
SENIOR ♦ TENNIS ♦ TIMES

NEWSLETTER OF THE SENIOR TENNIS PLAYERS CLUB, INC.

JUNE/JULY 2002

2002 Jack Dow Tournament Highlights

The 2002 Jack Dow Tourney which was held May 6-9 at Nicollet Tennis Center drew 170 entries. The Dow Volunteer Committee under the leadership of Bob Tischbein did an outstanding job of making everything run smoothly. Dedicated committee members and volunteers included Ron Liddiard, Roz Bernstein, Bill Connell, Margaret Franson, Bernice Hanson, Lois Hoffman, Percy Hughes, Polly Maki, Jim McCue, Helen Stecklein, and Ronnae Wagner.

Winners in each category are as follows:

Women's Doubles

- 2.0 Gold - Margret Prawdzik and Svetlana Shavzin
- 2.0 Silver - Margaret Franson and Carol Sonnicksen

- 2.5 Gold - Virginia Morse and Rita Welch

- 3.0 Gold - Ann Morton and Dorothy Werner
- 3.0 Silver - Lois Bunday and Norma Crockett

- 3.5 Gold - Ruby Rott and Patricia Dahlman
- 3.5 Silver - Ann Barten and Eva Keuls

- 4.0 Gold - Jean Murdock and Jo Rolling
- 4.0 Silver - Robin Benson and Marilyn McNamee

Men's Doubles

- 2.5 Gold - Tom Fischer and Rey Navalta
- 2.5 Silver - Gunter Nitz and George Sable

- 3.0 Gold - Vince Barton and Gary Schulz
- 3.0 Silver - Bill Adam and Matthew Little

- 3.5 Gold - Bob Lundegaard and Pat O'Halloran
- 3.5 Silver - Larry Bordsen and Chuck Emme

- 4.0 Gold - Roger Montgomery and Reier
- 4.0 Silver - Dan Morton and Ron Samuelson

Mixed Doubles

- 2.5 Gold - James Taylor and Kathy Taylor
- 2.5 Silver - Tom Fischer and Joyce Schadel

- 3.0 Gold - Vince Barton and Ronnae Wagner
- 3.0 Silver - Bill Adam and Deni Sahr

- 3.5 Gold - Ken Landro and Jean Murdock
- 3.5 Silver - Wes Peterson and Ruth Peterson

- 4.0 Gold - Larry Bordsen and Jo Rolling
- 4.0 Silver - Pat Eckelberry and Rita Lusky

Upcoming Events

- June 20, 2002 Captains' Dinner, Town and Country Club
 - July 13, 2002 Grandparent/Grandchild Tournament
 - September 28, 2002 Anniversary Celebration and Annual Meeting, The Metropolitan, Minneapolis
- Have Fun, Play Often and Play safe.**

This is a Combined Issue

Please note that this issue of the Times is for June and July. Your next issue will arrive in your mailbox in August.

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Ad rates are:

full page (7 x 9 in) \$100
half page (7 x 4.5 in) \$75
quarter page (3.5 x 4.5 in) \$50
eighth page (3.5 x 2.5 in) \$30
classified ad (members only, max. 4 lines) \$15
2-line ad (members only, 50 spaces/line) free

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Submit articles to the editor by the 20th of the month for publication the following month. All material submitted for publication is subject to editing.

Membership Information changes

Can be made by writing to: Senior Tennis Times
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STPC Membership

Membership Total: 1,679

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Indoor Club Facilitators

Please send in your indoor court times for the August issue. The deadline is July 15. Send them in writing to Rod Macpherson, 600 Third Ave., Excelsior, MN 55331.

Attention 30.3.5 Players

Looking for 3.0 to 3.5 tennis level men and women Senior Tennis players who want to play one hour tennis through the winter sessions. Place and time to be announced.

Contact: Kent Dickerman
for more information

mission statement

The primary purpose of the STPC is to provide tennis playing opportunities to people 50 and older for their mental, physical, and social well-being.

Newsletter Submissions

In order for the newsletter to be published on time and without confusion some new guidelines are listed below.

- Please submit all items in **digital format by email or disk** only. No phone calls, or hand written or typed information sent by mail will be accepted.
Ads may be sent by e-mail or on a disk or zip drive and mailed. Camera ready ad slicks can also be mailed. A charge will be assessed to scan and convert these ads to digital files.
DO NOT USE PUBLISHER, WORDPERFECT, or POWERPOINT because these programs do not convert well.
All art, and photos must be saved as tif, eps, or jpeg only and at 300dpi. If you are not sure how to do this please call and I will walk you through this.
Send your submissions to:

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If you have an idea you would like to see written up, or you would like to write an article, call Mary at 612-781-3271. We need your help and input from writers and photographers.

Reed-Sweatt Family Tennis Center Dedication and Tribute to Lach Reed

A new chapter in the history of Nicollet Tennis Center was written on May 19, 2002. The newly renovated facility was renamed and dedicated The Reed-Sweatt Family Tennis Center, in honor of InnerCity Tennis founder Lach Reed and the years of support of the Sweatt family. As a gathering of close friends and members of the Reed and Sweatt clans looked on, Dr. Peter Benson, President of ICT, honored Lach Reed and the Sweatt family by unveiling a sign near the entrance of the facility which bears its new name and logo.

Afterwards, family and friends gathered at the Lafayette Club on Lake Minnetonka for a dinner and presentation celebrating the life and career of InnerCity Tennis founder Lach Reed. Over 150 guests were in attendance at the event hosted by Wheelock Whitney, local business mogul, philanthropist and longtime friend of Lach and ICT.

Attendees listened to speeches by Howard Reed, Lach's brother, retired professor of Middle Eastern history and decorated naval veteran; Hal Scott, friend and Yale classmate; Hal Haskell, friend and co-administrator in the Eisenhower administration; George Pillsbury, neighbor, former state senator and political activist; Gerrit Keator, retired president of International College in Beirut, founded by Lach's grandfather; Lach Reed II, son and former educator at International College in Beirut and St. Alban's in Washington DC; Ian Reed, son and owner of Zen Zen Garden Home Company in California; and Roger Boyer, Executive Director of InnerCity Tennis who has worked closely with Lach for the last nine years.

Percy's Tennis Rhythms

By Percy Hughes

Random thoughts about current goings-on and the club's history:

Once again, our annual Jack Dow Tournament was a success, with hardly any complaints. Our staff was excellent as always. The tournament staff is mentioned by the tournament director in another story in this issue. Even "foot faults" were few and far between! Once again, our mentor, Roger Boyer, and his wonderful staff were there to take care of any equipment needs for the tournament. Helen Stecklein is really to be commended. She didn't have wonderful Ernie Greene to help with the most important part of a tournament, setting up the daily matches, but she did it!!! Helen, you're wonderful — that's always a difficult task.

I'm so proud of our seniors who participate in so many activities. The Nick Bollettieri Clinic was well-attended by both kids and seniors, and Nick was really impressed.

Two-Liner Want Ads

These free two-liner want ads are available to all STPC members. If you would like to place a free ad, e-mail (bjgraph@bjgraphics.com) or write (no phone calls taken) the editor, Betty Johnson. **Your ad can only be about 100 spaces long, so be brief.**

Ballroom Dancing. Refreshments, every Thurs. 1-3:30 Dick Macko's band. Lennox Comm. Ctrr. 6715 Mtka Blvd. Questions? 763-428-2052.

Interested in Head raquets and clothing? Consult Percy Hughes at 952-831-2872 for what's best for you.

CHICAGO CONDO: Rent by night or week. Best location in city. Lake view. 24hour door man. Newly decorated. 612-920-2222 Carol Curry

Palace Resort in Cancun, or any resort in RCI, any time, anywhere. 952-431-3361, bahn003@tc.umn.edu, or www.wjbahn.com.

Violin \$2,000 for sale. Also viola \$1,000. Florence 612-825-5824

SCOTTSDALE/CAREFREE AZ. Furnished townhouse to rent with pool & free tennis. Others to buy. For info. please call 651-631-1044

Ski Aspen Jan. 16-21, 2003. Incl. transp.; B&B lodge; apres ski treats hot tub; pool; 3 parties; \$575-\$675. Jan Hoffman 651-771-8553

Home Handiman Indoor-outdoor repairs & maintenance. Reliable, affordable, references. Bob Thompson, 952-929-0844, rthompson111@earthlink.net

We're playing tennis outdoors now, and lessons are free. Check the lesson times and places — they're listed elsewhere in this issue.

I mentioned the past. Just a few names that were real influences early in the club's history come to mind: Sue Larson, Mandy Johnson, Virginia Morgan, June Mohr, and Mary Kaminski. They were really there for Jack Dow. Don't get me wrong, guys, those are names that came quickly to me, maybe because I had to be in contact with them often.

I'll be giving tennis tips in upcoming issues. Please be patient with me. Remember, no foot faults, please. Ol' Perc.!

What's Going On!

Fort Snelling Tennis and Learning Center Opens

The Fort Snelling Tennis and Learning Center, a public tennis facility located near the junction of Highway 55 and Highway 62, is now open for play. The 17,000 square foot, \$5 million center houses three state-of-the-art classrooms, a computer lab, banquet facilities, and seven outdoor tennis courts that will be covered September through April to allow for indoor play.

The Center will have its Grand Opening celebration the weekend of June 14-15. Friday, June 14, the public is invited to tour the new facility, beginning at 6 pm.

Starting in September, court time will be available to STPC from 9 am to 3 pm, 7-10 pm, Monday through Friday. If you want to captain a team, call the facility coordinator, Ron Liddiard, at (952) 829-7530.

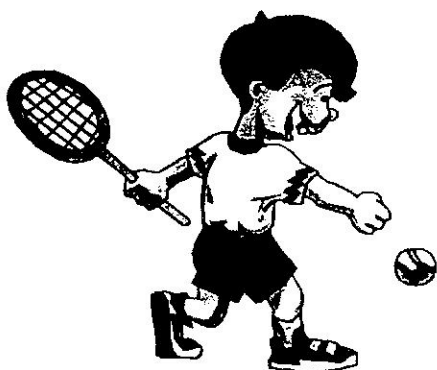
League for 60 and Over

Want to play team tennis with players your own age? We have the league for you! Join the Super Senior League Tennis for a fun summer.

Super Seniors mixed doubles play at Nicollet Tennis Center on Thursday mornings, starting towards the end of June. Levels are 3.0 and below, and 3.5 and above. Captains are needed. There are also Super Seniors Mens' and Women's leagues at the 3.0, 3.5, and 4.0 levels. This league will also start toward the end of June in the evenings. Some matches may be outdoors at Augsburg Park in Richfield.

If you're interested, call Liz Kamish at (952)887-5001, ext. 17.

Eighth Annual Grandparent/Grandchild Round Robin



Saturday, July 13, 2002
8 a.m. - noon
Valley View Courts
90th and Portland, Bloomington

Here's an opportunity for you to play tennis with your grandchild, share time together, and most of all, have fun.

Only \$3 per person.
Deadline for reservations is July 10.
Send your reservation form and check, made out to STPC, to:

Jean Murdock
Box 24302
Edina, MN 55424

For more information call
612-825-5826

Send this reservation form with your check for \$3 per person, made out to STPC, to:
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Name _____
Phone No. _____
Grandchild's Name _____
Grandchild's Age _____

Revised Summer 2002 Outdoor Court Schedule - Senior Tennis Players Club

Players: Check With Captains For Start Dates

St Paul Area

Location	Day	Time	Cts	Skill	Captain(s)	Phone
Como Park Horton Avenue West Of Lexington	Monday	8:00-11:00 AM			John Connelly	651-771-2664
	Wednesday	8:00-11:00 AM			John Connelly	651-771-2664
Location	Day	Time	Cts	Skill	Captain(s)	Phone
Iron Dale High School Long Lake Road South Of Cty Rd H. New Brighton	Saturday	8:00-10:00 AM		3.00	Jim Vint	651-636-0071
Location	Day	Time	Cts	Skill	Captain(s)	Phone
Marthaler Park 1625 Humboldt Ave Across From City Hall. West St. Paul	Tuesday	9:00-11:00 AM			Jim Mattaini	651-455-5898
	Thursday	9:00-11:00 AM			Jim Mattaini	651-455-5898
	Saturday	9:00-11:00 AM			Jim Mattaini	651-455-5898
Location	Day	Time	Cts	Skill	Captain(s)	Phone
North Valley Park Off 70th 1 Mile East Of Lafayette Freeway. Inver Grove Heights	Monday	9:00-11:00 AM		2.5-3.5	Jan Machacek	651-455-5236
	Wednesday	9:00-11:00 AM		2.5-3.5	Jan Machacek	651-455-5236
	Friday	9:00-11:00 AM		2.5-3.5	Jan Machacek	651-455-5236
Location	Day	Time	Cts	Skill	Captain(s)	Phone
Oakdale Courts 45th And Granada (1 Mile East Of 120 On 45th) Oakdale	Tuesday	8:00-10:00 AM			Betty Livingston	651-455-5236
	Thursday	8:00-10:00 AM			Betty Livingston	651-455-5236
	Saturday	8:00-10:00 AM			Betty Livingston	651-455-5236
Location	Day	Time	Cts	Skill	Captain(s)	Phone
Roseville Middle School Cty Rd B2, 2 Blks East Of Rice Roseville	Monday	8:00-10:00 AM		3:0-3:5 Men	Dan Nedoroski	651-645-2368
	Wednesday	8:00-10:00 AM		3:0-3:5 Men	Dan Nedoroski	651-645-2368
	Friday	8:00-10:00 AM		3:0-3:5 Men	Dan Nedoroski	651-645-2368
Location	Day	Time	Cts	Skill	Captain(s)	Phone
Shawnee Park 6515 Scheel Dr (Upper Afton Rd To Martha N To Scheel) Woodbury	Monday	9:00-11:00 AM			Captains(S)	
	Wednesday	9:00-11:00 AM			and Players Needed	
	Friday	9:00-11:00 AM				
Location	Day	Time	Cts	Skill	Captain(s)	Phone
Skillman Courts East Of Cleveland On Skillman	Tuesday	8:00-10:00 AM			Pat Games	651-646-4776
	Thursday	8:00-10:00 AM			Esther Shivers	651-646-4776

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3m Tartan Park 20th Street N Between Cty Rds 17 And 15. Lake Elmo Enter Through Picnic And Sports Area.	Monday	8:00-10:00 AM		3.0	Bob Cripe	651-459-3682
	Tuesday 5/1 - 6/9			3.5	Muriel Hackney	651-436-1972
	Wednesday	7:00 - 9:00 AM		3.0	Walt Lewis	
	Thursday 6/12-8/11	8:00-10:00 AM		3.0-3.5	Darlene Moynaugh	651-436-8927
	Friday					
White Bear Lake High School	Wednesday	6:00-8:00PM			Shirley Kresko	651-770-1272
Cty Rd E And Mcknight Rd					Gordon Manaige	651-429-4046
White Bear Lake						

Players: Check With Captains For Start Dates

Minneapolis Area

Location	Day	Time	Cts	Skill	Captain(s)	Phone
Aquila Park Minnetonka Blvd & Aquila Ave St. Louis Park	Monday	8:00-12) Noon			Captain(s)	
	Thru				and Players Needed	
	Friday					
Location	Day	Time	Cts	Skill	Captain(s)	Phone
Augsburg Park 72nd And Blaisdell Richfield	Monday	7:30-9:30 AM			Lorraine Mcdaniel	612-869-7392
	Thru				Kathy Sewell	952-835-4005
	Friday					
Location	Day	Time	Cts	Skill	Captain(s)	Phone
Bass Lake Beltline Blvd & 36th Street St Louis Park Certain Dates Not Available	Monday	9:00-11:00 AM			Joyce Anderson	763-588-1887
	Tuesday	9:00-11:00 AM			Mel/milly Warnert	763-588-1887
	Wednesday	9:00-11:00 AM			Barb Webb	612-922-0757
	Friday	9:00-11:00 AM			Laverne Wilger	952-929-8120
Location	Day	Time	Cts	Skill	Captain(s)	Phone
Brooklyn Center High School 65th And Humboldt Ave N	Tuesday	8:30-10:30 AM			Captain(s)	
	Thursday				And Players Needed	
Brooklyn Center						
Location	Day	Time	Cts	Skill	Captain(s)	Phone
Brookview Park Hwy 55 & Winnetka Ave Golden Valley	Saturday	8:00-10:00 AM			Joyce Hautman	952-545-4051
					Aldean Cummings	952-474-1731
Location	Day	Time	Cts	Skill	Captain(s)	Phone
Burnsville	Tuesday only	9:00-11:00 AM		2.5-3.5 women	Lollie Bjornaraa	952-890-2098
Red Oak Park, 12100 River Hills Dr.						

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Carpenter Park Minnetonka Blvd & Raleigh Ave St Louis Park	Monday	8:00-10:00 AM			Captain(s)	
	Thru	8:00-10:00 AM			and Players Needed	
	Friday	8:00-10:00 AM				
Location	Day	Time	Cts	Skill	Captain(s)	Phone
Chanhassen Elem School Laredo Dr. 1 Block E & N Of Chanhassen City Hall	Friday	9:00-11:00 AM			John Goulett, Jr	952-445-4165
					Marlyn Goulett	952-445-4165
Location	Day	Time	Cts	Skill	Captain(s)	Phone
Donaldson Park 75th And Humboldt Richfield	Monday	7:30-10:00 AM			Chad Sharkey	612-866-7682
	Wednesday	7:30-10:00 AM			and	
	Friday	7:30-10:00 AM			Jack Kendall	612-869-0431
Location	Day	Time	Cts	Skill	Captain(s)	Phone
Dred Scott Park West Old Shakopee Rd & Ferry Bridge Road. Bloomington	Monday	8:00-10:00 AM			Chuck Supplee	952-884-2575
	Thru				and	
	Friday				Don Snyder	952-830-9415
Location	Day	Time	Cts	Skill	Captain(s)	Phone
Edina Senior High School 6754 Valley View Rd Edina	Saturday	4:00-6:00 PM			Marv Schneider	952-975-1895
	Sunday	4:00-6:00 PM			Marv Schneider	952-975-1895
Location	Day	Time	Cts	Skill	Captain(s)	Phone
Fridley Commons 62nd & 7th Avenue (Nw Corner) Fridley	Tuesday	9:00-11:00 AM		3.0-4.0	Bob Metcalf	763-571-3596
	Thursday			3.0-4.0	Bob Metcalf	763-571-3596
Location	Day	Time	Cts	Skill	Captain(s)	Phone
Gro-tonka Park N Of Minnetonka Blvd, East Of Hwy 101 And Groveland School Minnetonka	Monday	8:00-10:00 AM			Captain(s)	
	Thru				and Players Needed	
	Friday					
Location	Day	Time	Cts	Skill	Captain(s)	Phone
Holasek Park Baker Rd S Of Hwy 62 Eden Prairie	Wednesday	8:00-12 Noon			Captain(s)	
	Thursday				and Players Needed	
	Friday					
Location	Day	Time	Cts	Skill	Captain(s)	Phone
Lone Lake Park Shady Oak Rd N Of Bren Rd Minnetonka	Monday	8:00-10:00 AM			Paul Weinreis	952-935-9463
	Thru	8:00-10:00 AM			Paul Weinreis	952-935-9463
	Friday	8:00-10:00 AM			Paul Weinreis	952-935-9463

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New Hope Park 4300 Xylon Avenue North	Monday Thru	8:30-10:30 AM		All	Jeanne Rose	763-537-2455
New Hope (Behind Swimming Pool)	Friday					
Location	Day	Time	Cts	Skill	Captain(s)	Phone
Normandale College 96th Street And France Avenue Bloomington	Monday	8:00-10:00 AM			John Herbst	952-841-1051
	Wednesday	8:00-10:00 AM			and	
	Friday	8:00-10:00 AM			Chuch Supplee	952-884-2575
Location	Day	Time	Cts	Skill	Captain(s)	Phone
Parkers Lake Cty Rd 6 & Niagra Lane Plymouth	Tuesday	8:30-10:30 AM			Ed Fischer	763-550-9770
	Thursday	8:30-10:30 AM			Ed Fischer	763-550-9770
	Friday	8:30-10:30 AM			Ed Fischer	763-550-9770
Location	Day	Time	Cts	Skill	Captain(s)	Phone
St Anthony Courts Silver Lake Rd & 33rd St Anthony	Thursday	9:00-10:30 AM			Mary Kaminski	612-781-3271
Location	Day	Time	Cts	Skill	Captain(s)	Phone
Valley View Park 90th St Between Nicollet And Portland - Bloomington	Monday	7:30-9:30 AM			Captain(S)	
	Tuesday	7:30-9:30 AM			and	
	Friday	7:30-9:30 AM			Players Needed	
Location	Day	Time	Cts	Skill	Captain(s)	Phone
Wayzata Bell Courts 1 Block N Of Hwy 12 And Minnetonka St - Wayzata	Wednesday	9:00 - 11:00 AM			Marilyn Thorne	952-471-9813
Location	Day	Time	Cts	Skill	Captain(s)	Phone
Wildwood Park 137th And Harwell Path Apple Valley	Monday	8:00-10:00 AM	4		Glen Lien	952-997-2368
	Thru	8:00-10:00 AM	4		Glen Lien	952-997-2368
	Friday	8:00-10:00 AM	4		Glen Lien	952-997-2368

What's Going On!

Bollettieri Event

On May 11 InnerCity Tennis proudly welcomed world-renowned coach and tennis icon Nick Bollettieri for a "day of play" fundraising event. Over 250 adults and children turned out for the event that raised \$3500 for the ICT endowment. The day featured a silent auction, clinics for adults and kids led by Nick, entertainment by the Percy Hughes Trio, and opportunities for those in attendance to hear Bollettieri's tips for better play and ideas on how tennis can be used to teach valuable life lessons to the young people involved.

Nick showcased his new "Tennis In a Can" program for high school tennis coaches and sent more than a few in attendance home with great prizes. One lucky winner, Jean Murdock, current president of the Senior Tennis Players Club, walked away with an all-expenses-paid week at the Bollettieri Tennis Academy in Bradenton, Florida. Other attendees received tennis racquets and autographed copies of various Bollettieri books.

Nick not only donated his time and talent to InnerCity Tennis, but he also praised and endorsed the work of the organization and the dedication of ICT Executive Director Roger Boyer and his staff and volunteers. He solidified that endorsement by promising to come back every year for the event. And Nick has already asked to come back in October to host a day of clinics for seniors and a "Tennis In a Can" seminar for high school tennis coaches in Minnesota; the event is scheduled for Saturday, October 26, 2002.

With any luck Nick Bollettieri will be coming back to InnerCity Tennis for many years to come and will always find himself welcome for his ideas, skills and support for the kids involved in ICT programs.

Older Americans Month

In celebration of "Older Americans" month, the Senior Tennis Players Club was represented by Joanne Labernik at the Mayors Open House at City Hall on May 9th. Several hundred expressed interest in information about the club for themselves or friends. Mayor Rybak recognized the great work that the Seniors were doing with InnerCity Tennis youth as mentors/coaches. Seniors have volunteered to help with the May 18th "Intergenerational

Day of Play" at Loring Park. Mayor Rybak announced the "Mayors Cup Intergenerational" day on July 27th at Loring Park from 12:30 to 3:00. All Seniors are invited to volunteer or just come to observe.

4th Annual Mayor's Inter-Generational Day of Play

This event was held on Saturday, May 18th, at Loring Park from 1:00 pm to 3:00 pm. A good turnout of children and the STPC Coach/Mentor/Tutors were on hand to lead the youngsters through tennis games.

4th Annual Mayor's Cup Tournament

Will be held Saturday, July 27th, at Loring Park from 12:30 pm to 3:30pm. It is sponsored by InnerCity Tennis, the Senior Tennis Players Club, the Senior Citizen Advisory Committee to the Mayor and Council.

The Mayor's Cup tops off the intensive 7 week InnerCity Tennis summer program in which more than 2,000 Minneapolis youth and seniors participate daily at public parks throughout the city. The tournament will pair volunteers from STPC with youngsters who participated in the summer program. These "Double Teams" will compete for the championship. Come join the fun as a player or bring the family and be a spectator!!!

Certified Pros Needed

Paul Stormo, Director of Training, would like to add certified pros to his current roster. If members are interested in becoming pros, they must be certified by USTPA. Paul can explain the requirements and the process. Call him at 952-944-9266.

In Memory

Allan Campbell, lifetime member since 1986, died May 6, 2002, at the age of 86. He was described by the Minneapolis Star Tribune in his obituary, and by those of us who knew him, "a fanatic senior tennis player, who threw fits of angst and anguish over losing, became everyone's favorite opponent." Our sympathy to his son, Gregor, his daughter, Laurel Dahlberg, and to his grandchildren and great grandchildren.

Palmer Rogers, 74, of Minneapolis, died in May, 2002, of an abdominal aortic aneurysm. Our sincere sympathy is extended to his wife, Donna Gunderson-Rogers, to his children, stepchildren, their families, and to his brother, Waid Rogers.

Leroy Stutzman, 84, of Bloomington, in April, 2002. Our sympathy is extended to his wife, STPC member Hazel Nelson Stutzman.

Be Safe in the Sun

During our brief Minnesota summer, most of us enjoy spending time outdoors. As you plan your activities, it's important to stay safe and limit the amount of time you spend in the sun.

"Most people are eager to get out in the sunshine after a long winter," said Barry Baines, M.D., Medicare Medical Director for UCare Minnesota, which offers several health plans for Medicare-eligible adults. "However, getting too much sun can lead to sunstroke or skin cancer. As we age, our skin also becomes more sensitive to the sun."

Here are a few simple ways you can enjoy the sun safely:

- Be a shade dweller. Stay in the shade as much as possible, especially between 10 a.m. and 4 p.m. If you are in the sun, be sure to wear protective clothing, such as a hat and sunglasses. And don't forget the sunscreen - choose one with a sun protection factor (SPF) that fits your sensitivity.
- Drink plenty of water. The sun increases water loss, which can lead to dehydration.

- Don't overdo it. If you exercise or work outside, do so with caution or out of the direct sun.
- Ask your doctor if you are on any medications that make you more sensitive. Certain medicines make you more sensitive to the sun's rays. You may need to step up your sun protection.

So, if you're spending time out in the garden or just taking a walk, make sure you are properly protected.

UCare Minnesota is a nonprofit health maintenance organization (HMO) established in 1984 by the Department of Family Practice at the University of Minnesota Medical School and is the fourth largest HMO in the state. UCare Minnesota offers three health insurance programs for seniors: UCare for Seniors, a Medicare+Choice product for Medicare beneficiaries in the metropolitan area and adjacent counties; UCare SeniorSelect, a Medicare Select product; and Minnesota Senior Health Options for seniors eligible for both Medicare and Medical Assistance.

STP Free Lessons and Drills - All Levels

Some court locations are subject to change during the season. No reservations are necessary and no fees are charged.

Location	Day	Start	Time	Pro	Phone
Bass Lake Bellline Rd & 36th St. St. Louis Park	Thursday	5/16	8:30-10:00 AM	Percy Hughes	952-831-2872
				Paul Stormo	952-944-6286
Bryant Courts 84th and Brant Ave. S. Bloomington	Wednesday	5/15	8:30-10:00 AM	Percy Hughes	952-831-2872
Breck School 123 Ottawa Ave. Golden Valley	Tuesday	5/14	5:30-7:00 PM	Jim Erler	952-471-9750
	Wednesday	5/15	5:30-7:00 PM	Duncan Welty	952-933-8592
McKnight Field at N. St. Paul High School N.E. corner Hwy 36 and McKnight Rd.	Wednesday	5/15	9:00-10:30 AM	Bob Smith	715-388-1319

Private Club Drills open to STPC Members

Location	Day	Cost	Time	Pro	Phone
Nicollet Tennis Club 4005 Nicollet Ave. Minneapolis	Thursday	\$5.50	9:00-10:00 AM		61-825-6844

Free Lessons. Twelve free lessons are offered as part of your STPC membership. New members are encouraged to take advantage of them. After twelve lessons, you will receive a free can of balls. A certificate of accomplishment and congratulations from the STPC president. You must notify your instructor when you have completed twelve lessons.

ALL NEW MEMBERS ARE ENCOURAGED TO ATTEND LESSONS AND DRILL AT ANY TIME.



STPC 20th Anniversary Celebration

A tribute to founder, Jack Dow

Saturday, September 28, 2002

Metropolitan Club, 5418 Wayzata Blvd., Golden Valley

11:30 am to 4:00 pm

Schedule of Events

- 11:30 am** **Social Hour**
- 12:15 pm** **Luncheon catered by D'Amico**
Tribute to Jack Dow, Program and Award
- 2:45 pm** **Dance to the music of Percy Hughes**
and reminisce with friends

Lois, are you coming to the STPC Celebration Luncheon on September 28 at the met Club?



Yes, Clark I wouldn't miss it!!

Reservation form: STPC Celebration Luncheon, September 28, 2002, 11:30 am - 4:00 pm

Name(s) of attendee(s) _____

Phone: _____

Cost: \$20 per person

Send reservation form with check payable to STPC to:
Carol Shields, 1110 Rose Place, Roseville, MN 55113

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