



Newsletter 28 Feb 2022

# TUBBS TURF TIMES

Well despite the recent weather Spring is around the corner so here is an update on the year ahead for Tubbs, membership renewals and dates for the diary. Stay safe all.

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## Membership Renewals—fees due by 1 April please

We are well aware that following Covid and increasing inflation, budgets will be tight and we have therefore reviewed the fees to ensure they remain as low as possible whilst still enabling the costs of maintaining the courts to be covered as much as possible. Sadly our costs are increasing too.

With this in mind the only fees to increase are the family rates by £10. This brings them more into line with the other fees whilst still ensuring they are great value for money for a whole family's membership.

Renewals need to be made from now please and ideally by 1 April as this is the renewal date. The pavilion and court codes will change from 1 May to ensure everyone has paid and has had their payment acknowledged.

If you have any queries about the fees please do get in touch. The membership form is attached to the email.

## Gift Aid option

We are also delighted to be able to offer the opportunity to gift aid any additional voluntary contributions to your membership payment.

Therefore if you would like to top up your fees with a donation we would be very grateful.

To claim the gift aid we need you to tick the box on the membership form which confirms you are a tax payer and you are not getting an-

## Tennis coaching & the Easter Holidays

**We have very exciting news, there is a junior tennis camp available to book at Tubbs Turf from 11—14 April. The timings will be 3.30-5pm, the cost £8.50 per session, or £30 if booking all four sessions, age range 6 to 11. Places will be allocated on a 1st come 1st served basis.**

The tennis coach is Stephen Johnson who lives in Kingswood and coaches at Westonbirt school. His website is westonbirttennis.com.

Stephen Johnson is also available for daytime individual / small private group lessons at a rate of £35 per hour. If interested please contact Stephen directly to check his availability 07967188057 or email is westonbirttenten-

## Garden party & finals day 10 Sept

A date for the diary and an extra special year as 2022 marks the 21st anniversary of Tubbs Turf being renovated and opened in 2001.

We would love to see everyone come along and have a fabulous day with us to celebrate this terrific facility.

Please do let us know of any suggestions for making it an extra special day.

## Important Dates

### Committee meeting

6 April 7.30pm, 4th week in June, 2nd and last week in Aug, 1st wk Sept, 1st wk Oct

### Gardening mornings Sat 10am

16 Apr, 14 May, 11 June, 9 Jul, 3 Sept, 8 Oct

### American Tournaments 2021

21 May, 18 June, 16 July, (provisional 1 Oct, 29 Oct)

### Club sessions 2021

Recommence once light permits

Sun morning tennis 9-12

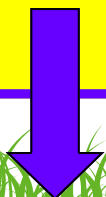
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## Gardening Mornings

These have started and will continue on the 1st Saturday of each month. We are always very appreciative of any help we can get and will be continuing to improve the gardens. This year plans include a new prairie garden and the planting of 3 new trees to replace the ones that had to be cut down for the wall to be repaired by the pavilion.

Do come along at 10am on any of the dates or contact Keith for further details (01453 843301)

## Covid 19 rule changes post 19 July 2021 & court maintenance

We will continue to follow government guidance. Please continue to use the sanitiser provided to protect users as much as possible and leave the pavilion clean when using.

## Tubbs Turf Bunting

Thank you to all the lovely knitters and pom pom makers that have come forward to extend our bunting for this year. Please can you let me know when you have completed them and we can then get them sewn together.

It will be great to see the bunting come together and be ready for both the Queen's Platinum jubilee and then Finals Day to.

## Friends Of Tubbs Turf

We wanted to put together a list of people who wanted to be 'Friends of Tubbs Turf' that don't sit on the committee but are willing to help out when we organize extra activities. If you would like to become a 'FOTT' please email back and we will add you to the list. Thank you.

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