

WELCOME TO ISSUE 14 OF THE

HASLINGFIELD LAWN TENNIS CLUB NEWSLETTER

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HLTC GIRLS' COMPETITION

On Sunday 21st July Elly Robinson (Coaching Assistant) organised an informal girls tournament for the Under 11s. The 5 girls who competed in the round robin really enjoyed themselves and are looking forward to another one soon. It was a very close result with one point in it but the winner was Anna Gardner. Congratulations to all who took part.

Photo back row: Elly Robinson, Ellie Dunlop, Anna Gardner,

Lottie Brown

Front row: Grace Gardner and Libby Unwin



TWO SOCIAL SPORTING EVENTS IN SEPTEMBER

FRIENDLY MATCH AGAINST FELIXSTOWE LTC

Calling all Social players – your club needs you! If you would like to play in an away friendly match against Felixstowe LTC on **Sunday 22nd September**, please email Paul:paulbonnington16@hotmail.com

All the matches will be doubles with the emphasis on fun and enjoyment, starting at Midday and finishing around 4:00pm with a Barbeque to follow. This is a unique opportunity to play on grass courts and take in the Suffolk sea air!



DIARY

20th September 22nd September 6th October Golf Day Friendly v Felixstowe LTC Tournament Finals Day

GOLF DAY AT MENZIES GOLF CLUB

One of our members, Rudi Winslow, is organising a Golf Day as a fund-raiser for the Club. It's open to all golf-playing members and their golf-playing families and friends (not suitable for novice golfers) and will be held on **Friday 20th September** at the Menzies Golf Club, Dry Drayton.

09:45 - Breakfast

10:30 -Tee Off

15:30 - Lunch

16:15 - Prize Giving & Raffle

Further information, and to book, please contact Rudi at Rwinslow090@outlook.com

SEPTEMBER COACHING

Classes are filling up quickly for adult and children coaching lessons starting in September. Full details, and how to book available at

www.haslingfieldtennisclub.org/Coaching

LTA CAMBS SUMMER LEAGUES

The Ladies' and Men's LTA Summer League matches have now all finished and we have had another very successful year. Ladies' 1 and Ladies' 2 are both top of their divisions, as is Men's 3. Men's 1 and Men's 2 are second in their divisions, and so will be promoted next year.

Congratulations to players in all the teams! The final league tables are shown on the next page.

Meanwhile our three **Mixed teams** are still in action. Mixed 1 is going to end in the middle of Division 5, a good result having been promoted into this division last year. Mixed 2 are currently 3rd in Division 8, and with two matches to play, promotion is still possible. Mixed 3 (Division 9) also have a chance of promotion, depending now on the results of the other teams' final matches.

PAUL'S TOP TIP

In every practice session you should try to include three important elements: (1) know which specific shots you want to practice; (2) hit lots of them; and (3) enjoy the process. Try to spend a little time beforehand planning a session. Your practice should include drills where you hit a shot as many times as possible in the allocated time and finish with something competitive or fun oriented.

COURT BOOKING APP

Use of the courts is free to members, but courts must be booked in advance. This is easy to do, either online at www.haslingfieldtennisclub.org.uk/booking (remember to sign in first!) or by using the Clubspark Booker App. This is available from the App Store or Play Store.

LTA CAMBS WINTER LEAGUES

This year we are entering two additional teams into the LTA Cambs Winter Leagues—a Ladies 3 and Mixed 3. This will allow more players to represent their Club in competitive tennis.

If you would like to play in any of our 9 teams this winter (September—December), please contact either Gail Rutherford (gail_rutherford@hotmail.com) or Stephen Richardson (stephenhome66@yahoo.co.uk).

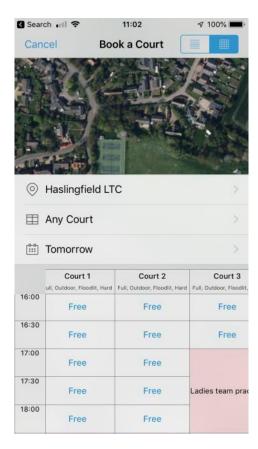
CLUB KIT COMING!

Gail Rutherford is currently organising the supply of HLTC branded sportswear. Please look out for further information by e-mail soon!

SAFEGUARDING

We aim to provide a safe, happy place to play tennis at our Club. However, if you ever feel concerned or unsure about your safety or anyone else's, please contact our Welfare Officer, Alix Robinson on 01223 870167 or Alix.robinson@btopenworld.com.

If there is an immediate risk to someone, please contact the Police or Ambulance Service by dialing 999.



LTA SUMMER LEAGUE LADIES' RESULTS

Standings of Women's Doubles - LADIES DIVISION 5

	Points	Played	Rubbers	Sets	Sets %	Games	Games %
1 Haslingfield Ladies 1	11	7	6-2	40 - 16	71.4%	290 - 179	61.8%
2 Gransdens Ladies 1	10	7	5-2	36-20	64.3%	267-202	56.9%
3 Cambridge Ladies 6	10	7	6-3	35-21	62.5%	279-215	56.5%
4 Cambourne Ladies 2	6	6	3-3	23-25	47.9%	191-208	47.9%
5 Papworth Ladies 1	4	4	2-2	16-16	50.0%	124-127	49.4%
6 Ely Ladies 1	4	6	2-4	19-29	39.6%	192-242	44.2%
7 Soham Ladies 1	3	6	2-5	17-31	35.4%	171-234	42.2%
8 Fulbourn Ladies 1	2	7	2-7	14-42	25.0%	186-293	38.8%

Standings of Women's Doubles - LADIES DIVISION 7

	Points	Played	Rubbers	Sets	Sets %	Games	Games %
1 Haslingfield Ladies 2	11	6	6-1	38-10	79.2%	256 - 149	63.2%
2 Culford Ladies 1	10	6	5-1	38-10	79.2%	253 - 124	67.1%
3 Chatteris Ladies 1	7	6	5-4	25-23	52.1%	207 - 183	53.1%
4 Gransdens Ladies 2	5	5	3-3	18-22	45.0%	155 - 172	47.4%
5 Ely Ladies 2	3	6	2-5	16-32	33.3%	168-229	42.3%
6 Steeple Morden Ladies 1	2*	5	2-3	16-24	40.0%	128 - 177	42.0%
7 St Neots Ladies 4	0	6	0-6	9-39	18.8%	133-266	33.3%

Standings of Women's Doubles - LADIES DIVISION 8

	Points	Played	Rubbers	Sets	Sets %	Games	Games %
1 Buckden Ladies 3	10	5	5-0	36-4	90.0%	229-93	71.1%
2 Newmarket Ladies 4	9	5	5-1	33-7	82.5%	230 - 130	63.9%
3 Great Shelford Ladies 5	8	6	4-2	32-16	66.7%	242 - 158	60.5%
4 Cocks and Hens Ladies 3	5	6	3-4	18-30	37.5%	185-233	44.3%
5 Cottenham Ladies 1	4	6	3-5	17-31	35.4%	191-235	44.8%
6 Haslingfield Ladies 3	4	6	3-5	15-33	31.3%	171-241	41.5%
7 Foxton Ladies 1	-2*	6	0-6	9-39	18.8%	110-268	29.1%

LTA SUMMER LEAGUE MEN'S RESULTS

Standings of Men's Doubles - MENS DIVISION 4

	Points	Played	Rubbers	Sets	Sets %	Games	Games %
1 Buckden Mens 1	12	7	6-1	40 - 16	71.4%	290-210	58.0%
2 Haslingfield Mens 1	10	7	5-2	41 - 15	73.2%	309-198	60.9%
3 Histon Mens 2	9	7	5-3	30-26	53.6%	267-243	52.4%
4 Saffron Walden Mens 2	8	7	5-4	35-21	62.5%	299-241	55.4%
5 Gransdens Mens 1	8	7	4-3	30-26	53.6%	252-243	50.9%
6 Victory BSE Mens 1	7	7	4-4	27-29	48.2%	257-248	50.9%
7 Culford Mens 1	2	7	1-6	17-39	30.4%	185-292	38.8%
8 Exning Mens 2	0	7	0-7	4-52	7.1%	144-328	30.5%

Standings of Men's Doubles - MENS DIVISION 9

	Points	Played	Rubbers	Sets	Sets %	Games	Games %
1 Newmarket Mens 3	12	7	6-1	40 - 16	71.4%	296 - 179	62.3%
2 Haslingfield Mens 2	11	7	6-2	34-22	60.7%	284-217	56.7%
3 Milton Mens 1	7	7	4-4	33-23	58.9%	267-228	53.9%
4 Histon Mens 3	6	6	4-4	23-25	47.9%	206-216	48.8%
5 Cambourne Mens 4	5	7	3-5	26-30	46.4%	242-242	50.0%
6 Royston Mens 5	5	7	3-5	24-32	42.9%	249-275	47.5%
7 Gt Shelford Mens 7	4	7	2-5	22-34	39.3%	235-286	45.1%
8 Saffron Walden Mens 4	0*	6	2-4	14-34	29.2%	121-257	32.0%

Standings of Men's Doubles - MENS DIVISION 11

	Points	Played	Rubbers	Sets	Sets %	Games	Games %
1 Haslingfield Mens 3	12	7	7-2	45 - 11	80.4%	301 - 155	66.0%
2 Risbygate Mens 3	11	7	7-3	39 - 17	69.6%	289 - 185	61.0%
3 Chatteris Mens 3	8	7	5-4	35-21	62.5%	282-250	53.0%
4 Ely Mens 3	7	7	5-5	28-28	50.0%	229-236	49.2%
5 Girton Mens 1	7	7	4-4	25-31	44.6%	242-254	48.8%
6 Chatteris Mens 4	4	7	2-5	19-37	33.9%	204-256	44.3%
7 Gt Shelford Mens 8	3*	7	4-6	24-32	42.9%	215-268	44.5%
8 Cambridge Tennis Academy Mens 1	2	7	1-6	9 - 47	16.1%	151-309	32.8%