

Senior Tennis times

January 1996

NEWSLETTER OF THE SENIOR TENNIS PLAYERS CLUB, INC.

Introducing Frank, the New Ball Machine!

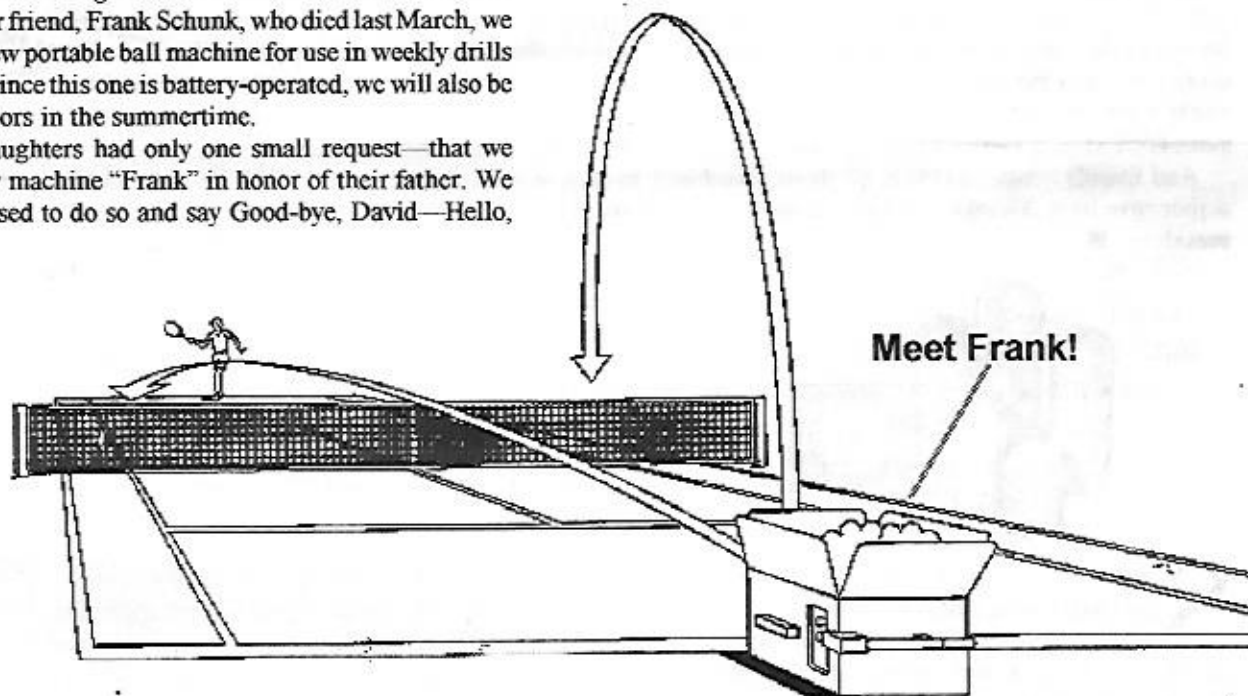
For some time now, our old ball machine, provided by Nicollet Tennis Center and nicknamed "David Wheaton," has been performing rather erratically. Sometimes the machine wouldn't feed balls at all, sometimes building pressure and blowing them by us like a Sampras serve, and other times just not working at all.

Now, thanks in large measure to contributions made in memory of our friend, Frank Schunk, who died last March, we now have a new portable ball machine for use in weekly drills and lessons. Since this one is battery-operated, we will also be using it outdoors in the summertime.

Frank's daughters had only one small request—that we name the new machine "Frank" in honor of their father. We are most pleased to do so and say Good-bye, David—Hello, Frank! ■

Addition to the STPC Pro Teaching Staff

Jason Sowder is the newest addition to the STPC pro teaching staff, announced Percy Hughes, STPC Lesson Coordinator. Jason has been the Junior Varsity tennis coach at Mahtomedi High School for three years. He will be leading drills at Nicollet on Mondays, 4:30–6 p.m. Let's all welcome Jason to STPC! ■



Reminder

If you want your name listed in the roster, you must send in your membership renewal before February 1, 1996. We need time to completely process the renewal forms and put together the roster for March publication, so get those renewals in now!

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- 01/21 .. Inner City Frostbite Clinic and Prize Hit, Nokomis Park Courts
- 01/27 .. January Jubilee Tennis Party, Normandale
- 02/01 .. Deadline for membership renewal forms

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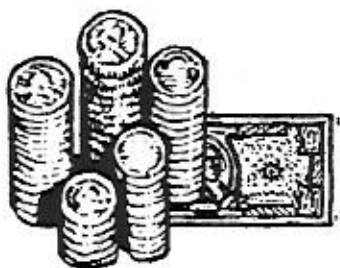
by Sue Larson
STPC President

Game! Set! Match! We are underway in 1996. STPC has started this year with nearly 1600 registered members. Over 1100 of our members are playing at least twice each week at courts throughout the metropolitan area. Captains continue to seek out those players who want only to be substitutes but end up as regular players of a group. Board members seldom miss a monthly meeting because of all the exciting new ventures. Yes, all of us feel a great sense of accomplishment for our good work in 1995 and know that 1996 will be a banner year for STPC.

Each year we learn one or two things that will help us do a better job for the next year. No other senior tennis league in the United States has a mentor program, a plan for facilities coordinators, a training program, tennis events that have a waiting list, special parties to appeal to everyone—oh yes, the Grandparent-Grandchild Tennis Round Robin, Vision Clinics, and a newsletter that continues to respond to the needs of our members with articles geared to our interests.

For me, STPC is about the three Cs. Concentration, Cooperation and Consideration. There is always in our games a certain magic which is warmth in its welcome, daring in the range of tennis challenges and open and accessible to a wide and diverse group of players. Do you remember Puck's line at the end of *A Midsummer Night's Dream*—after a night of mayhem and mostly mischief, he turns to the audience and with arms outstretched asks, "Give me your hands if we be friends."

And friends is what STPC is all about. Good luck to each of you in all of your activities in 1996. Thank you for giving me the opportunity to serve this year as your president. ■



Where Does Our Money Go?

Sixth in a series by Jim Tornoe, Treasurer

Since this is the sixth, and last, in a series of articles entitled: *Where Does Our Money Go?*, I'd like to begin by expressing my appreciation to Nancy Kaminski for the design, artwork and editing of the articles (ed. note: Thanks, Jim!) and to you for your interest and comments over the past five months. Secondly, I'd like to briefly summarize the content of the series, as follows:

Your club is in wonderful financial shape! We have significant reserves as noted in Article 4; we have a growing membership which continues to generate revenue in excess of our expenses as noted in Articles 2 and 3; and, we pay no income tax or sales tax, of any consequence, as noted in Article 5. Hopefully, prudent financial management as described in Article 1 will keep our financial future assured.

What all of this means to you and me is that we do not see

Board Candidates Sought

Your nominating committee is looking for a few candidates for the STPC Board of Directors. The number of openings for the three-year term starting next April 1 is fewer than normal, due to the reduction in size of the Board to 18 members in a recent bylaw change. However, this does not eliminate the need for names of members who are willing to get involved and contribute to the volunteer organization of the club.

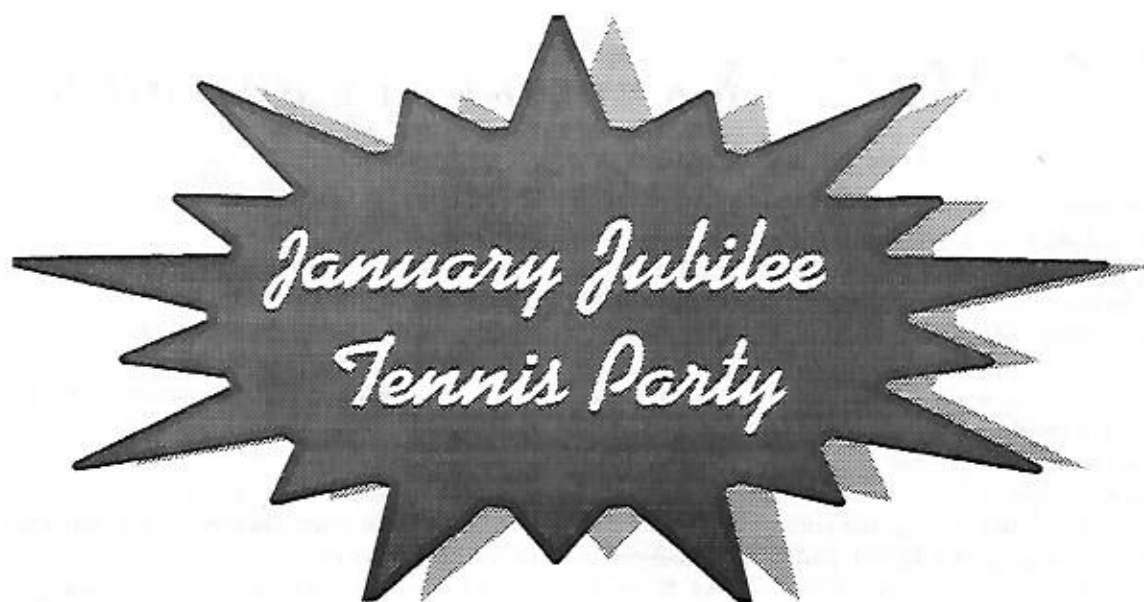
You may send in the name of someone you believe is qualified to help in the management and operation of the STPC or if interested your own name. In submitting a name, first be sure that the person named is willing to serve.

The deadline for receiving names is January 31. Letters should be sent to:

STPC Nominating Committee
c/o Rolland Arndt
2179 River Rd S
Saint Mary's Point, MN 55043-9773

any significant dues increases in the immediate future; we will be able to continue improving and expanding our lessons and drills so that as many people as need to be accommodated, will be; we can continue to enjoy monthly social events, clinics, and learning experiences. We will be able to develop our tournaments like the Grandparent-Grandchild and Annual Club Tournament and perhaps most importantly we will be able to continue play at all the area courts, at all levels of play.

So that's the story. Maybe it's been too much financial information—maybe too little. If there is a question on your mind that didn't get answered, please contact me directly. You are always welcome at monthly board meetings to express your thoughts on financial or nonfinancial matters. Thanks for your time! ■



Saturday, January 27, 1996

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Time (6 or 8) _____

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Check enclosed for \$ _____

ASK ROGER A COLUMN BY ROGER BOYER

This month's column is aimed at you men. It's about mixed doubles. I got many requests to talk about proper etiquette when playing mixed. You have asked the right person. I am an expert. In fact, I may be the world's best bad example. My wife Connie will readily verify it. Sometime you might coax one of us to tell you the whole sordid story—it involves one trophy, and as of this writing, a 23-year interim during which we have not played mixed doubles. I did what many men do—I hogged the court while giving her instructions, critique and direction. Not just between games, but between points and even during points.

I personally believe that mixed doubles was deliberately and diabolically designed to make men look bad. If you hit hard to the woman you look like a jerk—if you hit soft to her she smashes at you and you look like a wimp—a no-win situation. But for those of you blessed with more character than I, and I know there are many, here are some tips to help you survive and even appear civilized.

- Give only encouragement—make sure it is sincere and not overdone.
- Don't tell your partner what to do; tell her what you are going to do on the next shot.
- Don't apologize for mistakes, and don't expect her to apologize for them either.
- Compliment good shots or attempts—this will build confidence and team unity.
- When talking about what went wrong, always use the plural—"We did this" or "Let's try to do..."
- Make certain your expressions and body language do not reveal disappointment.

That's enough for now. We will be doing some doubles clinics yet this winter and will try to cover more ways to be a better partner, and play better doubles.

In the meantime it wouldn't hurt if several of you would intercede and try to convince Connie to give me another chance. It has now been nearly a quarter century—I'm sure I can play at least a set without getting in trouble! ■

Membership Memo by Charlotte Hall

Mentor Program

The following people have volunteered to be mentors to new members. I thank them for their willingness to make calls and help orient new members to the club's activities. Other members may also call these phone numbers listed here for help or information.

Minneapolis area:

City of Minneapolis: David Brink (288-9752); Jean Carey (825-3903); Frank Evans (922-0757); Stockton Shaw (339-8819); Barb Webb (922-0757).

West Suburbs: Grayce Aberle (938-9097); Fern and Jim Adams (545-8578); Matt Little (947-9187); Mary Ann Moran (822-5534); Hazel Nelson (935-8778); Marv Schneider (975-1895).

North Suburbs: Al Anderegg (377-1685); Jackie Rouillard (553-9895); Jim Schneider (379-8337); Bill Storie (428-2052).

Northeast Suburbs: Connie Metcalf (571-3596); Fritz Christensen (571-5212).

South Suburbs: Marilyn Erickson (835-2938); Cliff Northfield (884-6617); Chuck Supplee (888-0551).

Saint Paul area

City of Saint Paul: Kent Dickerman (292-1933); Al Uhl (644-9810).

Southwest Suburbs: Dot Guenther (457-4682); Roger Kncisl (457-5432); Mary Wenz (457-5347).

Eastern Suburbs: Carol Hall (731-5127).

North Suburbs: George Erickson (639-3985); John Stecklein (644-8304).

Northeastern Suburbs: Shirley and Dick Pratt (433-3583).

Membership Drive

The Dave Moore TV show and some excellent small newspaper articles were successful in bringing in many new members. But numerous others have joined on the recommendation of friends. Thanks to all of you for spreading the word about STPC! ■



IN MELPOMENE'S COURT

My mother was much in demand. She was the volunteer who could and would do almost anything. When I was a kid, I always expected her to be my room mother, my Brownie leader and my Sunday School teacher. While some kids hated it if their moms were involved, I loved it. I knew my mom was good and fair. She always had great ideas and fun projects. Yet I'm not sure I realized how much work it took to be as good as she was. I hope the organizations she worked for thanked her for her efforts.

Women like my mom are a rarity these days. Most women work outside the home and time to volunteer is difficult to find. That's why many seniors are pitching in. Volunteering provides a sense of satisfaction many tell us is very rewarding.

One of the most satisfying ways to make a contribution is to interact with school children. We know several women who read to kids weekly in the schools. One program called Rocking Reader pairs volunteers with kindergartners. The schools are located in North Minneapolis. Call Loletta Carter at 522-6501 if you're interested. In Saint Paul an ElderMentor program helps kids who are behind on reading skills. You can call your local school district to volunteer for these or similar programs.

Since kids today are not nearly as physically active as we were in our youth, perhaps this year is the time to introduce a neighbor or a grandchild to tennis.

At Melpomene, Seniors who volunteer play an important role in achieving our goals. Paula Lawrence, a member of

Senior Tennis for the past few years, came to Melpomene last year with the offer to help us out wherever it was needed. Paula had seen an article about us in the Star Tribune several years earlier. She put it in a file to call us when she retired. That's also when she discovered Senior Tennis.

Paula says joining Senior Tennis and volunteering at Melpomene fit her goal of doing things that make her feel good. Paula comes from an athletic family and while she says she's not a good tennis player, it's something she loves. "I appreciate the opportunity to play with people my own age. Senior Tennis has fabulous teachers and I'm having fun."

Paula also thinks volunteering is fun. "I'm at Melpomene because it's where I want to be. It's entirely different from working for money." Since coming to Melpomene 18 months ago Paula has worked on several major projects. She has scheduled scans for the participants in our osteoporosis study. While some might find this tedious, Paula says that it has been delightful to get to know the women in the study. Paula's training as a pharmacist has been extremely useful to us and the participants as she has been able to answer many questions. She also helped us with revisions on the second edition of *The Bodywise Woman*, due out next August. The chapter Paula chose was Age and the Active Woman!

The New Year is a great time to consider the joys volunteering might hold for you. Check the Sunday paper which always lists volunteer opportunities or call me for ideas at 642-1951.

by Judy Mahle Lutter



Hartley's Harvest 1995

This year, Ev and Don Hartley once again donated over two tons (5,292 pounds) of vegetables to feed the needy. They work all summer in their garden to produce the vegetables they give to food shelves.

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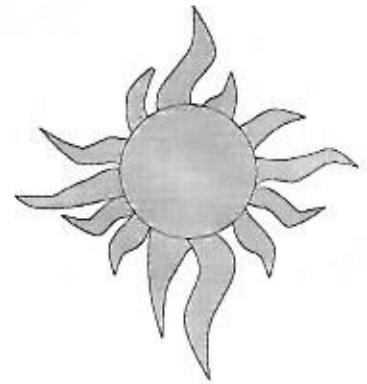
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- Entry Deadline: March 1, 1996
- Location: Palm Desert CA, two hours east of LA
- Play for three days: win or lose 2-3 times per day
- Entry Fee: \$65.00 per player
- Age requirement: 50 and over as of December 31, 1996
- Teams consist of six players plus subs

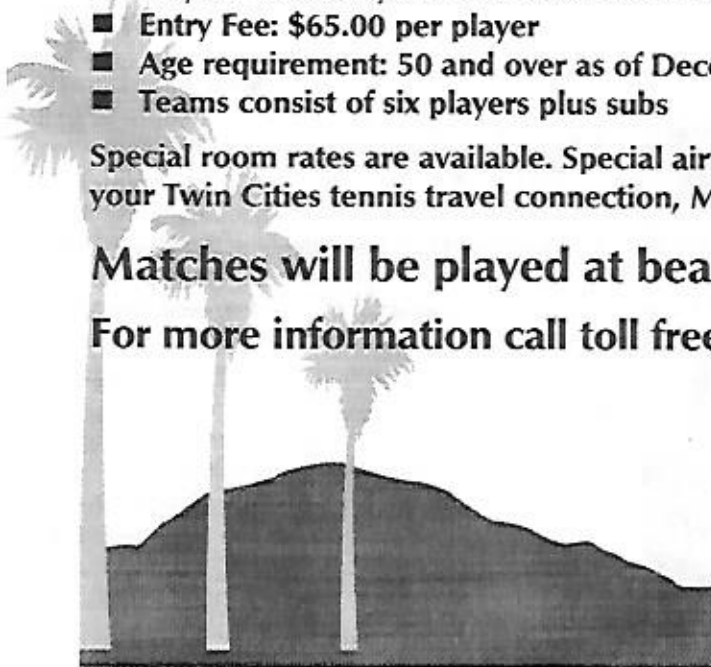
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PROFILES *by George Erickson*

Mary Kaminski

Remember "Mistress Mary, quite contrary," who was asked, "How does your garden grow?" Well, if that Mary would take a lesson from ours, she'd be Merry Mary, the uncontrary, and her garden would be full of fun-loving tennis players.

You'd never guess that Mary grew up in "Noo Joisey" because she's lost her eastern accent. Mary lived there until 1963, when she and her husband moved to the Twin Cities—she to raise a son and a daughter and to become an administrator with Land O' Lakes, while Mr. Kaminski worked at Honeywell. (Daughter Nancy eventually took over Mom's job as editor of our newsletter.)

When Mary retired in 1985 she looked around for something to keep her mind and body in shape and discovered STPC. Since then she has served on the STPC Board and captained tennis groups at Arden Hills, Medalist (now Como) and Nicollet, as well as shepherding a summer league in Saint Anthony. And since that isn't enough to keep her busy she also sings in her church choir, plays bridge, serves on the Board of ECHOS, the Land O' Lakes retirees' club and loves to travel to new places. But when I asked her where she's heading next, she said, "New Jersey." Using "new" in that context, I suppose her list also includes NEW York, NEW Hampshire and NEW Mexico.

As expected, Mary is full of praise for Senior Tennis, saying that her players and the program are great, and she wouldn't change a thing. And as for offering a suggestion to help players improve their games, "merry Mary" passed up "look at the ball," and put first things first. "Have fun," she said. "Enjoy the game!" ■

Walt Kofski

Two phrases in the English language set off alarm bells in my mind, the first being "You can't miss it," which really means "You'll never find it" and "It's easy," which should include "after twenty years of practice." Now, after wearing out three

pens taking notes on Walt Kofski, I have a new phrase on my alarm list—Walt's response to being asked for an interview: "Well, I don't think I have much to say."

Walt started life in Saint Paul, then later moved to Minneapolis, to begin a career in public accounting with Twin City TV Laboratories. After passing his CPA exams in 1950, Walt joined an accounting firm. Later he and several partners set up their own firm, which they eventually sold to a major Twin Cities firm.

Tennis attracted Walt as a teenager not just because of the exercise, but because it was cheaper than golf. Although tennis fell by the wayside during the busy family years, he picked it up again when he retired and joined Senior Tennis. Walt particularly likes the tennis lessons and drills at Nicollet Tennis Center. According to Walt, "People who are really interested in improving their game should go to the drills and pay attention."

For several years, Walt has captained a three-court group at Nicollet Tennis Center. As for improvements to Senior Tennis, Walt thinks it would help if groups could be more tightly organized along skill levels. He also shares one problem with other captains—players who get subs, but don't call the captain to say who their subs are. Without that knowledge, the captains don't know who to contact if a sub doesn't show.

Walt now lives in Roseville where he continues to enjoy photography after years of service as Treasurer of the Minneapolis/Saint Paul Alzheimer's Assoc., and as an income tax counselor for the elderly, a group that he started, and worked with for 19 years.

By the way, there's another "alarm phrase" that you should know: "I have a few slides." Be advised that Walt has *ten thousand*—so, if you ever hear those words from Walt, pack a lunch! ■

Every month, George Erickson will profile some of the captains that have worked so hard to ensure tennis is fun for everyone in STPC. Watch this space for your captain!



In Memoriam

Genevieve Nygard, 61, of Long Lake died on December 4. Our sympathies are extended to her sons Roger, Jay and Steven and their families.

Joseph T Lewis, 80, died on December 22 in an automobile accident. Joe was a long-time member of STPC, well-liked and well-known. After he married his wife Donna they lived in Garrison, Minnesota.

Captains' Corner by Chuck Slocum

Just a reminder—only current members of STPC can participate in our drills and reserved court time (indoors and outdoors) at any facility. Each captain is responsible to check their rosters periodically and adhere to this rule without exception.

The spring session will begin February 11. Each captain should check now for regular participants after that date. If you need some replacements, try to line them up as soon as possible. If individuals wish to play in a group, let your facility coordinator know about it.

Facility coordinators should mark their calendars for early March to prepare their outdoor schedules for printing in the April issue of the Senior Tennis Times. This means you need to furnish schedules, captains and so on to me by March 10, 1996.

Courtesy: Certain individuals can't seem to be on time. Accordingly, the other players are held up and some loss of playing time is the result. Be there on time, or even a few minutes early.

It is discourteous in the extreme to waltz across another court whenever you have completed play or are about to begin play. The proper way to enter or leave your court is to exit from the court directly to the exit way, and not be crossing someone else's court.

When returning balls to a server, please simply bounce the ball to him or her. Don't slam it with your racquet, kick it or throw it randomly. Pick it up and quickly bounce it directly to the server. Reduce ball chasing to a minimum and keep the game flowing. Also, some players (perhaps with good physical reasons?) move so slowly about the court, particularly between points, that the other players almost develop rigor mortis while waiting. Don't be such a slowpoke unless you really have a physical reason for it.

Kaffee klatches and visiting after play are recommended. It helps to get acquainted and lead to greater enjoyment of the games.

Planning for the Second Annual Captains' Dinner is getting underway. If you have any suggestions, call me at 941-4059. ■

Inner City Frostbite Clinic and Prize Hit

Roger Boyer and other tennis pros will conduct this outdoor (yes, that's right! Outdoors!) clinic on Sunday, January 21 at Nokomis Park Courts, from 2-3 p.m. The cost is \$10, tax-deductible. The entire fee goes to Inner City Tennis—every \$10 buys a junior racquet.

Every ticket bought entitles the donor to a numbered ball. A celebrity will hit the balls for tickets. If your number hits the ticket, you win! ■

Open Courts at Decathlon

Decathlon Club has open courts available in January and February. Any players interested in playing on these courts call Chuck Supplee at 888-0551 or Jody Jenson at 854-0322. ■

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 afternoon
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7. I prefer to play on:
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8. How many times a week are you playing a week?
 1 2 3 4 5
9. Months I'm not available for tennis (list) _____
10. Clubs most convenient for me (list) _____
11. I prefer being a regular player substitute player
12. I prefer playing in a: 2-hr session 1½-hr session
13. I am already part of an STPC tennis group yes no
14. I prefer to be a social member only and not play tennis: yes no
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Describe (optional) _____
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1995-96 Indoor Court Schedule

Day	Time	Men/ Women	No. of courts	Skill Rating	Captain(s)	Phone
Daytona Club—facility coordinator: Harvey Benson, 784-6778 14740 Lawndale Lane, Dayton						
Note: courts are available here for additional groups. Call the club directly for information.						
Tues	10-noon	M/W	4	2.0-3.0	Harvey Benson (3.0) Bernard Ackerson (2.5)	784-6778 537-5061
Thurs	10-noon	M/W	4	2.0-3.0	Vern Nelson (3.0)	545-9028
Decathlon Athletic Club—facility coordinator: Chuck Supplee, 888-0551 7800 Cedar Ave S, Bloomington						
Mon	7:30-9:30 am	M	4	3.0	Ken Gjerde (4.0)	827-2073
	9:30-11:30 am	W	3	2.5-3.0	Peg Feilzer (3.0) Lorraine McDaniel (3.0)	881-9485 869-7392
	11:30-1 pm	M/W	2	2.5-3.0	need captain	
	1-3 pm	M	3	3.5-4.0	Pete Robinson (3.0)	443-3026
	7:30-9:30 pm	M/W	3	3.5	David Zimmer (3.5)	588-2554
Tues	9:30-11:30 am	W	2	3.0	Genevieve Gjerde (3.0)	827-2073
	10-noon	M	2	3.0	Chuck Supplee (3.0)	888-0551
	1-3 pm	M/W	2	3.0	Willie Prawdzik (1.0)	869-1989
Wed	7:30-9:30 am	open	open	open	Need 12 players & 1 captain	
	9:30-11:30 am	M	2	2.5-3.5	Mike Bosanko (3.0) Chuck Mercer (3.0)	881-0258 866-8933
	12-2 pm	M	3	3.5-4.0	Pete Robinson (3.0)	443-3026
Thurs	7:30-9:30 am	M	3	3.0-3.5	Dennis Fleming (3.5)	926-0587
	10-11:30 am	M/W	2	2.5-3.0	Clara Carlson (2.5)	922-8577
	10:30-12:30 pm	W	2	2.5-3.0	Mary Ellen James (3.0)	881-4703
	12-2 pm	M	2	3.0	Harley Wishart (3.0)	894-4523
	2:30-4 pm	open	open	open	Need 12 players & 1 captain	
Fri	7:30-9:30 am	M	3	3.5	Need 12 players & 1 captain	
	8:30-10:30 am	M	3	3.5-4.0	Roger Johansen (3.5) James Schneider (3.0)	831-5507 379-8337
	9:30-11:30 am	M/W	3	3.0-3.5	Mary Wenz (3.0)	457-5347
	10:30-12:30 pm	M/W	3	2.5-3.5	Betty Fletcher (2.5)	922-1685
Flagship Athletic Club—facility coordinator: Chuck Slocum, 941-4059 755 Prairie Center Drive, Eden Prairie						
Mon	7:30-9:30 am	M	3	3.0-3.5	Phil Briant (3.0)	866-6029
Tues	7-9 am	M/W	2	3.0-4.0	Elda Cahill (3.5)	820-0254
Wed	7-9 am	M/W	3	3.0-4.0	Chuck Slocum (3.5)	941-4059
Thurs	7-9 am	M/W	2	3.0	Ruth Aase (3.0) Bunnie Johnson (3.5)	941-7116 884-1732
Lilydale Racquet Club—facility coordinator: Dot Guenther, 457-4682 945 Sibley Memorial Highway, Lilydale						
Mon	7:30-9 am	M/W	2	2.0	Nancy Karasov (2.0) Dot Guenther (2.5)	452-3172 457-4682
Tues	7:30-9 am	M/W	3	2.5-3.0	Nancy Karasov (2.0) Dot Guenther (2.5)	452-3172 457-4682
Wed	7:30-9 am	M/W	2	2.5-3.0	Nancy Karasov (2.0) Dot Guenther (2.5)	452-3172 457-4682
Thurs	7:30-9 am	M/W	2	2.5-3.0	Nancy Karasov (2.0) Dot Guenther (2.5)	452-3172 457-4682
Fri	7:30-9 am	M/W	2	3.0-3.5	Nancy Karasov (2.0) Dot Guenther (2.5)	452-3172 457-4682

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Nicollet Tennis Center—facility coordinator: Mary Kaminski, 781-3271 4005 Nicollet Ave, Minneapolis						
Mon	7:30-9 am	M	3	3.0	Cliff Northfield (3.0)	884-6617
	9-11 am	MW	6	2.5-3.0	Dave Moore (2.0)	941-2512
	9-11 am	M	3	2.5-3.5	Walt Kofski (3.0)	481-9123
	11-1 am	M	6	3.5-4.0	Glen Gullikson (4.0) Don Bratt (4.0)	784-4539 571-6762
	11-12:30 pm	MW	2	2.5	Marion Versen (2.5)	929-9643
Tues	9-11 am	MW	3	3.0-3.5	Fritz Christensen (3.0)	571-5212
	11-1 pm	W	3	2.5-3.0	Lorraine Nietz (3.0)	333-4974
	1-2:30 pm	MW	3	2.5-3.0	Cleora Feuk (2.5) Harlan Feuk (2.5)	544-2991 544-2991
	1:30-3 pm	MW	3	2.5-3.5	Dorothy Schlichting (3.0)	920-0965
	2:30-4 pm	MW	3	2.5-3.0	Shirley Zumberge (3.0)	922-5675
Wed	9:30-11:30 am	MW	3	3.0-4.0	Lee Warner (3.0)	560-0384
	9:30-11:30 am	MW	3	2.5-3.5	Al Mohr (3.0) Audrey Petri (3.0)	722-8339 545-7331
	9:30-11:30 am	W	3	3.5-4.0	Ruth Van Hilst	825-0779
	11:30-1:30 pm	MW	2	4.0	George Erickson (4.0)	639-3985
	1-3 pm	M	2	3.5-4.0	Orville Dahlbeck (4.0) Everett Trulson (3.5)	488-7386 484-4477
Thurs	9-11 am	MW	4	2.5-3.0	Elvin Kolstad (2.5)	869-7277
	10:30-12:30 pm	MW	3	2.5-3.0	John Connelly (3.0) Mary Kaminski (2.5)	771-2664 781-3271
	11-1 pm	MW	4	3.0-3.5	Jim Erier (3.5)	471-9750
Fri	7:30-9 am	M	3	3.0	Cliff Northfield (3.0)	884-6617
	8:30-10:30 am	MW	6	2.5-3.5	Will Robbins (3.0)	546-1377
	2:30-4:30 pm	MW	3	4.0	George Sample (4.0)	827-5086
Sun	2-3:30 pm	MW	2	3.0-3.5	Marilyn Erickson (3.0)	835-2938
Oakdale Racquet Club—facility coordinator: Sue Larson, 929-4673 1201 Ford Rd, Minnetonka						
Mon	7-9 am	open	2	2.0-3.0	John Bjoin (2.5)	942-0008
Tues	7-9 am	open	2	2.5-3.0	John Bjoin (2.5)	942-0008
Fri	7-9 am	MW	3	3.0-3.5	Sue Larson (3.5) Lloyd Layton (3.5)	929-4673 476-1298
Southdale Racquet Club—facility coordinator: Nancy Lindeman, 823-0304 6950 Xerxes Ave S, Edina						
Mon	7-9 am	MW	3	2.0-2.5	Nancy Lindeman (2.0)	823-0304
Tues	7-9 am	MW	2	2.5-3.0	Carl Borgfelt (2.5)	86-5639
Wed	7-9 am	MW	3	2.0-2.5	June Ekers (2.5)	831-1702
Thurs	7-9 am	MW	2	1.5-3.0	Polly Thiel (1.5)	854-5796
Fri	7-9 am	MW	2	2.5-3.0	John Herbst (3.0)	881-4246
St. Paul Indoor Tennis Club—facility coordinator: Jack Wallin, 457-2266 Lafayette Freeway at 7th St, Saint Paul If you wish to play, call the club directly at 774-2121.						
Mon	7-9 am	MW	3	2.5-3.0	Jack Wallin (2.5)	457-2266
Fri	7-9 am	MW	2	2.5-3.0	Jack Wallin (2.5)	457-2266
White Bear Racquet Club—facility coordinator: Bill Michalko, 777-9576 4800 White Bear Parkway, White Bear Lake						
Wed	7-9 am	MW	3	3.0-3.5	Bill Michalko (3.0)	777-9576

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Thurs	7-9 am	M	3	3.0-3.5	Al Uhl (3.0)	644-9810
Williston Fitness & Sports—facility coordinator: Bill Storie, 428-2052 14509 Minnetonka Drive, Minnetonka 935-8638						
Mon	11-1 pm	MW	2	3.0-3.5	Frank Locke (3.0) Harold Krantz (3.5)	937-9394 935-6656
	2-4 pm	M	1	3.0	Wally Threlkeld (2.5)	934-6102
Tues	7-9 am	MW	2	3.0	Phil Fortin (3.0)	473-7544
	8-9:30 am	M	1	3.0	Hank Lofquist (3.0)	476-4543
	8-9:30 am	M	1	3.0	George Frost (2.5)	866-8552
	9-10:30 am	W	1 or more	2.5-3.0	Kit Peterjohn (2.5)	474-0154
	12-2 pm	MW	2	3.0	Henry Flesh (3.0)	546-7317
Wed	11-1 pm	MW	2	2.5-3.0	Frank Locke (3.0) Harold Krantz (3.5)	937-9394 935-6656
	1-3 pm	MW	2	2.5-3.0	Bill Storie (3.0) Dwayne Billbe (3.0)	428-2052 938-5016
Thurs	8-10 am	MW	2	3.0	Ed Fischer	550-9770
	8-10 am	M	2	3.0	Henry Flesh (3.0)	546-7317
	9-10:30 am	MW	1	3.0	Adeline Levin (3.0)	937-1709
	10-11:30 am	W	2	2.5-3.0	Vi Schaber (3.5)	420-9749
Fri	8-10 am	M	2	3.0-3.5	Bart Tsai (3.0)	938-1036
	8:30-10 am	W	2	2.5-3.0	Angie Bjorgan (2.5) Betsy Furber (2.5)	545-1319 545-1319
	12-2 pm	MW	2	3.0-3.5	Frank Locke (3.0) Harold Krantz (3.5)	937-9394 935-6656
	1-3 pm	MW	2	3.0-3.5	Bill Storie (3.0)	428-2052
Sat	12-1:30 pm	W	2	2.5-3.0	Shirley Pratt (2.5)	433-3583
	2-4 pm	M	2	2.5-3.5	Don Schneider (3.0)	473-4823
	4-6 pm	MW	3	3.0	Rosalyn Bernstein (3.0)	544-0511
Wooddale Recreation Center—facility coordinator: Rolly Arndt, 436-7622 2122 Wooddale Drive, Woodbury						
Mon	8-10 am	MW	3	2.5-3.0	Jack Campion (2.5) Mary Campion (2.5)	776-4198 776-4198
	10-12 pm	MW	3	2.5-3.0	Gordon Strand (3.0)	777-6813
	1-3 pm	W	3	2.5-3.0	JoAnne Christensen (3.0)	483-6850
Tues	8-10 am	MW	2	3.0	Rolly Arndt (3.0)	436-7622
	2-4 pm	open	3	open	Need 12 players & 1 captain	
Wed	8-10 am	MW	3	2.5-3.0	Bob Western (2.5)	735-5761
	10-12 pm	MW	3	2.5-3.0	Bob Hinz (3.0)	771-4480
	1-2:30 pm	W	2	2.0-2.5	Marge Otto (2.0)	739-9773
Thurs	8-10 am	MW	2	3.0	Darlene Moynagh (3.0)	436-8927
	2-4 pm	open	3	open	Need 12 players & 1 captain	
Fri	8-10 am	MW	3	2.0-3.0	Marianne Davidson (2.5)	731-8760
	10-12 pm	MW	3	2.5-3.0	Bill Michalko (3.0)	777-9576
	1-3 pm	M	2	3.0-3.5	Firman Alexander (3.0)	423-6851
	1-3 pm	MW	2	2.5-3.0	Jacqui Leonhart (2.0)	739-3690

1995/96 Winter Schedule for New Members Lessons/Members Drills

Location	Day	Time	Court Fee	Instructor	Phone
Nicollet Tennis Center 4005 Nicollet Ave. Minneapolis, 825-6844	Mon	4:30-6 pm M/W, all ratings	\$2.00	Ernie Greene Jason Sowder	488-6359 966-5133
	Thurs	8:30-10 am M/W, all ratings	\$2.00	Percy Hughes Paul Stormo	545-7696 944-6286
Williston Fitness & Sports 14509 Minnetonka Drive Minnetonka, 935-8638	Tue	5:30-7 pm M/W, all ratings	\$2.00	Connie Custodio	824-2569
Wooddale Recreation Center 2122 Wooddale Drive Woodbury, 735-6214	Mon	8-9:30 pm	\$2.00	Lois Nordman	735-6214
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Decathlon Athletic Club 7800 Cedar Ave S, Bloomington	Tues	10-11 am M/W, 3.5-4.0	\$5.00	Brian Christensen	854-0322
	Wed	9-10 am M/W, 3.0			

There is a \$2/session court rental fee for indoor lessons and drills. **New members** are welcome to take 12 (or more) lessons. After 12 lessons you will receive a free can of balls, a certificate of accomplishment and congratulations from the STPC president. *You must notify the instructor when you have completed 12 lessons!* The lessons are offered free, as part of your membership.

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