



# Seagull Times

Peninsula Tennis Club Newsletter • Fall, 2015



## Courts Divide!

Thanks to the following club members (and non-members), court dividers were installed on courts 7-12: George Rice, David Hinds, Norm Yetterdal, Ed Collins, Cindy Hanson, John Saunders, Duncan Depew, Nancy King, Becky Riley, Craig Levin, Ted Cramer, Mary Lou Harris, Frieda Sprague, Vadim Yufa, Ferrell Reed, Mark Truver, Duane Borad, Kathy Bertram, Mikell Morissette, Ed Phillippi, Katy Brendel, David Demer, Betty Newman, Carol Romero, Sandy Freiburg, Ruth Nutt, Barry Woodward, Simone O'Connell, Glen and Judy Fisher, and Joel Bergsma.

New fence boards were affixed on courts 1-6, thanks to Duane Borad and Annie Bixler.

PLHS boys and girls teams donated 3 new Roll Dri squeegees; several nets were recently replaced, and a new water broom purchased.



Saturday morning clinic participants

## Drop In!

**TNT:** *Tuesday Night Tennis* is jumping these days. Doubles, beginning at 6:30 p.m., concluding at 8:30 p.m.). Members \$3, non-members \$6.

**TMT:** *Thursday Morning Doubles* follows Duncan's clinic. At 10:30 a.m. No fee for members. All levels.

**FNT:** *Friday Night Tennis* is round-robin singles. 6:30-8:30 p.m. Open to all levels. Members \$3, non-members \$6.

**SMD:** *Saturday Morning Doubles* follows the skills clinic, at 10:30 a.m.. No-host mixer. No fee for members, daily fee for non-members.

the 28<sup>th</sup> annual

## Peninsula Tennis Club Tournament

This year's tournament takes place on the weekends of April 30 and May 1, 5, 8. USTA sanctioned, it offers play in the following events: open singles and doubles, men's and women's 3.5 to 5.5 singles and doubles, and men's 30, 40 and 50 singles. Sign up online at [usta.com](http://usta.com) (tournament # is 651810609).

## Welcome New Members:

Jim Parker, Fred Alcanar, Robert Burnier, Nancy Back, Nicole Earnhardt, Shari Skinner and Catherine Reboullatsazo.

## Improve, Have Fun

PTC Pros offer some non-threatening tennis instruction, up-tempo drills and *friendly* competition.

Duncan's Tuesday and Thursday clinic, 9-10:30 a.m. (Tues. beg/int; Thurs. int/adv). Fee: \$20.

Followed by drop-in dubs.

Bob's 3.0-4.0 Ladies clinics, Wednesday and Friday, 9-11 a.m. Fee: \$20.

Ed & Duncan's skills/doubles clinics, Saturday, 9-10:30 a.m., followed by drop-in doubles. Fee: \$20 (\$60/4, for members).

Tues-Wed junior clinics, 4-5:30 p.m. Fee: \$20; less pre-paid; scholarships available.



## PTC Breast Cancer Fundraiser

On a toasty Sunday afternoon in October, Peninsula Tennis Club hosted a fundraiser that benefited the Susan G. Komen Breast Cancer Organization. Special thanks to Bob Simmons and Annie Bixler for administrating the fun. Tennis and pickle ball were played, a potluck was consumed, and a raffle included valuable things such as a \$100 gift certificate to an award-winning Cohn Family Restaurant, and a Taylor Made driver.



## League News

PTC currently fields teams involved in several USTA leagues. Play is also available in *World Team Tennis* and the *San Diego Tennis League*.

Current teams competing for PTC are San Diego Tennis Leagues BB, A and AA in the San Diego Women's Tennis Winter League, and WTT 3.0 and 4.0.

Many of the ladies league players train together at Peninsula with Bob and John Simmons and Darice Carnaje. Clinics are offered Monday, Wednesday and Friday mornings at 9:00 a.m.



## Pointer Pride

Congratulations to Point Loma High School sophomore Keegan Smith for winning the 2015 SDCIF Singles Championships. Also, to sophomore Ivan Thamma for reaching the semi-finals, and to sophomore Alex Schuster and freshman Colton O'Connell for winning the Eastern League Doubles Championships. The Pointers won the Eastern League team title.

In Fall action, Lady Pointers Emily Schabarum and Shelby Smith won the Eastern League Doubles Championships, and freshman Crystal Bozarth was a singles finalist.

In USTA play, Pointer Ivan Thamma, along with partner Bryce Pereira, won the USTA National Boys' 16 Doubles Championships. Keegan Smith (w/partner Billy Rowe) won the 2016 USTA Winter National B18 Doubles Championships.

Congrats to Coach Mark Truver, his Pointer teams and standouts!

Next PTC Board meeting: Jan. 8, 11:30