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## AUGUST & SEPTEMBER



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### LAMAR TENNIS CENTER

PAULA G. MANSHIP YMCA

August / September 2017

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"If you train hard, you'll not only be hard, you'll be hard to beat" .....Herschel Walker

Summer is drawing to a close and therefore fall is quickly approaching. Another year of summer camp gear up for the fall league season for adults and after-school programming for juniors! s have come and gone at the Lamar Tennis Center. That means it's time to

Fall junior programming will commence the week of August 15<sup>th</sup>, just in time for the new school year. The Future Stars program for elementary school students will be held on Tuesday and Thursday evenings from 5:00 to 6:30. This is the perfect opportunity for any juniors who are interested in trying tennis for the first time, or who want to build on their basic skills, to get on the court and hit some balls with players their age. Meanwhile, high school students who plan on playing for their school's tennis team or are just interested in improving their game can participate in the High School Development program. Classes are scheduled for Monday and Wednesday evenings and running from 5:00 to 6:30.

A U.S. Open Mixer will be held on Saturday, September 2<sup>nd</sup>, from 1 to 3:30 P.M. Following the mixer, a casual social event will be held at Dr. Raman Singh's welcoming abode. The social will begin at 6:00 P.M. Be prepared to mingle with your fellow members and tennis family!

The Lamar Tennis Center will have reduced hours on Labor Day, which is Monday, September 4<sup>th</sup>. We will open at our normal time, 8 A.M., but we will close at 1 P.M. Those who plan on getting some tennis in during their holiday should arrive early to sweat a little and make room for their Labor Day feat.

A new mixed doubles league will be hosted by the Lamar Tennis Center beginning Thursday, September 7<sup>th</sup>. This eight-week program is open to both YMCA and non-YMCA members. Matches will be held at 6:30 P.M. on Thursday evenings throughout September and October.

Our annual Love of the Y Tournament will be held on Friday, September 15<sup>th</sup> and Saturday, September 16<sup>th</sup>. Participation is open to the general public and entry forms will be available in the pro shop.

As you read this newsletter, you will be pleased to hear that the details for court restoration and renovations are being finalized. Specifics of the project and all associated deadlines will be made available in the coming weeks. Please stay tuned.

God bless,

Ronnie

### LAMAR TENNIS CENTER STAFF AND TENNIS PROFESSIONALS

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USTA BG10s Training Camp

### IMPORTANT DATES



**August 15th Starts  
Fall Junior Development  
Program**  
**August 26th  
Lyons Club Doubles  
Tournament**  
**September 2nd  
LTC US Open Mixer 1-  
3:30pm**  
**Sept 15th-16th  
Love of the Y Tournament**

## JUNIOR TENNIS ACADEMY

### Future Stars

Tuesday and/or Thursday 5-6:30pm

1 day per week – \$60 Unlimited Member/\$70 YMCA Member/\$85 Participant per month

2 days per week- \$105 Unlimited Member/\$120 YMCA Member/\$135 Participant

### HS Development/Future Champs (Intermediate Level– Tournament Level 1)

Monday/Wednesday 5-6:30pm

1 day per week – \$60 Unlimited Member/\$70 YMCA Member/\$85 Participant per month

2 days per week: \$105 Y Unlimited Tennis Member/\$120 YMCA Member/\$135 Participant

We will have a play day once a month cost: Free for Unlimited Tennis/\$5 YMCA Members/\$10 Participant

### High Performance (Advanced Tournament Level)

Monday/Tuesday/Thursday

4:30-6:30pm Saturday 9am-1pm

Contact Chase Leblanc for details on pricing 225-337-2575

## WEEKLY ROUND ROBINS

Tuesday Morning Ladies Round Robin at 9am, email Ronnie at [rwalters@ymcabr.org](mailto:rwalters@ymcabr.org)

Tuesday Night at 6:30pm, all players are welcome, email Ronnie at [rwalters@ymcabr.org](mailto:rwalters@ymcabr.org)

Thursday morning doubles at 8:30am, all players welcome. Contact Darryl Jacob at 225-753-4226 for information and scheduling.

Ronnie Walters at [rwalters@ymcabr.org](mailto:rwalters@ymcabr.org).

Sunday afternoon at 3pm doubles (3.5 level and above), no prior sign up needed.

All Guest must sign in and fill out waiver before play!

Cost: Unlimited Tennis Members Complimentary/ \$4 YMCA Member/ \$10 Guest



## ADULT CLINICS

Email [rwalters@ymcabr.org](mailto:rwalters@ymcabr.org) to sign up for the following classes:

### New Player Fall Classes Starting August 21st 6 class session

Monday Morning 8:00am-9:00am

Thursday Night Cost: \$40 Unlimited Tennis Member/

%55 YMCA Member/\$65 Participant

### Doubles Drill and Play

Monday Nights 6:30pm

Cost: \$13 Unlimited Tennis Member/\$20 YMCA Member/\$27 Participant

### Thursday Night Mixed Doubles League

6:30pm start time

Season starts September 14th and goes through October.

Cost: \$25 entry for for members/\$40 Participants

Participant

### Fall Singles Ladder Sept 11th – Dec 12th

Each week a player may challenge or be challenged. Awards are given to 1st and 2nd place finish

Cost \$15 Y Unlimited Member/\$25 YMCA Member

### Middle School Aces/ High School Ace Smashers

4 classes then a league

Monday and Wednesday 4:30pm Starting Sept 11th—Nov 9th

