



Ladies Captain's report 2022

The ladies teams have had another busy year.

Thanks to Katie Standley for running the vets team again. Last winter they played 10 matches, won 6 lost 4 and finished 5th out of 11 teams. They have already started this year's fixtures.

We had 3 teams in the Stratford Winter league and all 3 were promoted at the end of the season. They have all got off to a great start this season already.

Some of the ladies were also involved in the 2 mixed doubles team matches and the B team were promoted with the A team already being in the 1st division.

We had a 4th team added to the Coventry Summer league. Our ladies first team were promoted to division 1 after running away with the 2nd division finishing 18 points ahead of the second team. Well done to all who played for the first team and were ably captained by Katie. The 2nd team finished third in the same division; well played all and thanks to Hilary for keeping them in order. Our 3rd team were one point off promotion this year - well played all of you, you know who you are. Our 4th team finished mid table - well done also to all those ladies who played, some for the first time. Thank you Leza for working to get a 4th team out which I know was challenging at times due to people's work and family commitments. From next summer Leza hopes to run a ladies' team at the weekend instead.

Congratulations to all our younger players who took their A levels and GCSEs - we are proud of all your achievements. We are lucky that most of the girls are still around to play with the ladies. In particular I would like to congratulate Helena Wilson for winning the club championship mixed doubles with Phil Shakeshaft. She put in a great performance against difficult opposition.

Thank you to all the ladies who have played throughout this year, for your hard work, commitment and friendship. Please continue to enjoy your tennis and stay fit.