

Chilham Tennis Club 2010 – News

Dear Member(s)

Welcome to the 2010 season

We now have a website at www.chilhamtennisclub.org.uk . We will keep it up to date with news and club information. Check it out so you know what is going on in your club.

Lack of interest in recent years has led the committee to decide not to run the championships this year unless an organiser can be found. Anyone interested should contact the secretary.

We would also like to thank Pete Swan and his team of helpers for organising the wine and wisdom on 6th March. It was a great success and raised over £600 for our court maintenance fund.

This year, under LTA rules, only members who had joined the British Tennis Membership Scheme by the date of our Spring Social can benefit from our Wimbledon ticket allocation. This scheme is free to adult members of affiliated clubs like Chilham until 2011.

Please note the date of this year's Spring Social is Friday 23rd April and will be held as usual in The Woolpack at 7.30pm. Please make an effort to come. This is an opportunity to meet other members of the club, pay your subscription and, if you are a British Tennis Member, qualify for the Wimbledon ticket draw, which also takes place on the night. It is also an opportunity to make yourself known to committee members if you wish to make suggestions or take a more active role in the running of the club.

Membership subscriptions have not changed once again, adult membership will stay at £30, family membership at £60, junior and senior citizen membership at £20. These charges are very low compared to neighbouring clubs with similar facilities. It remains club policy to keep membership fees as low as possible to encourage membership whilst providing sufficient funds to ensure the courts can be maintained to a satisfactory standard. However fees have not changed for 4 years now and an increase may need to be considered next year.

We hope that you all enjoy our friendly tennis club and that you will take care to look after it and yourselves.

With Best Wishes,

The Committee

Please note: Chilham Tennis Club cannot accept responsibility for accidents, or injuries which may occur to members, or non-members, whilst using the clubs facilities, or for loss or damage to private possessions. Playing on a damp/wet court can cause serious injury and is therefore not recommended.