

KINGS HEATH CRICKET CLUB



TENNIS SECTION NEWSLETTER

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We would like to start this issue by wishing all our members:

A HAPPY AND PROSPEROUS NEW YEAR

CODE CHANGE

We will be changing the code during February. This will change when we have the new list of members who have paid their subs for the coming year.

MIXED DOUBLES TEAM

Alan Evans has kindly agreed to run the mixed team for the 2010 season. If you are interested in playing for the team then please let Alan know as soon as possible. Without Alan this team would have been dropped by the section, so it is thanks to him that anyone playing for this team will be able to continue.

CLUBMARK

Ray Bundell (our club coach) met with Jayne Ashton from Warwickshire LTA in December to go through our Clubmark folder. I am pleased to say that we have completed 80% of the required work to achieve this nationally recognised accreditation. Once achieved we shall be able to apply for grants from the LTA to upgrade and improve our facilities.

* NEW* RAY'S COACHING TIPS

In a new section we shall be featuring a tip or two each month from our Club Coach Ray Bundell.

This month's tip is for Doubles:

Server should try to serve down the middle, if possible, taking away the returner's angle and giving his partner a chance to make the volley.

If you want to try out this tactic AND MORE with your team or just 3 others you can give Ray a call on 07551 666 836 or email him at raybundell@virginmedia.com

SOCIAL CALENDAR UPDATE

January

SECTION DINNER DANCE 9TH JAN 2010

There are still a few places for the above event.

Cost £18.00 per head

The menu has been sent out by Diane Hirst. Please let D know your menu choices as soon as possible and also any music requests that you have.

Friday 12th February Valentines Night

Cost of evening to be £6.00 per person.
Band TBC

Friday 26th March

Lynn and D Tennis section quiz.

Sunday 11th April

One day Tennis Tournament to start the season
£2.00 to enter with the winners receiving a drink from the bar.

Monday 17th May to Sunday 27th June Club Tournament.

Closing date for entries Wednesday 12th May 2010. Entries received after this date will not be accepted. Entry fee £5.00 with free BBQ on finals day. If you just wish to come to the BBQ then you are very welcome - £3.00 will be collected on the day.

If you would like anything mentioned in February's newsletter then please email - colgar65@tiscali.co.uk