





## *FROM THE PRESIDENT*

*Welcome to our first newsletter of 2016. Let me start by saying it's great to have you as part of our club. The Pacific Beach Tennis Club has a long and vibrant history and it's my pleasure to serve along side a great Board of Directors to help ensure that history continues to be made going forward. It's also my pleasure to have Steve Adamson as our club manager, with a newly signed agreement that runs through the end of 2018.*

*Steve's junior academy is going strong, as is junior tennis in general at our club, with many thanks to our other tennis instructors, Simon Shen and Tom Svajda. In addition to helping prepare the tennis players of the future, our work with junior tennis helps promote our club within the community. This is a particularly important endeavor presently as the City Council will soon be reviewing plans for redeveloping the De Anza Cove area, which are likely to have an impact on our club. I'd like to encourage you to contact Phil Tan at [ptphiltan@gmail.com](mailto:ptphiltan@gmail.com) or Bob Miller at [rmm@robertmillerlaw.com](mailto:rmm@robertmillerlaw.com) who run our Special Select Committee on the De Anza Cove Revitalization Plan for more information about the city's plans and how you can help us represent our club to the city planning committees.*

*We've just completed our 18th USTA-sanctioned Annual Pacific Beach Open tournament with some great competition at all levels. Look for more on that in this issue. In addition, we've scheduled club doubles mixers for April 15 and May 13, which are free to members. For non-members, it's just \$5. Be sure to come out for some fun and excitement and meet some new people to play tennis with.*

*In this issue you'll also find information about our ongoing league activities, tennis instruction, and our newest hit event: pickleball. Whatever tennis-related activity you're looking for, you'll find it here at Pacific Beach Tennis Club. You can always contact me directly at 858-349-0848 or contact Steve Adamson at 858-405-1004 for more information.*

*See you at the courts!*

*David Fogel  
PBTC President, 2016*



**FREE SUMMER YOUTH TENNIS CAMP!  
CALLING ALL KIDS!  
Beginner and intermediate levels welcome!**

This summer PBTC will offer a special summer youth camp offered by our terrific instructors – Steve, Simon and Tom -Monday, June 27 to Thursday, June 30 from 9:00am – 11:30am.  
**AND it's FREE!**

This camp will be limited to 24 juniors of beginner or intermediate level. But for a limited time, PBTC is setting aside 12 participant slots for children, grandchildren, and junior relatives of club members!

Reserve your spot today by contacting our Director of Tennis,  
Steve Adamson at [steve@pbtennis.com](mailto:steve@pbtennis.com).



**HELP A CHILD LEARN TENNIS!  
DONATE YOUR UNUSED RACQUETS!  
STEVE IS ACCEPTING THESE AT THE CLUBHOUSE**

# UPCOMING EVENTS



*Junior Tournament April 8-10*  
**NO COURTS AVAILABLE**



**FRIDAY, APRIL 15**  
**7PM-9:30PM**

**SPRING FLING TENNIS THING**

**DROP IN TENNIS MIXER**

**FREE TO MEMBERS, \$5 NON-MEMBERS**  
**NO SIGN UP NECESSARY, JUST SHOW UP AND YOU WILL BE MIXED INTO**  
**DIFFERENT MATCHES.**  
**FEEL FREE TO BRING SNACKS TO SHARE!**



**SUNDAY, APRIL 17**  
**9AM-12NOON**  
**PICKLEBALL**  
**FREE TO MEMBERS**

**SUNDAY, MAY 1**  
**TENNIS FEST AT BALBOA PARK 12n-4pm**  
**LOOK FOR THE PB BOOTH AND SAY HI!**

**FRIDAY, MAY 13**  
**7PM-9:30PM**  
**FRIDAY THE 13TH MIXED DOUBLES**  
**FREE TO MEMBERS, \$5 NON-MEMBERS**

**FRIDAY, MAY 27**  
**6PM-9PM**  
**FRENCH OPEN MIXER**  
**A MEMBERS-ONLY MIXED DOUBLES ROUND ROBIN**



*for more information on these and other upcoming events,*

**go to [pbtennis.com](http://pbtennis.com)**

*click on "events"*



**DOUBLES LEAGUE LADIES  
CELEBRATING  
THE END OF A GREAT SEASON!**





***MEET OUR YOUNGEST  
AND NEWEST MEMBER!  
MEET OSWENN SHEN!***



***IT'S A BOY!!!  
CONGRATULATIONS  
TO SIMON AND NANCY!***

***A LEAP YEAR BABY BORN FEB. 29!  
8 LBS. 13 OZ.***



***BE SURE TO CONGRATULATE THE PROUD  
DADDY WHEN YOU SEE HIM OUT ON THE  
COURTS – HE MAY EVEN SHOW YOU A  
COUPLE OF PICTURES!!***

## Notes from the STEVE ADAMSON TENNIS ACADEMY

The new year started off really well for many academy students.

Long time academy student **Ryan Seggerman** won the very prestigious Level 1 18 & under Henry Talbert Memorial Tournament.

Other January tournament winners included Luke Garbacz (B12s), Daniel Dulay (B16s) in the Sophia Custado Memorial Open. Eshan Talluri was the winner (B18s) in the 1st Annual Surf and Turf tournament .

More recently, Timmy Sah took home the championship in doubles in the Grade 3 ITF in Costa Rica. Congratulations to all the hard-working students who had some great results during this years first trimester.

Please come out and watch some of San Diego's top juniors before they head off to play collegiate tennis.



**RYAN SEGGERMAN**



## Fun Times at the 18th Annual Pacific Beach Open Tennis Tournament

April 1-3, 2016 saw the 18th annual running of our USTA-sanctioned club tournament. There were over 160 entrants in various divisions, all the way from NTRP 3.5 to Open. The weather was great, the atmosphere was great, and best of all the competition was great too.

Our club was well represented including members Matt Miller, McKenna Mountain, Bryan Pritz, Karl Rand, Panto Mijatovic, Phil King, Linda Leibowitz, Dan Herbert, Hillary Park, John Carter, Roberto Ancira, Maria Nunez, Rick Trovato, and Donna Dube. Special congratulations go to Hillary Park, who made the womens 4.5 doubles finals with partner Janet Podney, and Donna Dube, runner up in the womens 3.5 doubles finals with partner Susan Curtin.

Hiromi Sasano defeated Sarah Stadfelt to earn the Womens Open singles title. Emmanuel Mensah edged out Trent Miller for the Mens Open singles title in a third set tie breaker. Emmanuel then followed with partner Alan Chang to take the Open doubles title as well over competitors Manuel Ortiz and Brent Davis in another third set tie breaker.

We want to thank all the competitors who entered our tournament, and special thanks goes to our tournament director, Steve Adamson, his wife Noelle, PBTC tennis professional Tom Svajda, and our tournament referee Tony Perez for running a really fun event.



**PICTURES FROM THE PB OPEN!**  
Emmanuel Mensah slamming a big serve!





## UP FOR A CHALLENGE?

We've heard your request,  
now we would like to try it out for a few weeks!!  
Starting **Monday night, April 18**, on **MONDAY NIGHTS** you  
can come test your game on the Challenge Court.  
Free for all members, first come, first serve. \$5 non-members.

MONDAY NIGHTS Courts 5 & 6 will be reserved from 7-9:30pm  
for Challenge matches.  
Court 5 will be for doubles. Court 6 will be for singles.  
(no gender preference)

Here's how it works:

1. Sign in at the Clubhouse, then put your name on the board at the court with the time you sign up. You must sign in at the clubhouse first!
2. You must provide your own balls.

**On court 5** - First four players (male or female) will play a set of doubles. Spin for serve/side. First to 6, no ad scoring, change sides every 3 games.

-Winning team stays on the court and challenges the next two players signed up on the board. Players may opt to change up partners, but both sides must be in agreement.

-If you are waiting for the next match, you must be at the court ready to play at the end of the conclusion of the previous match.

- If there are not enough players for doubles, then you may play singles.

**On Court 6** – First two players (male or female) will play a set of singles. Spin for serve/side. First to 6, no ad scoring, change sides every 3 games.

-Winning player stays on the court and challenges the next player signed up on the board.

-If you are waiting for the next match, you must be at the court ready to play at the end of the conclusion of the previous match.



**DISCOUNTS  
AND  
DEALS  
FOR  
PBTC  
MEMBERS!**



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10% off regularly  
priced items**

**WOODSTOCK'S PIZZA  
1221 Garnet Ave  
10% off**



**Boulevard  
Automotive**

**BOULEVARD AUTOMOTIVE  
737 Turquoise St  
10% off labor,  
not combined with other discounts**

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TO OUR PBTC MEMBERS,  
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