

BASELINE BULLETIN

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Performance Accreditation

Kenilworth Tennis Club has recently gained the prestigious title of becoming a registered LTA Performance Club. This is a substantial feat putting Kenilworth with only seven other clubs in the county to have achieved this accreditation. In brief, Performance Accreditation means that Kenilworth is now linked within the LTA's national performance framework, which provides a route to the top for aspiring young players. Such links provide regular access for the players to a top national coach who can assess a player's talent and help provide the necessary guidance so that the player can fulfill their potential. Furthermore, it entitles the club to a greater pool of funding in order to help develop young, promising players.

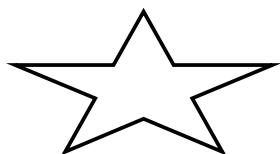
*****NEW TENNIS KIT NOW BEING WORN*****

At last we have a Kenilworth tracksuit of our own. Shinto UK have produced a stunning and unique set of new tracksuits and sweatshirts. These are now available to try on, with an opportunity to purchase. See the Noticeboard for information.

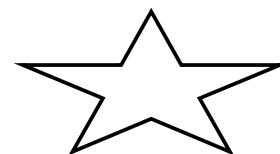
Junior Singles Ladder

The current run is set to finish at the end of August with all still to play for. At the moment Tom Holmes is leading, closely pursued by Holly in 2nd place with Charlie Griffin close on her heels in 3rd. The question still remains however; can Tom retain the title for the 4th consecutive year? Keep track of the action as it unfolds via the Junior Noticeboard.

Baseline Bulletin would like to thank James Roe for all his hard work put into and promoting Kenilworth Tennis Club to its current status. His enthusiasm and commitment to the game has inspired many juniors to become involved in coaching.



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Congratulations

- Congratulations to both Kenilworth's Under 9 team: Daniel Cochrane and James Hennegan and the Under 10 team consisting of Jamie Gibson and Saul Asghar. Both were crowned County Champions last month after coming through hard-hitting matches at Edgbaston Priory Club. Not to be out done, the U10 Girls team, made up of Elysha Amed and Rachel Emerson put in a strong performance to eventually finish a very creditable fourth.
- Continuing the success at the County Championships Kenilworth's Mini Red team consisting of Laura Wilkins, Nicola Jennings, Freddie Davies and Ethan Allies-Proctor put on a splendid show to be crowned U8 County Champs.
- Jamie Gibson produced a superb performance to finish runner up at the Malvern Open Under 10's, beating off strong opposition on his way to the final. Good performances at Malvern also came from James Wilkins and Tom Holmes.
- Well done to Tom Holmes who became Edgy Uppie champion at the DFS Classic with 238 edgy ups!

James Roe provides a good all-round introduction to tennis for all abilities. Following on from the great success of his earlier Junior Tennis Camps, James plans more sessions throughout the coming school holidays. Coaching will be in appropriate age groups. He welcomes enquiries on 07958-278-304.

Dates

9th September – U12 Club Championship Finals
- Autumn Coaching Term begins

15th September – Last Junior Night

22nd September – Junior Forum –see separate sheet for more information.

23rd September – U14 and U18s Finals

20th October – End of season social evening for juniors and parents including trophy presentation and “Fun Awards Ceremony!”

Christmas Parties – Dates and times to be confirmed

Watch the Junior Notice Board for more details.

Alternatively, check out www.kenilworthtennis.co.uk for additional Club information and regular updates.