

DEUCE-Y-NEWS

Pickleball Trial
11am Every
Tuesday

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DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

FRIDAY NIGHT SOCIAL TOURNAMENT

31st May

French Theme -
Sign up in the
club house

COACH LED TOURNAMENT

30th May

Sign up on the
Coaching App

Summer Season Club session timings are now
in operation until 30th September 2024

		Courts
Monday 1000-1200	Improver Intermediate	6, 7, 8
Monday 1800-2000	Beginner Improver	6, 7
Tuesday 1830-2030	Intermediate	4, 6, 7, 8
Wednesday 1000-1200	Intermediate	4, 6, 7, 8
Thursday 1830-2030	Intermediate+ Advanced	6, 7, 8
Friday 1900-2100	All Levels - Social Night	6, 7, 8
Sunday 1000-1200	Improver Intermediate	6, 7, 8

**CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR
WINNERS & RUNNERS UP!**



CHAIR UPDATE

Dear Members, as I embark on my second year as your club Chair, please find an update on club matters.

Our AGM was pleasingly well attended on 22nd March where many issues were discussed, and questions answered in a very positive manner. Our member-elected Management Team will, at their next meeting on 15th April, discuss any issues that need addressing and report back. On behalf of the tennis club, I would like to express a huge thank you to our Management Team who have invested, and will continue to invest, their own time and dedication to keep our tennis club compliant, safe, and most importantly, enjoyable. I also extend thanks to our many volunteers and helpers for their efforts in various roles they undertake at the club.

The club is venturing towards uncharted territory with many exciting projects planned. I am confident that collectively—myself, the Management Team, and you, our members—can deliver and achieve these projects. With this in mind, the club looks towards funding these projects and maintaining the club. If any of our members have fundraising ideas that could help, please contact any of the Management Team or social committee with your suggestions.

So, to end my update, my message to us all is: Yesterday is the past, tomorrow is the future, but today is a gift. That's why it's called the present.

Together, we can make this tennis club 'future ready'.

WHAT IS PICKLEBALL?

It is a racquet sport played indoors on a court the same size as a badminton court, across a tennis-sized net, with a flat wooden paddle about three times the size of a table tennis bat, and a plastic aerated ball. It is a mixture of Tennis, Badminton, and Table Tennis, rather like 'Short Tennis,' requiring more skill and accuracy than pace and power. Watch this [YouTube](#) video to find out more. It is the fastest-growing racquet sport in the world; you will see why when you have tried it! It can be learned and enjoyed quickly, especially if you already play tennis.



Crawley Lawn Tennis Club is hosting

CHARITY TENNIS TOURNAMENT

In aid of St Catherine's Hospice

Sunday, 12th of May 2024

2PM - registration
2:30PM - tournament starts
4:30PM - buffet

LIMITED SPACES!

Tournament Entry Fee: £10
Includes Tennis and buffet afterwards

All proceeds will go to
ST CATHERINE'S HOSPICE



DID YOU KNOW?

Club Members get a discount on the [Wilson](#) website. Enter Promo Code SERIOUS-218 at checkout.

CTLC Clothing & Merchandise is available to purchase. Click [this link](#) and use password: Crawley21