



Covid 19 News Update

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General Update

It has been great to see the tennis courts at Cheam Fields so busy, with our members making the most of the lovely weather.

The tennis committee met last week, numerous items were discussed, but the main topic was of course our Court Resurfacing project. A separate update will be sent regarding the resurfacing project in due course.

Professional court maintenance will take place next week on the 5th/6th May.

We have seen a high percentage of existing members renew for 2021/22, and are pleased to welcome some new members that have recently joined Cheam Fields. If you are yet to renew your membership please remember that payment is due by the 30th April 2021. Payments should be made by BACS, account name Cheam Fields Club. HSBC account no: 51744283. Sort Code: 40-43-26.

Our volunteers continue to keep the courts and grounds in good order. The committee have decided not to replace the rubbish bins on all the courts, but will be purchasing more bins for outside the pavilion to help with sorting the rubbish for recycling. Please could we remind members not to leave litter on the courts or the pavilion grounds, but to either put it in the general waste bin outside the pavilion, or even better to take it home with you.

When bringing young children to the club, for their safety please remember to book court 4.

Junior Tennis News

It has been great to see so many of our juniors back playing again on a Saturday morning and also to see our competition players attending our midweek coaching sessions with Brendan to get them match fit for when the leagues resume again in the middle of May. If there are any children who wish to be considered for one of our teams and not already involved please email Mark Love at mdlcoaching@hotmail.com

EASTER HOLIDAY TENNIS CAMPS - These were fully booked for all sessions and our coaching team did an amazing job in what has been a very difficult year! Thanks to all the adult members who worked around the camps and I am sure everyone will appreciate how important these are not only for our children's mental health but our parents as well. It was so good to see so many enjoying themselves and we have recruited lots more children on to a Saturday morning and are virtually FULL

After half term we will be looking to run a junior inter club competition so please look out for the email.

Saturday coaching will NOT run on Saturday 5/6 but there will be Holiday tennis Camps running from Tuesday 1st June to Thursday 3rd June for our younger players and teenagers. Please book the on the MDL COACHING TENNIS BOOKING APP.



Beginners & Intermediates

Our new Thursday afternoon social session is proving popular with members, it runs from 1.30pm to 4pm. Coaching is available at the session, please contact Emma, Sara or Rachel for more information (contact details on page 3)

David Baxendine's Monday evening H.I.T and beginners coaching sessions are now weekly, as more courts are playable into the early evening. David also runs a group coaching session at 8pm on a Monday for intermediate players looking to improve. These sessions are open to non-members too, so if you have friends or family looking for some coaching please refer them to David. If you would like to book onto these sessions please email Davidbaxendine@hotmail.com.

Young Adults Tennis

The young adult session now runs every Monday 7-9pm.

If you would like to come along, please email myself at laurenwaller217@gmail.com. The next session is due to run Monday 3rd May.



Senior Tennis

The summer court schedule is up and running and we encourage all members to have a look at the sessions available and to attend those which you feel are most appropriate for you.

Please feel free to contact the sessions organisers or your Men's/Ladies' captains (Alex Tresadern and Taryn Selvon respectively) if you are unsure which sessions to attend. It would be great to see a good turnout at all sessions, particularly in this lovely weather!

As for the club teams themselves, the Dorking & Leatherhead leagues have some matches starting this week, whilst the Surrey leagues begin again towards the end of May - best of luck to all our teams competing, and we will include regular match updates in these newsletter sections.

The next Saturday rota session is on May 1st, please email cheamfields@gmail.com if you would like to take part.

The 'Rule of 4' tournament will take place on Saturday 15th May, if you would like to enter but don't have a team please email cheamfields@gmail.com and we will try our best to find a team for you.

Clubhouse Re-Opening 17th May

The clubhouse will be reopening on the 17th May, the opening hours will be communicated closer to the time.

In order to open the bar regularly we are reliant on volunteers coming forward and receiving the proper training on the till and then going on the rota.

Please contact Alan Hockaday

hockers_7@hotmail.com for more information.

BALL RECYCLING

No matter what state they are in, please send any unwanted tennis balls my way.

Leave them in the container outside the pavilion or give them to me (Taryn) directly. Thank you!

We would like to remind members that if they no longer require a court they have booked, or the court for the length of time they have booked it for, please cancel or amend the booking in clubspark as soon as possible.

If you book a court, you must play on it. You may only book on behalf of friends if they do not have internet access, and you have notified the clubspark team about this.

To book a court please download the clubspark app or use the following email address:

<https://clubspark.lta.org.uk/CheamFieldsClub>

If you have any clubspark issues please contact us at cheamfieldscourts@yahoo.com and one of our volunteers will endeavour to resolve your issue.

Welfare Officer

The club's Welfare Officer is Sara Tresadern. Please contact Sara if you have any safeguarding concerns on 0771 2081966.

Follow us on Social Media

An easy way to keep up to date with what is happening at Cheam Fields club is to follow us on social media:



<https://facebook.com/cheamfieldsclub>



<https://Instagram.com/cheamfieldsclub/>

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We are always looking to recruit more volunteers to help with the continued running of the club, if you are interested in volunteering please contact a member of the committee.

Kind regards,

CFC Tennis Committee