

HAMBLEDEN TENNIS CLUB

SPRING 2021 NEWSLETTER



Tennis courts reopen

At the time of writing, our courts are now open. We will be mindful of any LTA guidance on keeping you safe - let's hope for some good weather in April - the Club house will remain shut.

Start of season Club session

This will be on Wednesday 14th April from 6pm with wine and nibbles provided (subject to LTA guidelines).

Welcome to our new tennis coach

Juan Lopez is joining Chris Marshall as our new Level 3 coach. He will be available for private coaching on Tuesdays initially. He can be contacted 07767103462.

New membership year

Look out for an email coming to your Inbox soon from mail@clubspark.co.uk inviting you to renew for the 2021/2022 tennis season.

Membership renewal will look a bit different this year. A few simple steps to activate your membership, pay your subscription, register with ClubSpark and you'll be done and ready to play tennis!

Our membership year starts 1st April and membership rates are unchanged. We are offering a discount on adult categories for prompt payment as well as options to pay in full or by instalments. Paying for your membership renewal is easy - you now have the option to pay by direct debit, bank transfer and cheque.

Make sure to add mail@clubspark.co.uk to your safe sender list to ensure you receive emails from the Club.

If you are not already registered with ClubSpark, you will be asked to do so when you first renew your membership.

Upcoming tennis workshops

We have continued to plan our Summer. Chris will be holding 3 tennis workshops for adult players as follows:

May 13th Working as a pair
June 10th Finishing at the net
July 8th Serve & return
Please book with Chris
chris.tennis@gmail.com

Easter tennis camps

This year, they will be held during the week commencing 12th April. To enrol, please go to the [G-Tennis website](#).

Wimbledon Club ballot

There will not be a Club ballot this year as 2021 tickets are being given to 2020 ticket holders. However, that will not stop us celebrating Wimbledon with our usual strawberry & Pimms. This is likely to be June 30th (subject to any regulations in force at that time).

Ladies Fun Tournament

This will be held on Friday April 2nd from 9.30am. It will be held subject to any LTA guidelines in place at the time. If you would like to play, please email Ness Hill at hambledenltc@gmail.com.

Farewell Caroline....

Caroline Chisolm has been a very dedicated Committee member for over 5 years; she has recently moved away from the area to be closer to her family. We would like to thank her for all her hard work and enthusiasm and wish her every happiness in her new home.

...and welcome Ness

Ness Hill has agreed to join the Committee from April.

Let's hope the worst is behind us and we can look forward to an active and social summer of tennis.

Take care and stay safe.

Caroline, Erna, Heather and Nikki

Club Sessions

- Weds Club sessions from 1.30pm (31st March & 7th April only)
- Weds Club session from 6pm (14th April – 30 September)
- Sunday Club sessions from 10am
- Ladies sessions Fridays from 9.30am all year