

Wilson

JUNIOR OPEN TENNIS TOURNAMENT

hosted by
WHITEHALL LAWN TENNIS CLUB
Larkshall Road, Chingford, London, E4

**MONDAY 7th APRIL to
SATURDAY 12th APRIL 2008**

Sponsored by
WILSON SPORTING GOODS COMPANY LIMITED

Events: 21/U Mens & Ladies Singles
18/U, 16/U, 14/U, 12/U, 10/U Boys & Girls Singles
8/U Boys & Girls Mini Tennis

HON. TOURNAMENT SECRETARY:
Mr. J. D. Roust
56 Lambourne Gardens, Chingford, London, E4 7SG
Tel: 020 8529 3864

ENTRIES CLOSE SATURDAY, 22nd MARCH 2008

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Hickman Avenue, Larkshall Road, Chingford, London, E4 9JG
Telephone number during the Tournament 0775 198 9939

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PROSPECTUS & RULES

1. This Tournament is approved by the Essex County Lawn Tennis Association and has been sanctioned by the Lawn Tennis Association. It will be conducted under the present rules of Lawn Tennis and Rules and Regulations of the Lawn Tennis Association, including the L.T.A. Code of Conduct.
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TOURNAMENT REFEREE: Mr. G. Abbott

TOURNAMENT COMMITTEE: Messrs. G. Abbott, J. Roust, M. Buck, J. Burr, C. Dunstone,
A. Jones. Mesdames V. Abbott, C. Erics, J. Knight.
3. All competitors are required to send a STAMPED ADDRESSED ENVELOPE for notification of their first match. (This notification will also serve as a receipt for Entry Money). If such notification is not received by Tuesday 1st April 2008, please contact the Tournament Director (Tel: 020 8529 3864).

Competitors should be ready to play on other days at times and dates as instructed by the Referee.
Competitors absent when called upon to play may be scratched.

To avoid congestion, Finals of Events 11 & 12 will commence 2pm onwards Friday 11th April.
Finals of all other events, including plate matches, will commence 9am onwards Saturday 12th April.

4. Events 1 and 2 are open to players born 1987 or later.
Events 3 and 4 are open to players born 1990 or later.
Events 5 and 6 are open to players born 1992 or later.
Events 7 and 8 are open to players born 1994 or later.
Events 9 and 10 are open to players born 1996 or later.
Events 11 and 12 are open to players born 1998 or later.
Events 13 and 14 are open to players born 2000 or later.

Event 1: Mens Singles	21 and under.	Event 8: Girls Singles	14 and under.
Event 2: Ladies Singles	21 and under.	Event 9: Boys Singles	12 and under.
Event 3: Boys Singles	18 and under.	Event 10: Girls Singles	12 and under.
Event 4: Girls Singles	18 and under.	Event 11: Boys Singles	10 and under.
Event 5: Boys Singles	16 and under.	Event 12: Girls Singles	10 and under.
Event 6: Girls Singles	16 and under.	Event 13: Boys Mini Tennis	8 and under.
Event 7: Boys Singles	14 and under.	Event 14: Girls Mini Tennis	8 and under.

PLAYERS MAY ENTER TWO EVENTS

21/U, 16/U, 12/U Events commence Monday 7th April. 18/U, 14/U Events commence Tuesday 8th April.
To ensure smooth running of the Tournament, exceptions will not be allowed.

Mini Tennis will be played on Monday 7th April, at St. Annes Church Hall, 200b Larkshall Road, Chingford, E4 6NP.

Prizes will be presented for each event.

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ENTRY FORM

		<i>Entrance fees</i>	<i>Enclosed fees</i>
MENS SINGLES	21 and under	£8.50
BOYS SINGLES	18 and under	£8.50
BOYS SINGLES	16 and under	£8.00	.....
BOYS SINGLES	14 and under	£7.50	.....
BOYS SINGLES	12 and under	£7.50	.....
BOYS SINGLES	10 and under	£6.00	.....
LADIES SINGLES	21 and under	£8.50	.....
GIRLS SINGLES	18 and under	£8.50	.....
GIRLS SINGLES	16 and under	£8.00	.....
GIRLS SINGLES	14 and under	£7.50	.....
GIRLS SINGLES	12 and under	£7.50	.....
GIRLS SINGLES	10 and under	£6.00	.....
BOYS MINI TENNIS	8 and under	£6.00	.....
GIRLS MINI TENNIS	8 and under	£6.00	.....
Administration fee and copy of the Programme		£2.00	..... 2 - 00..
		TOTAL £	_____

EVERY COMPETITOR IN A SINGLES EVENT OF A L.T.A. OFFICIAL TOURNAMENT SHALL BE A MEMBER OF THE L.T.A. MEMBERSHIP SCHEME AND HAVE A CURRENT RATING, EXCEPT THAT THIS SHALL NOT APPLY TO 10 AND UNDER EVENTS.

Competitors in 10 and under events should quote membership number and rating if they have one, as all best of three sets will be processed by the L.T.A. Computer.

COMPETITOR'S DETAILS (PLEASE WRITE IN CAPITAL LETTERS)

Name..... Date of Birth.....

Address.....

Telephone (Home)..... (Mobile).....

L.T.A. Registered Number..... Expiry Date..... L.T.A. Rating.....

1. Doping Statement: I consent to him/her participating in doping control procedures if selected, undertaken by an independent sampling officer (ISO) appointed by UK Sport.

2. Media Statement: I consent to him/her being involved in any publicity connected with LTA Staged Tournaments, including media interviews, photographs and TV footage. Please inform the tournament organiser if you do not wish him/her to be involved in publicity.

3. LTA Advantage Club Membership record: I consent to the details provided on this entry form to be used to update the LTA Advantage Club Membership record of the person identified.

4. Data Usage Statement: I consent to the LTA and/or LTA Sanctioned Tournament Organisers, from my geographical area, using the details provided on the entry form to communicate information about this and future tournaments, in my geographical area, via post/email or SMS.

I have read the Rules and will conform with the said Prospectus.

SIGNATURE OF PARENT OR GUARDIAN.....

I enclose cheque/p.o. value £..... (crossed and payable to WHITEHALL L.T.C.)

Please return completed Entry Form, payment and a STAMPED ADDRESSED ENVELOPE (1st class) to: MR. J. D. ROUST, 56 LAMBOURNE GARDENS, CHINGFORD, LONDON, E4 7SG

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5. Entries should be made on the form accompanying this Prospectus and must be delivered on or before Saturday 22nd March 2008 (by 6pm), to the Hon. Tournament Secretary and must be accompanied by the appropriate fee, made payable to WHITEHALL L.T.C.

A first class stamped & addressed envelope must be enclosed for your first match notification.

Any player withdrawing from the Tournament after the closing date for entries, must notify the Hon. Tournament Secretary in writing as all withdrawals have to be reported to the L.T.A..

6. Events 1 to 10 shall be the best of three sets with a tie-break being played at six games all, in all sets. Finals on Saturday 12th April.
Events 11 & 12 Round Robin, to be played on Thursday 10th April in the morning starting at 9am, thereafter quarter finals in the afternoon. Semi-finals and final on Friday 11th April.
Events 13 & 14 Mini Tennis will be played on Monday 7th April.
7. Competitors should inform the Referee before leaving the ground at any time. Any player not available for play within 30 minutes of being called may be scratched
8. Recognised tennis clothing and non-marking rubber soled tennis shoes must be worn. In early Spring court surfaces may be wet, competitors are advised to wear shoes that are suitable for playing on porous Macadam courts in the prevailing weather conditions.
9. Complaints in connection with the Tournament must be made in writing and will be dealt with according to LTA Tournament Regulations 3.10 Complaints.
10. The following persons shall be ineligible to serve on the Committee of, or manage or compete in the Tournament:
(a) Persons whose rights to compete have been suspended by the Council of the L.T.A. - any Tournament.
11. Competitors must report to the Referee's table on arrival each day. Competitors who are absent when called upon to play are liable to be scratched at the discretion of the Referee.
12. **Powers of the Committee and Referee:** Any competitor guilty of bad court behaviour - such as swearing on court, racquet throwing, displays of violent temper, unsportsmanlike actions, bringing the game into disrepute, may be suspended or disqualified by the Referee and Tournament Committee (L.T.A. Code of Conduct applies). Their decision shall be final.
13. The Committee reserve the right to alter or modify the programme and conditions in any way they think fit, subject to compliance with the Rules and Regulations of the L.T.A.
14. Competitors may request an Umpire to be provided, prior to or during the course of a match.
Competitors are expected to umpire when requested to do so.
15. Refreshments will be available throughout the Tournament.
16. Competitors and Parents/Guardians will become temporary members of the Club for the week, but the Club cannot accept any liability for the loss of personal property and recommends that in your own interests you should insure your property.
17. In all matters appertaining to the conduct of the competition, the Referee's decision will be final.
18. Sponsorship of the Tournament is by the "WILSON SPORTING GOODS COMPANY LIMITED".
"WILSON TENNIS BALLS" will be used throughout the Tournament.
19. An L.T.A. National Ratings Card must be produced when signing in at the Tournament.

ALL COMPETITORS ARE EXPECTED TO HAVE READ THESE RULES