



KINGSTON BAGPUIZE WITH SOUTHMOOR TENNIS CLUB

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FRIENDLY MATCH VS STANDLAKE

On 11th May, a few of our ladies played a friendly match against Lower Windrush Tennis Club in Standlake!

Great to see the relationship being built with other local clubs and well played to everyone who took part! Hopefully, this is one of many connections we make!

TENNIS FESTIVAL 2022

The second of our Tournament Days for our annual Tennis Festival took place on Sunday 8th May with our doubles events taking to the court which made for a very busy day! There was some great tennis on display and congratulations to those who made it through to the final:

Men's Doubles: Jake Moon and Phil Jones vs Harry Anderson and Rokas Leonivicius
Women's Doubles: Angie Burrell and Justine Cardy vs Gillian Pearson and Eve Fruyer
Mixed Doubles: Adam Fakes and Gillian Pearson vs Harry Wraight and Paula Eastwood

Unfortunately, we ran out of time (and energy!) to complete the over 50s mixed doubles event which is due to be rescheduled for another date before finals day.

Finals Day is Sunday 17th July and we encourage all our members to come down, watch some tennis and socialise with the rest of the club! More details on the event coming soon!



SINGLES LADDERS

Following the success of the singles ladders last year, we have reintroduced the singles ladders for this year! The ladders offer the opportunity for members to organise and play competitive singles matches against other members of the club.

The ladders are run via the app TennisRungs where challenges can be issued and scores inputted.

If you are interested in being involved in the ladders, please email kbstennisclub@gmail.com.

If you have already let us know, you should have been added to the ladder - all set to go. Please get in touch if you think that this hasn't happened.

TEAM SPOTLIGHT: MEN'S C

The Men's C-Team, having recently taken on the new captain, are hoping to bring some new energy and get a few wins under their belt this season. As well as the new captain the C-Team have some new players on the line-up - David McCann, Alex Lawson and Harry Wraight. It is so great to see some new players joining us! Unfortunately, the C-Team didn't have the start to the season that they hoped for.

The opening away match against Oxford Sports D started with a 5-5 draw. Both teams were extremely equal and there was nothing more left on the court.

The second away match against North Oxford G team was a 2-6 loss for KBS. The match was played on the grass/lawn which was a first time for most C-Team players.

Unfortunately, in the first set of the second game, Pete Osman injured his wrist and was left without the forehand for the rest of the day. Well done for him managing to play the rest of the day.

The third away match against Faringdon D was lost 3-6. It was quite disappointing to come away with a loss from this one as we saw some really close tennis on the day (we will get them next time!).

After 3 away matches we are now heading into home games for the rest of the summer season and we hope that we can get some wins on the home court. Even though the results are not on our side we have seen some great tennis with a mixture of old and new players taking part.

Well done to everyone so far and let's enjoy the rest of the games in the Summer!

