Tennis and Life camps and have enthusiastically endorsed Steve. His ability to connect seniors, tennis and life through his tennis knowledge and fascinating tennis stories have made Steve a very sought-after speaker. You won't want to miss this opportunity to join your fellow STPC members and their guests for this premier Fall Social Event. Start off the indoor tennis season with fun, humor and enthusiasm!

Minnesota Valley Country Club
6300 Auto Club Road
Bloomington

Detach and mail!

Mail this form and your check for \$12.50 each per reservation (payable to Senior Tennis Players Club, Inc.) to:

**Lee Patten
313 Vincent Ave N
Minneapolis, MN 55405**

There is still time to get your reservation in!

Name(s) _____

Address _____

Phone _____ No of Reservations _____

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rewarding. If any of you are interested in helping this coach, give me a call and I will give you her name and phone number. Incidentally, if you read the *Pioneer-Press*, Don Boxmeyer devoted his whole column on September 19 or 20 to the first match of this fledgling girl's tennis team. I am just thinking out loud; let me know what you think.

Northland North Has Openings

Bob Metcalf has openings for regular 3.5 level players at Northland North, for play on Thursdays 10 a.m. and Fridays 1 p.m. Call Bob at 571-3596 if you want to sign up.

Slots Open at Nicollet

Dorothy Schlichting's session at Nicollet on Tuesdays, 1:30-3 p.m. needs two men with ratings of 2.5 to 3.0 to sign on as regular players. If you're interested, call Dorothy at 920-0965.

Wanted: Players at Williston

Henry Flesh is looking for four regular players and some substitutes to play at Williston from January through the end of April. The session is from 8-10 a.m. Thursdays, for men rated at 3.0. If you would like to sign up, call Henry at 546-7317.

Remember to Pay Up!

Reminder to substitutes: you are responsible for paying the court fee when you play—not the regular player you're substituting for!

Captain's Corner

by Chuck Slocum

Captains, please make sure you read the new STPC policy (on page 1 of this issue of the *Times*) regarding the membership requirements for participating in STPC play. Check your rosters at least once each fall and once in early summer to determine the membership status of your regular and substitute players. The only exception to the membership requirement is if a particular facility grants written permission to STPC to permit their own club members to participate in STPC reserved time. This action must specifically waive STPC responsibility for those specific club members. With this exception, if players aren't members, they can't play with STPC.

The indoor season schedule is all set, including corrections, in this issue. Special thanks to Florence and Fred Habegger, Chuck Supplee, and Sue Larson for recruiting help. We have four additional indoor locations and two groups specifically for skill levels of 2.0 or less (new players). If you wish to participate as a regular or sub, please call the listed captain.

Captains should plan to attend the Kickoff Luncheon at Minnesota Valley Country Club on October 18. Encourage your players to attend! Look for the ad in this issue to make your reservation.

It is recommended that captains collect fees in advance if required by the facility. This avoids the problems of "no shows"—you can divide the season into segments, like fall, winter, and spring, or as you see fit. Captains should seek commitments from players for the next segment about 30 days prior to end of present period, and collect fees for payment to the facility. You will then know how many vacancies you may have to fill to maintain a full complement.

Suggestions to help players get acquainted include using name tags or having kaffe klatches after you play. And incidentally, the *Times* welcomes pictures of any group happenings you organize!

*Have you made
your reservations for the
October Tennis Party?
Why not?*

Moore Lake Racquet Club
Saturday, October 15, 5-11 p.m.
(the reservation form is in the September Times)

For information, call
Marjorie at 735-3482 or
Connie at 571-3596

Thanks for the



Tennis Party

Saturday, Nov 26

Decathlon Athletic Club

7800 Cedar Ave S

Bloomington

Playing times are at 5-7 p.m. and 7-9 p.m. Light food and beverages follow play. All for only \$8.50 per player!

Send your completed registration and check by Monday, November 21, to Chuck or Mary Wenz, 1296 Charlton Street, West St. Paul, MN 55118. If you have questions, call us at 457-5347.

Directions: Exit Hwy 494 at Portland (eastbound) or 12th Ave (westbound). Go south 1 block to 79th Street, then east to the bubble. Enter the west door nearest the bubble.

Thanks for the Tennis Party at Decathlon Nov. 26, 1994



Name	Phone	Rating (1.5 up)	Time (5 or 7 p.m.)	Amount
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

check payable to STPC enclosed for \$ _____

*Don't tell everyone about this
(well, maybe just your closest friend!)...*

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March 7-14, 14-21, 21-28 1995

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Tennis Tips

by Ginny Owens

Doubles is won at the net

Net play is a crucial part of doubles play, and your success from the forecourt area after receiving or serving will help ensure your winning the doubles match. How do we get to the net?

Even if you are a baseliner, take advantage of a short ball hit to you by attacking with an approach shot and volley play. If you are a successful baseline hitter, you will sooner or later force a short return from your opponent, so take advantage of this opportunity to advance to the net.

Do not hit the short ball and retreat to the baseline. As you move in to hit the short ball, shorten your backswing. Remember, advancing up the court decreases the distance your shot has to travel, so no big backswing is necessary for power. After the approach shot is completed, move to the net into volley position. Now you and your partner are presenting a formidable, united, offensive front.

Some of the problems I observe in our senior class lessons are:

Scooping the ball. If the short ball is bouncing near our feet, we tend to stand up and try to scoop the ball. Bend those knees, shorten the backswing, and keep the head down with eyes on the ball.

Stopping after hitting the approach shot. Continue your movement to the net; don't anchor your feet after hitting the approach shot.

Running through the shot. In moving forward, sometimes we don't slow down before making the stroke. We need to be able to move in any direction to play our opponent's return. If we are still running forward, we will not have time to react and return with control.

So, take advantage of any short ball hit to you, execute your return properly, get to the net, and *come home with the trophy!*

Bill Storie

Our best wishes go to Bill Storie for his rapid recovery. Bill had a heart attack Friday, September 23, and at this writing is in Methodist Hospital.



*holiday
dinner dance*

wednesday, dec. 7

The Bluffs of Mendota

\$20 each

\$18 if reservation received by Nov. 7

The Bluffs of Mendota

(formerly

Diamond Jim's)

801 Sibley Memorial

Parkway, Lilydale

Take Hwy 35E south to

Hwy 13, then left to the

Bluffs

cocktails 5:30-6:30

dinner 6:45

music by Len Bonard's Band

reserve a table for 8 or 10

*mail your reservations and
the names of the people you
want at your table of 8 or
10 to:*

Shirlee Puelston Waltz

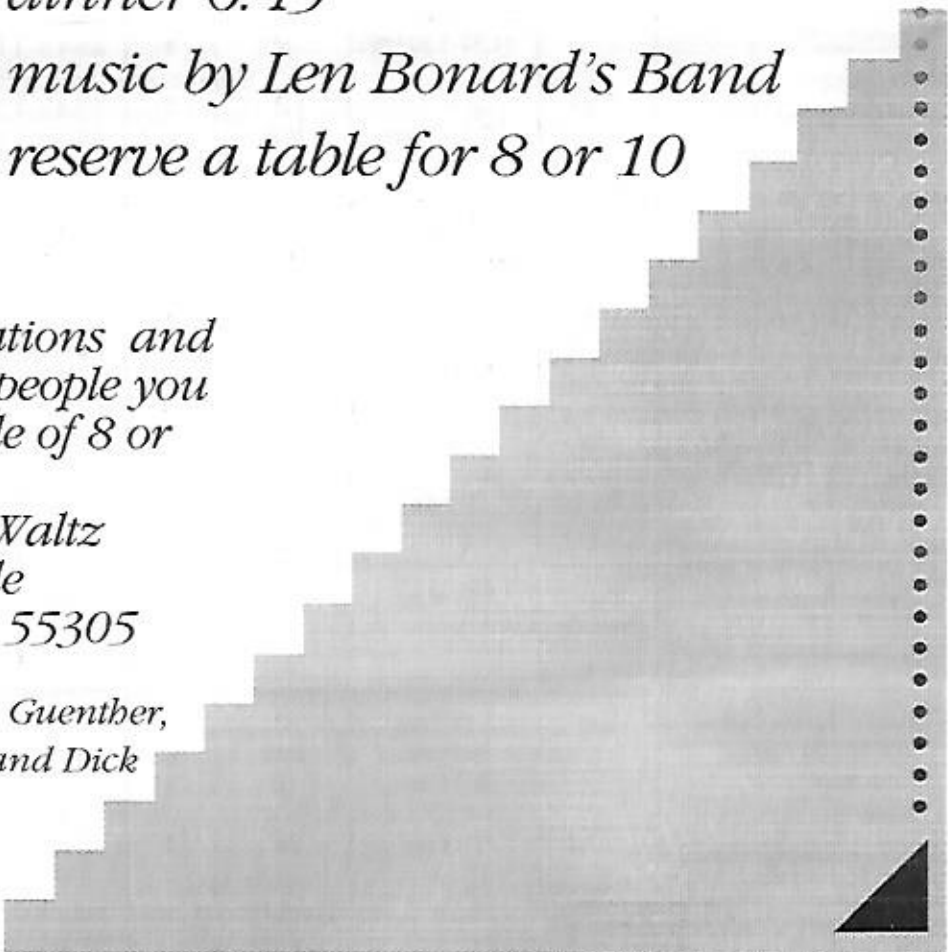
4014 Tileda Circle

Minnetonka, MN 55305

Questions? Call Dottie Guenther,

457-4682, or Shirlee and Dick

Waltz, 938-1130



1994-95 Schedule for Indoor Courts

Location	Day	Time	Men/ Women	# of Crts	Skill Rating	Captain(s)	Phone
Daytona Club 14740 Lawndale Lane Dayton 427-6110	Tues	10-noon	M/W	4	3.0	Harvey Benson Bernard Ackerson	784-6778 537-5061
	Thurs	10-noon	M/W	4	3.0	Vern Nelson	545-9028
Decathlon Athletic Club 7800 Cedar Avenue S Bloomington 854-0322	Mon	7:30-9:30 am	M	3	3.0	Ken Gjerde	827-2073
		9:30-11:30 am	W	4	2.5-3.0	Jean Robb	922-4729
		11:30-1 pm	M/W	2	2.5-3.0	Lois Lokensgard	881-1171
		1-3 pm	M	4	3.5-4.0	Pete Robinson	443-3026
		7:30-9:30 pm	M/W	3	3.5	David Zimmer	588-2554
	Tues	7:30-9:30 am	M	3	3.0-3.5	Gene Philipson	454-5355
		9:30-11:30 am	W	2	3.0	Ruth Aase	941-7116
		11-1 pm	M	2	3.0	Chuck Supplee	888-0551
		1-3 pm	M/W	3	3.0	LaVerne Wilger	929-8120
	Wed	7:30-9:30 am	M		3.5	Open	
		9:30-11:30 am	M	2	2.5-3.5	Mike Bosanko Chuck Mercer	881-0258 866-8933
		9:30-11:30 am	M	2	2.0-2.5	Vic Erdmann	922-0158
		11:30-1:30 pm	M	3	3.5-4.0	Pete Robinson	443-3026
	Thurs	7:30-9:30 am	M	3	3.0-3.5	Gene Philipson	454-5355
		10-11:30 am	M/W	2	2.5-3.0	Clara Carlson	922-8577
		11-1 pm	M	2	3.0	Harley Wishart	894-4523
		11-1 pm	M/W	1	2.5-3.0	Violet Meyer	377-0802
1-3 pm		W	3	2.5-3.0	Mary Ellen James	881-4703	
2:30-4:30 pm		M/W		2.5-3.5	Betty Fletcher	922-1685	
Fri	7:30-9:30 am	M	3	3.5	Open		
	9:30-11:30 am	M/W	2	3.0	Mary Wenz	457-5347	
	9:30-11:30 am	M	3	3.5-4.0	Pete Robinson	443-3026	
Flagship Athletic Club 755 Prairie Center Dr Eden Prairie 941-2000	Mon	7:30-9:30 am	M	3	3.0-3.5	Phil Briant	866-6029
	Thurs	7-9 am	M/W	3	3.0-3.5	Chuck Slocum	941-4059
Lilydale Racquet Club 945 Sibley Mem Hwy Lilydale, 457-4954	Mon- Wed, Fri	7:30-9 am	M/W	2	2.0-3.0	Nancy Karasov Dot Guenther	452-3172 457-4682
Nicollet Tennis Center 4005 Nicollet Avenue Minneapolis 825-6844	Mon	7:30-9 am	M	3	3.0	Cliff Northfield	884-6617
		9-11 am	M/W	6	3.0	Dave Moore	941-2512
		9-11 am	M	3	2.5-3.5	Walt Kofski	481-9123
		11-12:30 pm	M/W	2	2.5-3.0	Glen Gullikson	784-4539
		11-1 pm	M	6	3.5-4.0	Marian Versen Don Bratt	929-9643 571-6762

1994-95 Schedule for Indoor Courts (cont'd)

Location	Day	Time	Men/ Women	# of Crts	Skill Rating	Captain(s)	Phone
Nicollet Tennis Center (continued)	Tues	9-11 am	M/W	3	2.5-3.5	Fritz Christensen	571-5212
		11-1 pm	W	2	2.5-3.0	Lorraine Neitz	333-4974
		1-2:30 pm	M/W	3	2.5-3.0	Cleora Feuk	544-2991
		1:30-3 pm	M/W	3	2.5-3.0	Dorothy Schlichting	920-0965
		2:30-4 pm	M/W	3	2.5-3.0	Shirley Zumberge	922-5675
	Wed	9:30-11:30 am	M/W	6	2.5-3.5	Lee Warner	560-0384
		9:30-11:30 am	W	2	3.0-3.5	Jean Wallace	925-4133
		1-3 pm	M		3.5-4.0	Dennis Christenson Larry Wennberg	433-3583 487-7628
	Thurs	9-11 am	M/W	4	2.5-3.0	Elvin Kolstad	869-7277
		10:30-12:30 pm	M/W	4	2.5-3.0	John Connelly Mary Kaminski	771-2664 781-3271
11-1 pm		M/W	4	3.0-4.0	Jim Erler	471-9750	
Fri	7:30-9 am	M	3	3.0	Cliff Northfield	884-6617	
	8:30-10:30 am	M/W	6	2.5-3.5	Will Robbins	546-1377	
	2:30-4:30 pm	M	3	4.0	George Sample	827-5086	
Sat	12-2 pm	M/W	1	—	Dave Moore	941-2512	
Sun	2:30-4:30 pm	M/W	2	3.0-4.0	Jean Olson	483-6003	
Northland Fitness Center North 7624 Boone Avenue N Brooklyn Park 425-5880	Thur	10-12 pm	M/W	2	3.0-3.5	Bob Metcalf	571-3596
	Fri	1-3 pm	M/W	2	3.0-3.5	Bob Metcalf	571-3596
Oakdale Racquet Club 1201 Ford Road Minnetonka 546-2231	Fri	7-9 am	M/W	3	3.0-3.5	Sue Larson Lloyd Layton	929-4673 476-1298
Richfield Racquet Club 7620 Penn Avenue S Richfield 861-4528	Mon	7-9 am	M/W	3	3.0	Carl Borgfelt	866-5639
	Wed	7-9 am	M/W	3	1.0-2.0	Donald Hagen	938-1277
Southdale Racquet Club 6950 Xerxes Avenue S Edina 920-6530	Wed	7-9 am	M/W	3	1.0-2.0	Anita Stokes	729-1819
	Fri	7-9 am	M/W	3	2.5-3.0	Al Wegger	861-4082
St. Paul Indoor Tennis Club Lafayette Fwy at 7th St. St. Paul 774-2121	Mon	7-9 am	Open	3	Open	Jack Wallin	457-2266

1994-95 Schedule for Indoor Courts (cont'd)

Location	Day	Time	Men/ Women	# of Crts	Skill Rating	Captain(s)	Phone
White Bear Racquet Club 4800 White Bear Parkway White Bear Lake 426-1308	Wed	7-9 am	M/W	3	2.5-	Bill Michalko	777-9576
	Thur	7-9 am	M	2	3.0-3.5	Al Uhl	644-9810
Williston-Sagedahl Club 14509 Minnetonka Drive Minnetonka 935-8638	Mon	11-1 pm	M/W	2	3.0-3.5	Frank Locke	937-9394
		2-4 pm	M	1	3.0	Wally Threlkeld	934-6102
	Tues	7-9 am	M/W	2	3.0	Phil Fortin	473-7544
		8-9:30 am	M	1	3.0	Neil Messick	474-8574
		8-9:30 am	M	1	3.0	Henry Lofquist	476-4543
		9-10:30 am	W	2	2.3-3.0	Kit Peterjohn	474-0154
	Wed	11-1 pm	M/W	2	3.0-3.5	Frank Locke	937-9394
		1-3 pm	M/W	2	2.5-3.0	Bill Storie Dwayne Billbe	428-0052 938-5016
	Thurs	8-10 am	M/W	2	3.0	Dick Abbott	934-3746
		8-10 am	M	2	3.0	Henry Flesh	546-7317
		9-10:30 am	M/W	2	3.0	Adeline Levin	937-1709
		10-11:30 am	W	2	2.5-3.0	Vi Schaber	420-9749
	Fri	8-10 am	M	2	3.0-3.5	Bart Tsai	938-1036
		8:30-10 am	W	2	2.5	Jean Melony	474-9461
		12-2 pm	M/W	2	3.0-3.5	Frank Locke	937-9394
		1-3 pm	M/W	2	3.0-3.5	Bill Storie Mary Hoaglund	428-2052 927-6742
2-4 pm		M	2	2.5-3.5	Don Schneider	473-4823	
Sat	12-1:30 pm	W	2	2.5-3.0	Shirley Pratt	433-3583	
Wooddale Recreation Center 2122 Wooddale Drive Woodbury 735-6214	Mon	8-10 am	M/W	3	2.5-3.0	Paul Leonhart	739-3690
		10-noon	M/W	3	2.5-3.0	Gordon Strand	777-6813
		1-3 pm	W	2	2.0-2.5	JoAnne Christensen	483-6850
	Tues	8-10 am	M/W	3	2.5-3.0	Rolli Arndt	436-7622
	Wed	8-10 am	M/W	3	2.5-3.0	Bob Western	735-5761
		10-noon	M/W	3	2.5-3.0	Bob Hinz	771-4480
	Thurs	8-10 am	M/W	2	3.0	Darlene Moynagh	436-8927
	Fri	8-10 am	M/W	3	2.0-3.0	Bob Klein	699-7775
		10-noon	M/W	3	2.5-3.0	Bill Michalko	777-9576
		1-3 pm	M	2	3.0-3.5	Firman Alexander	423-6851

1994/95 Winter Schedule for New Members Lessons/Members Drills

Location	Day	Time	Instructor	Phone
Nicollet Tennis Center 4005 Nicollet Ave. Minneapolis, 825-6844 Begins 9/15/94	Thurs	8:30-10 am M/W, all ratings	Percy Hughes Ginny Owens	545-7696 546-9666
	Fri	5:30-7 pm M/W, all ratings	Ernie Greene	488-6359
Williston-Sagedahl Club 14509 Minnetonka Drive Minnetonka, 935-8638 Begins 9/13/94	Tue	5:30-7 pm M/W, all ratings	Connie Custodio	824-2569
Wooddale Recreation Center 2122 Wooddale Drive Woodbury, 735-6214 Begins 10/3/94	Mon	8-9:30 pm	Virginia Morgan	459-6059
Combination Play and Drill Sessions				
Northland Fitness Center North 7624 Boone Avenue N Brooklyn Park, 425-5880 These sessions are combination drill/play: one 20 min session doubles drills, and two 40 min. sessions doubles play.	Mon	11-1 pm M/W, 1.0-2.0	Ted Kopren	425-5880
	Tues	10:30-12:30 pm M/W, 2.5-3.5	Ted Kopren	425-5880
	Fri	9-10:30 am M/W, all ratings	Connie Custodio	824-2569



Jim Curran's Genuine Seniors Win Again

The Genuine Seniors League team captained by Jim Curran has won the league championship for the second year in a row, but not quite by the runaway margin of a year ago.

The league of six eight-man teams (four doubles pairs) plays on a home and home basis outdoors on Wednesday mornings during the summer. This year they played a 14-week, 168-set schedule. Curran's players, mostly from south Minneapolis, won 119 of their 168 sets. Besides Curran the team consists of Jim Alvizos, John Bridgeman, Henry Dorff, Mike Fleming, Con LeGeros, Jerry Ludwig, Ray Ranallo, Dave Richert, George Sample and Soterios Stavros.

Last year in a 120-set season, Curran's team won by 26 sets. This year two teams gave the champs a run for their money. In second place, 14 sets back, was a team captained by Larry Bordsen and Chuck Emme, and four sets further back in third was a team captained by Bob Eidem and Ev Trulson.

Bringing up the second division (in order) were teams captained by Firmin Alexander and John Mullaney, Dick Massmann and Al Uhl, and Ed Holzacker and Joell Anderson.

Anderson, one of the league's and STPC's outstanding doubles players, helped to demonstrate the tenacity of league members on the last Wednesday of the season. Playing with partner John Mutchler, against Kearney Frantsen and Dick Iverson, of the Alexander-Mullaney team, Anderson and Mutchler won the first set 7-6 with an 8-6 tie-breaker, only to get beaten the next two sets in two more tie-breakers 7-6, 7-6. Talk about tired out!

The Genuine Seniors, who play at a rating of about 4.0 to 4.5 at the number one doubles pairings to about 3.0 at number four, would like to expand to eight teams in 1995. If one or a group of STPC players decide over the winter they would like to try it, they can call any of the captains named above in the spring.

Roger Boyer's Christmas Drills

Roger Boyer will hold his annual Christmas Drills on Thursday, December 15, at the Nicollet Tennis Center from 8:30-10 a.m. All STPC members are welcome. Roger, the Prince representative for this region, will run the drills together with Ginny Owens, Percy Hughes and Paul Stormo. As in previous years, Roger will bring prizes.




**Michael Lynne's
TENNIS SHOP**

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