

# Coaching & Competition Programme



## Inclusivity

The club's coaching programme is open to members and non-members.

## Coach qualifications

Melanie Burn is currently Head Coach at Princes Risborough LTC. She is a licensed Level 3 tennis coach.

Mel is supported by a number of registered coaches during the club's term time coaching programme and holiday camps.

Hazel Brownlee is the club's Junior Organiser, and Welfare Officer. Hazel is a Level 2 tennis coach and assists with the club's coaching programme.

## Juniors

- Year-round, all-inclusive coaching programme, including the following sessions in three full terms:
  - 2 Tots Tennis session per week
  - 3 mini red sessions per week
  - 1 mini orange session per week
  - 1 mini green session per week
  - 3 yellow ball sessions per week
  - 1 yellow balls "Girls-only" session per week
- Holiday camp at Easter - open to members and non-members
- Holiday camp (2 consecutive weeks) in summer holiday - open to members and non-members
- Junior box league as part of coaching sessions
- 3 Boys teams in summer AEGON tennis leagues
- 1 Girls team in summer AEGON tennis leagues
- 14 & Under Boys teams in Road to Wimbledon
- Friendly matches arranged with local clubs for various age groups
- Open Mini-Red and Mini-Orange tournaments at the club
- Adhoc LTA tournaments to coincide with Davis Cup and Grand Slam tournaments
- Junior Club Championship, incorporating:
  - Under 8s, 9s & 10s singles
  - Under 12s singles and doubles
  - Under 14s singles and doubles
  - Under 18s singles and doubles

ALL RESULTS FROM THE ABOVE COMPETITIONS ARE SUBMITTED TO THE LTA TO RECORD AGAINST THE PLAYERS' RATING



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## School Links

ST TERESA'S SCHOOL - Mel is their school tennis coach and coaches the children on a weekly basis for lunchtime tennis club and tennis is part of their PE curriculum from Year 3 to Year 6. The school uses our club's facilities between April and July at an agreed fee.

MONKS RISBOROUGH SCHOOL, PRINCES RISBOROUGH SCHOOL, LONGWICK PRIMARY SCHOOL, GREAT KIMBLE SCHOOL - Mel has a good relationship with these schools and a number of pupils attend our club's coaching programme.

ST MARY'S PRE-SCHOOL, BLEDLOW PRE-SCHOOL, SPEEN PRE-SCHOOL, LONGWICK PRE-SCHOOL, ST TERESA'S PRE\_SCHOOL - Mel has great links with these pre-schools

## Adults

- Rusty rackets for members and non-members on Sunday and Tuesday mornings all year round
- Team coaching for men's and ladies teams
- Internal winter and summer singles box leagues
- Adult club championship incorporating Men's singles, Ladies singles, Men's doubles, Ladies doubles, Mixed doubles
- Social tournaments - Jamison Cup, Kennedy Cup, Mr & Mrs Competition
- Adhoc LTA tournaments to coincide with Davis Cup and Grand Slam tournaments
- Teams in the following competitions:

### SUMMER

- Two men's teams in Bucks County Shield 3 pair
- One ladies team in Bucks County Shield 3 pair; one ladies team in Bucks County Shield 2 pair
- Two men's teams in Aylesbury & District League
- Two ladies teams in Aylesbury & District League
- Two mixed teams in Aylesbury & District League
- One men's team in AEGON team tennis competition

### WINTER

- One men's team in Thames Valley League
- One ladies team in Thames Valley League
- Two men's team in Aylesbury & District League
- One ladies team in Aylesbury & District League
- Two mixed teams in Aylesbury & District League

## Equipment

The club owns all the equipment required for coaching juniors and adults.

