

CSC MARCH NEWS



Hope you all had a wonderful February and are looking forward to more squash in March.

- Upcoming Events:

A fun US Squash hard ball tournament will be held at UNC Chapel Hill on the weekend of March 28-29. Please check the link below for more details.

<https://clublocker.com/tournaments/11991/info>

- PSA Fall Tournament:

We are excited to announce that we are planning a professional squash tournament at CSC fall 2020. This will be the 4th time for CSC to organize a PSA tournament and we will be able to attract players from the top 50-100 in the world. It would be such a great opportunity for all members and juniors to watch professional players competing at CSC. We are currently looking for sponsors to raise the prize money for the tournament. Please let me know if anyone is interested in sponsoring such a great event.

- Adults Clinics:

We have great clinics for adults (both men and women) and women. Come and join us for the following!

- Adult clinic Saturday 9:30AM - 10:30AM.
- Round Robin Wednesday 6.00PM – 8.00PM. This is for all players and the format is one game in and one game off playing a variety of players.
- Squash Fever Sunday 9:30AM - 11:30AM.
- All are welcome to the special women's clinic on Sunday 2:30PM - 3:30PM, cost is \$38.

- Lessons: (5% off on packages in March - maximum 2 packages)

For adults and juniors, this month is a great time to sign up for some lessons to improve your game - available for all levels! Organize a friend or small group.

Lessons are filling up fast - Please sign up soon to be able to get your desired time slot to fit your schedule.

- Juniors/Schools:

We are very happy and proud of our chosen Junior of the Month in February, Shane Talbot, for winning his first Junior tournament in Charlottesville, Virginia. Shane has been working really hard these last couple of months, including lessons, clinics and solo practicing.

Currently, we have a group of 5th and 6th graders from Country Day School who started their Spring Program on Mondays from 4:45PM - 5:45PM. For more details contact Amr.

Charlotte Prep School started their Spring Program this month also, and they are practicing every Tuesday and Thursday from 4:30PM - 5:30PM.

Charlotte Latin School Program is currently running on Sundays, please contact Amr for more details.

We also currently have a group of CCDS HS girls attending 3 days a week, for details contact coach Ahmed.

We are very happy to announce that the Charlotte Prep School grades 7 and 8 will be doing their PE classes at CSC in April and May.

We have a Juniors Round Robin available Fridays at 3:45PM. All welcome, please let Coach Ahmed know you are planning to come! Cost \$10 pp.

- Summer Camps:

Summer camp weeks are announced. Sign up now to reserve your spots.

We will offer several weekly camps during summer, starting the week of June 8th running weekly through August 28th. (Please see the flyer for summer camps.)

Connie will be taking a group of juniors to Australia, contact Connie for details.

To sign up for summer camps please see the link below and send Amr back the receipts.

<http://charlottesquash.com/juniors-program/summer-camps/>

- Junior of the Month: (Zach Lu)

Zach competed last month in the elite top 32 in the country tournament (JCT) in Baltimore. He played his best ever squash, beating top players in the country to place in the top 13. Zach lost in his last match to the #6 ranked in the country 3/2 in a thriller match that lasted for over an hour. Zach is currently practicing 6 days a week and getting ready for his most important tournament of the season this month, the US Nationals in Charlottesville, Virginia. We wish him good luck.

- Member of the Month: (Geoff Roper)

Geoff competed this weekend in a skill level tournament in New York and placed 3rd. Geoff is currently taking huge steps towards his goal this year of the World Masters in Poland. Geoff is currently working really hard on an intense program of lessons, clinics and fitness and getting ready for the US Masters at the end of this month in Washington DC. We all wish him good luck.

After placing 3rd in the tournament Geoff said "The last month of training has really helped my overall court fitness and agility. I'm able to work points much better now and get to balls I struggled to get to before".

- New Members:

Please welcome our latest member added to the CSC family:

* Shweta Bhargava Family

Thank you to everyone for supporting our club.

Regards,

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