MATCH POINT

July, 2008: Kyle says "no monsoons this year!

July tournament report:
Serving as a tournament director for the 3rd summer in a row, Kyle Bohm (pictured above) once again did a great job at the desk. While we did get a bit of wind several times, the monsoons did stay away from the Tennis Center during the tournament. Kyle received help covering the desk from Art and Nancy Halley as well as Rob Uhl. Snacks for the tournament were ice cream bars and the prizes were gift certificates for the Olive Garden, which I believe can also be used at a few other restaurants per the wording on the back. With the points earned this month, Linda Smith moves to the A's. Our thanks to all who helped make this tournament a success and congratulations to Linda!

New members this month: Welcome to all!
Note: Phone numbers available on our website.

A Men:	Doug Bleckner	Joe Martinez
	Stuart McNicol	German Moreno
	Bruce Mowery*	Thien Ngo*
	Ryan Richert	Joseph Silberman*
	Clay Taylor	Ian Wingfield
B Woman:	Pat Cleveland	

Note: Those with an asterisk above, plus A Ladies Jennifer Understahl and Janell Weihs joined too late to include in the roster. Please add their names.

Special time requests

If you would like Friday or Saturday night off for a night tournament or Saturday morning/afternoon off for a day tournament, please include a request with your entry. We can usually accommodate if we know ahead of time. Mixed doubles (A's/B's) may be the exception.

Match Point Announcements

"Tournament entry forms & other news on insert"

☺ ☺ ☺ ☺ ☺ ☺ ☺ ☺ ☺ ☺ ☺ ☺ ☺ ☺ ☺ ☺ ☺

August 22, 23, & 24: LOD Mixed Doubles

Entry deadline August 16th
Entry fee: $15 in advance, $18 at the desk
2008/2009 dues must be paid to play
Entry form on insert and also on our website

☺ ☺ ☺ ☺ ☺ ☺ ☺ ☺ ☺ ☺ ☺ ☺ ☺ ☺ ☺ ☺ ☺

September 26, 27 & 28: LOD Doubles

Entry deadline September 20th
Entry fee: *$15 in advance, $18 at the desk*
2008/2009 dues must be paid to play
Entry form on insert and soon on our website

☺ ☺ ☺ ☺ ☺ ☺ ☺ ☺ ☺ ☺ ☺ ☺ ☺ ☺ ☺ ☺ ☺

2009 Rosters have been distributed

New rosters (white cover) have now been distributed to all members paid through 3/09. If you did not receive yours at the tournament desk or by mail since, please call or email Gale.

☺ ☺ ☺ ☺ ☺ ☺ ☺ ☺ ☺ ☺ ☺ ☺ ☺ ☺ ☺ ☺ ☺

$15 Entry Fee now applicable year round

This month, the MP board voted to make the entry fee for day tournaments the same as for nights. As a result, the entry fee for all regular tournaments in the future will be $15 in advance/$18 at the desk.

☺ ☺ ☺ ☺ ☺ ☺ ☺ ☺ ☺ ☺ ☺ ☺ ☺ ☺ ☺ ☺ ☺

2008 "Invite a guest" tournament

The Match Point Board has selected the November CYOP Doubles as this year's "guest" tournament. "Guests" must play with a current MP member. November has traditionally been our Bar-B-Q lunch and one of the most popular of the year.

☺ ☺ ☺ ☺ ☺ ☺ ☺ ☺ ☺ ☺ ☺ ☺ ☺ ☺ ☺ ☺ ☺

Need the Logon/Password for Member's info?

The special feature to provide members with the current Logon and Password to access member's info (phone and some email addresses) has been fixed. If you don't recall the current Logon and/or Password, submit your email address where indicated and receive an email by return with that info. If you have more than one email address, you must submit the one you gave us to use.

Web Site: http://www.mptennis.us

A LADIES FINAL – July, 2008

Final: Praewchanok Chaiyanan & Yuka Shoji (1) def.
Lisa Milbrath & Tracey Kiest (2) 3-6, 7-6_2, 6-4
Semi: Praewchanok Chaiyanan & Yuka Shoji (1) def.
Sally Bruso & Barbara Ebbert 6-0, 6-3
Semi: Lisa Milbrath & Tracey Kiest (2) def.
Jennifer Understahl & Janell Weihs 6-3, 6-0

B LADIES FINAL – July, 2008

Final: Kellie Cardoza & Corinna Repucci (2) def.
Kate Waite & Barbara White 6-2, 6-3
Semi: Kellie Cardoza & Corinna Repucci (2) def.
Linda Smith & Beverly Jenkins 6-4, 6-1
Semi: Kate Waite & Barbara White def.
Pam Kinney & Pat Cleveland (1) 6-3, 4-6, 6-3

C LADIES FINAL – July, 2008

Final: Lainie Penny & Susan Fassett def.
Sylvia Vielma & Jamie Malkiewicz (2) 4-6, 7-6, ret.
Semi: Lainie Penny & Susan Fassett def.
Nancy Baker & Nancy Halley (1) 3-6, 7-6, 6-2
Semi: Sylvia Vielma & Jamie Malkiewicz (2) def.
Susan Flynn & Janet Fee 6-0, 6-2

A LADIES CONSOLATION – July, 2008

Final: Nancy Beffel & Marilyn Zindel def.
Heidi Gottschalk & Charo Deglane 6-4, 6-3

B LADIES CONSOLATION – July, 2008

Final: Debra Woods & Kim McConville def.
Dolly Triviz & Elizabeth Stone 6-4, 6-3

C LADIES CONSOLATION – July, 2008

Final: Sarah Tyler & Laura Morneau def.
Nancy Baker & Nancy Halley (1) 7-6, 6-2

A MEN FINAL – July, 2008

Final: Ryan Richert & Dane McNeill (2) def.
Joe Martinez & Clay Taylor (1) 6-7_8, 6-4, 7-6_4
Semi: Ryan Richert & Dane McNeill (2) def.
Keith Cahill & Stu McNicol (3) 6-1, 2-6, 6-2
Semi: Joe Martinez & Clay Taylor (1) def.
Randy Blanchard & Thien Ngo (4) 6-3, 6-7_5, 6-4

A MEN CONSOLATION – July, 2008

Final: Nilo Baylon & Wayne Ricks def.
Dick Sheldon & Allen Tiongco 6-3, 3-6, 7-6_4

B MEN FINAL – July, 2008

Final: Jack Berton & Tom Campbell (3) def.
Wayne Shuart & Peter Tan (1) 6-3, 6-0
Semi: Jack Berton & Tom Campbell (3) def.
Ken Steinwandel & John King (2) 6-3, 6-2
Semi: Wayne Shuart & Peter Tan (1) def.
Roger Johnson & Phil Gekas (4) 7-5, 4-6, 7-5

B MEN CONSOLATION – July, 2008

Final: John Bowen & Adam Lindsey def.
Tim Blaser & Dan Skultety 3-6, 6-4, 6-2

C MEN 1ST & 2ND PLACES – July, 2008

Four team round-robin:
1st: John Chapman & Larry Cleaves
2nd: Joseph Eddie & Farooqui
3rd: Rada Plesinger & Will Schreiber
Decisive match: John Chapman & Larry Cleaves def.
Joseph Eddie & Farooqui 7-6_7, 6-3

C MEN 3RD PLACE MATCH – July, 2008

Decisive match: Rada Plesinger & Will Schreiber def.
Bud Tyler & Reigh Tuazon 6-0, 6-3

LOD MIXED DOUBLES (2008/2009 dues must be paid to play in this tournament)

Date: **August 22-23-24**
Night tournament
Location: Phoenix Tennis Center
6330 N 21st Avenue
Phoenix, AZ
Director: TBD
Chairman: Dave German

Entry fee: **$15 per person ($18 at the desk)**
Deadline: **August 16th**
Send entry & fee (payable to Match Point) to:
Gale Kristof
6246 N 34th Ave
Phoenix, AZ 85017
(602) 973-1135

Name: _____ A B C Name: _____ A B C
Name: _____ A B C Name: _____ A B C

August LOD Mixed Doubles (night)

LOD DOUBLES (2008/2009 dues must be paid to play in this tournament)

Date: **September 26-27-28**
Night tournament
Location: Phoenix Tennis Center
6330 N 21st Avenue
Phoenix, AZ
Director: Mike Locher
Chairman: Dave German

Entry fee: **$15 per person ($18 at the desk)**
Deadline: **September 20th**
Send entry & fee (payable to Match Point) to:
Gale Kristof
6246 N 34th Ave
Phoenix, AZ 85017
(602) 973-1135

Name: _____ A B C Name: _____ A B C
Name: _____ A B C Name: _____ A B C

September LOD Doubles (night)

Year-to-date High Point Leaders (through July)

AM	McNeill (340), McKenzie, Peck, Sims, & Richert (all @ 100)
AW	Shoji (260), Milbrath (170), Chaiyanan (130)
BM	Renner (225), Shuart (160), Campbell (150), Haasis (150)
BW	Repuci (240), LeWin (185), Smith (170)
CM	Eddie (220), Farooqui (180), Chapman (160), Yonan (160)
CW	Barnes (230), Penny (210), Malkiewicz (150), Vielma (150)

Anyone need a dues form? **Hint: for a new member**

Since only paid-up members are receiving this month's newsletter, there didn't seem much need to include a dues form. If you should need one, you can get one by going to our website, click on "How to Join" link, scroll down to "To join", and click on join to print one.

Match Point is in need of a portable gas bar-b-que grill for the November tournament. If you have one we might use, pls. call Dave @ 602-938-5015 or Gale @ 602-973-1135. Thanks

Note: The following has been included based on questions & comments at the desk in recent months.

Match Point Tournament Desk Rules (page 10 of the roster)

#6. TEN MINUTE warm up. Please observe this rule.
#7. All practice serves are to be taken during the warm up period - not after match play has started.
#9. Play is CONTINUOUS - a short (five minute) break is permitted between the second and third sets.
#10. Injury time out is not to exceed five minutes total.
#12. Rest time between matches is to be limited to thirty minutes if courts are available and the scheduled match time has passed.

Match Point Tournament Participation Guide (page 6 of the roster)

#34. Unless otherwise stated in the MPTC governing rules, USTA rules for match play shall apply.

USTA Rules of Tennis covering CONTINUOUS PLAY (section 29)

As a principle, play should be continuous, from the time the match starts until the match finishes.

a. Between points, a maximum of 20 seconds is allowed. When the players change ends at the end of a game, a maximum of 90 seconds are allowed. However, after the first game of each set and during a tie-break game, play shall be continuous and the players shall change ends without a rest.
At the end of each set there shall be a set break of a maximum of 120 seconds.

c. No extra time shall be allowed a player to recover condition. However, a player suffering from a treatable medical condition may be allowed one medical time-out of 3 minutes for treatment of that medical condition. A limited number of toilet/change of attire breaks may also be allowed if this is announced in advance of the event.

Gale Kristof
6246 N 34th Ave
Phoenix, AZ 85017-1401

FIRST CLASS MAIL

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
AUGUST LOD MIXED					1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16 ***Entry deadline***
17 **Draw Night!** **Call your rep** **for details.** **ALL WELCOME!**	18	19	20	21	22 **LOD Mixed**	23 **LOD Mixed**
24 **LOD Mixed**	25	**26--MP Bd Mtg** Kristof's 7:30 PM Call rep for details **ALL WELCOME!**	27	28	29	30

September 25-28
LOD Doubles (night)