

CLUB LIFE Spring Edition 2025

AGM 2025

Thank you so much to all members who attended the AGM. We had a lively debate on various topics (see below) and congratulations to all our incredible members who won awards on the evening.





AGM 2025 IMPORTANT Court Etiquette Update

Team matches (team players representing WLTC only) and they have not finished on time, unfortunately you will not be able to play on the court. The club allocates court time to matches but on occasion they can overrun. Please go the bar and ask a member of staff for help and to book a different court (depending on availability).

Tennis wear and tennis shoes are the only clothing permitted on court. NO - vests, jeans, dresses, football kits, marking soles.

At the **End of Your Session** you MUST vacate the court (with all your belongings and balls) by the start time of the next players' session. Please do not overrun your allotted court time.

On Court if your ball goes onto another court, wait until they stop playing until you either ask for the ball, or fetch it. Always go round the net, not over it. If you need to cross a court to get to another court, wait until the game has finished or the people playing on the court signal for you to cross - do not walk behind players if they are playing a point.

Only sports drinks or water, in sealed containers (no glass), are allowed on court, together with sports snacks. No gum should be chewed on court.

Spectators should consider players' feelings and not offer advice, adverse comments or call out during games. Speak quietly if you have to use your phone near the courts. Players should not shout or swear on court. Please act professionally and do not shout out during rallies.

Please take time to read the above these rules are to be followed by ALL members and their guests, without exception.

Access to Courts

YOU MUST use the pathway round the back of the clay courts if you are playing on courts 7 or 4.

If you are playing on one of the middle courts (court 8 or 5) please wait quietly in the car park before there is a break in play for you to walk across to get to your court.

DO NOT walk across or behind players courts if they are in the middle of a rally. You must wait until they signal for you to cross.

If an interclub match is in progress there will be an additional sign on the gate and you **must not** disturb the match. You may walk across to your court at the end of game once invited by the players.

Players on court, please be reasonable in allowing players to come across your court.

When crossing any players court please take the shortest route and move as quickly as possible.



Thank you for your co-operation.

By Order of the Committee

AGM 2025 Questions

Q: Can a notice board for interclub matches be installed?

A: Yes, we can look at installing a notice board to highlight which courts the matches will be played for that weekend.

Q: Can we put the windbreakers up between courts 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 & 9?

A: The windbreakers are taken down in the winter due to the shadow they cast across courts

4, 5 & 6. As the sun does not rise high enough to eliminate this shadow, it can cause the back of these courts to remain icy, and therefore unplayable.
They will be put back up again in the spring time.

Q: Can a more secure bike rack be installed?

A: Beci is currently exploring the opportunity to install a new, more secure bike rack.

Q: Can signs be made to instruct members not to walk across match courts?

A: Yes, signs will be made and put up on courts 9 & 6 to instruct members to use the pathway round the back. As well as a sign to ask members not to disturb any matches against other clubs which will be removed when not in use.

Q: Can we form an alliance with a Padel club?

A: Beci & Andy have already reached out to Padel Maidenhead and are currently working with them to organise an adult competition.

Q: Can we put a cover on more of the outdoor courts?

A: Currently, the costs involved (£250k-£300k + VAT) are currently prohibitive. Plus, planning permission and costs of planning permission could also present other issues.

AGM 2025 Re-election of Committee

All committee members were re-elected for another year, with no new nominations received.



Mark Player -Chairman & Director



Beci Lee - Club Manager



Ian Fletcher -Committee Member



David Stephens -Treasurer & Director



Steph Fernandez -Committee Member



Bikram Chopra -Committee Member



Sandra Parkinson -Secretary



Andy Mustill -Head Coach



Ajey Kaushal -Committee Member

AGM 2025 Award Winners



Gillian Horrocks-Taylor Ladies Team Player



Karen Morean Mixed Team Player



Piers Davis Boys Most Improved



Savannah Tabares Girls Most Improved



Zachary Munday Men's Team Player

Jan Poole Exceptional Contribution to the Club

WLTC Wins Competition of the Year Award 2025!



We are very honoured to have won the 'Competition of the Year' award by the LTA for our annual Grade 3 Windsor Open tournament. So many people work tirelessly to make this event the success it is today, including all the members, staff, players and of course Janet, our exceptional referee. Thank you everyone who makes it possible year after year, this award goes to all of you!

Court 11 Maintenance

We have recently invested in 2 new squeegee brushes for court 11 to help clear the puddles off the court in an attempt to make it more useable. Please ensure that after using the squeegee you hang them back up on the fence to allow the water to drain from the sponge, so it is ready for the next person to use.



Latest New Projects Completed 2025



New welcome fence installed to create a more sophisticated vibe. We hope to plant some nice, colour flowers and hedges along the right hand side to make it even prettier.



A lovely revamp of the bin cupboard/storage area and covered indoor entrance. Now it looks much neater and tidier when driving in, as well as a more secure gate for extra storage.

Junior success

Congratulations to our juniors - William Mishriky, Saanvi Chandak, Nirbhay Singh & Harper Johnson for a fantastic performance at the 8&U Berkshire Youth Winter League at Bradfield on Sunday 2nd February.







Tues 1st - Thurs 17th April

4 - 15 years of age (4 year olds can only book morning or afternoon sessions, they **cannot** book a full day)

We are Ofsted registered and accept childcare vouchers and tax fee childcare payments. Details can be found during booking process.

> AM Tennis Camp 9am - 12pm PM Tennis Camp 12pm - 3pm Full Day Tennis Camp 9am - 3pm

Early Bird Special - 20% discount

Bookings will open in the next couple of weeks. Check out the website below for more information on how to book.

LIMITED NUMBER OF PLACES AVAILABLE Group sizes, typically 6 - 8 children per coach

Visit: www.active-tennis.co.uk



All Things Tennis

ATT are proud to introduce their new manager - Marcelo Seabra



Marcelo has been stringing since 2014 and used to own a pro tennis shop in São Paulo, Brazil, called 'Shoptennis' at 'Tennis Clube Paulista'. He has strung racquets for players such as Harriet Dart, Frances Tiafoe plus other top 100 ranked players on the WTA and ATP tours.

Marcelo is a certified ERSA master racquet technician. He speaks Portuguese, Italian and English!

If you have any questions on strings, racquets, re-grips, balls or anything other tennis related, Marcelo will be able to offer professional, impartial advice.

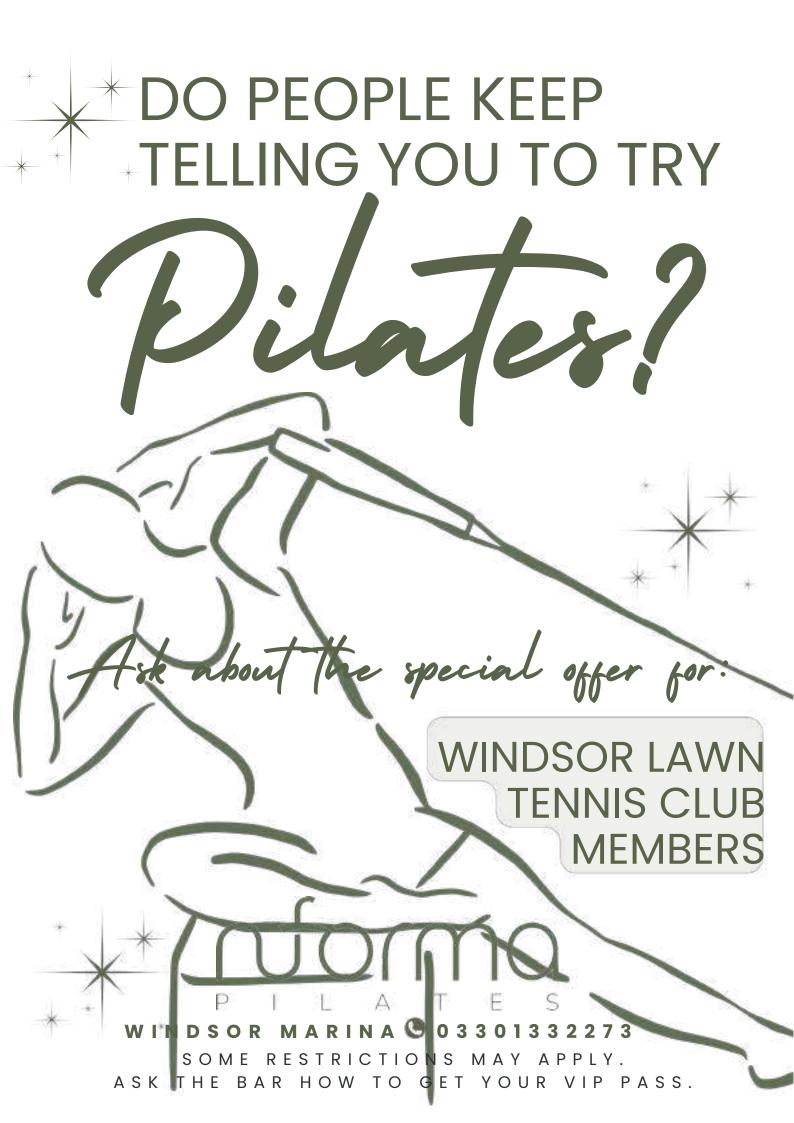
All Things Tennis are pleased to offer special member discounts, bespoke services and a variety of demo racquets. Including the brand new Yonex Ezone, Babolat Pure Drive, Head Gravity, Wilson Federer & Wilson Clash V3.

TOURNAMENTS & EVENTS 2025

Sunday 2nd March 09.00-13.00 Courts 1-3	Generation Gap Tournament
Friday 14th March 10.00-12.00 Courts 1-3	Thames Hospice Charity Tournament (Kay Mustill)
Friday 4th April 19.00-late Clubhouse	Music Quiz Night
Sunday 27th April All Day Courts 1-3	8&U, 9&U, 10&U Berkshire Grand Prix Competitions
Sunday 18th May 09.00-13.00 Courts 7-10	French Open Tournament
Sunday 18th May 13:30-5:30pm	Play Your Way To Wimbledon Boys & Girls singles 14&U
Saturday 21st June 19.00-late Clubhouse	Summer Party - Rolling Stoics
Sunday 29th June All Day All Courts	Club Finals Day
11.00-15.00 Home Park Tennis Club Date TBC	Wimbledon Tournament

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Provisional Dates 20th-26th July All Courts	Windsor Open Tournament
Sunday 21st September 09.00-13.00 Courts 1-3 OR 4-6	US Open Tournament
Friday 26th September 10.00-12.00 Courts 1-3	Macmillan Charity Tournament
DATE TBC Clubhouse	Social Event
Sunday 2nd November ALL DAY Courts 1-3	Mini Club Championships
Saturday 29th November 19.00-late Venue TBC	Christmas Party
Sunday 30th November 14.00-16.30 Courts 1-3	Waves For Wishes
Friday 5th December 18.30-20.00 Courts 1-3	Junior Xmas Party
Friday 12th December 10.00-12.00 Courts 1-3	Tinsel Tennis



Club Championships

<u>No extensions will be granted to anyone for any</u> <u>reason, so please do not ask for one.</u>

Men's Singles Round Robins: All matches <u>MUST</u> be completed by Sunday 30th March

Men's 40+ Doubles, Ladies 40+ Doubles & Mixed 40+ Doubles; First Round:

All matches <u>MUST</u> be completed by Sunday 27th April

Ladies Singles, Ladies Doubles, Ladies 40+ Singles, Mixed Doubles & Mixed 55+ Doubles; First Round: All matches <u>MUST</u> be completed by Sunday 25th May Men's 40+ Singles First Round: All matches <u>MUST</u> be completed by Sunday 30th March

Men's Doubles, Men's Singles 55+, Ladies 55+ Doubles & Men's 55+ Doubles; First Round: All matches <u>MUST</u> be completed by Sunday 27th April

Junior Round Robin Matches - ALL AGE GROUPS: All matches <u>MUST</u> be completed by Sunday 22nd June

Please note that the Club Championship Draws are now available to view, both online and in the clubhouse. Please ensure that all first round matches are played by the correct play by date.