MATCH POINT

February 2008 – Rain delay, once again!

February tournament report:
For the third consecutive month, the courts were wet Saturday morning. But, Dave German & his squeegee crew took charge and had the courts ready for play with only a minimum delay. Tournament directors Beverly Cassata & Marge Threewit, with help from Dave on Sunday, put in long hours at the desk and did a super job. With everyone's help & cooperation, we had a great weekend of tennis. Our thanks to all! Prizes were gift certificates for Applebee's Restaurant. Saturday snacks were sandwiches, candy and cookies and on Sunday bananas and candy. Congratulations to Heather Seller who moves to the A's with her win.

New members this month: Welcome to all!
Note: Phone numbers available on our web-site.
AM: Keith Cahill, Dan Cordova, Eddie Fuentes, Nick McCoola
AW: Dayna Guizetti, Pam Hoffecker, Aide' Meraz, April Yarmus
BM: Ralph Adkins, Judge Allen
BW: Christine Tiano
CM: John Chapman, Joseph Eddie, Lou Fera, Jim McClain, Tristan Schultz, Dan Wright
CW: Carmin Robinson

General Announcements:
1.Through an oversight, we forgot to post the draw this month at Paseo. No one complained, so call Gale if it's still needed. If no one calls, we'll stop posting there.
2. Just a reminder not to leave any valuables visible in your car when parking at the Tennis or Adult Center. There is still an occasional problem with break-ins.

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

Match Point Announcements
"Entry forms and details on the insert & page 3"
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March 15-16: Singles
Entry deadline: *Saturday, March 8*
Last chance to earn points this MP year
Check our website to see who's entered
Entry form inside and on our website
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March 29-30: Annual Mtg & Fun Tournament
Mark this weekend on your calendar
Non-members & guests welcome
Entry deadline: *Saturday, March 22*
See insert for entry form and details
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April 19-20: LOD Mixed Doubles
First tournament of our new year
2008/2009 dues must be paid to play
Entry form inside and soon on our website
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2008/2009 Dues Renewal Form Inside
Dues *must be paid* to play in April tournament
Check newsletter label to see if yours are due
If it has "2009 Member", you are OK
If it has "Dues due", it's time to pay
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E-mail will announce availability on our web-site
Easy to access and/or print
Join the 100+ members who've already switched
Let Dave or your rep know you want E News!
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Check out the website for these new features
☺ **Starting this month, draws posted in jpg and pdf**
☺ **List of tournament entries, updated regularly**
☺ **Forget the login or password? No problem, submit email address & get them by return email**
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New entry fees for night tournaments
The Match Point board voted to increase entry fees for night tournaments to $15 in advance & $18 at the desk, starting with the May, 2008 tournament.

A FINAL – February, 2008

Final: Guizetti & McNeill def. Romero & Cahill 1-6, 6-2, 7-6_5
Semi: Dayna Guizetti & Dane McNeill (1) def.
Yuka Combs & Joe Johnson (3) 7-5, 4-6, 7-5
Semi: Diana Romero & Keith Cahill (2) def.
Kim Dever & Bob Straub (4) 6-2, 6-2

A CONSOLATION – February, 2008

Final: Rhonda Rommel & Jeff Hoekstra def.
Charo Deglane & Paul Harbinson 6-3, 6-4

Note: MP is in need of a photographer to take these pictures. Call or email Allen Tiongco if interested.
Phone: 623-561-0815 Email: ationgco@gmail.com

B FINAL – February, 2008

Final: Seller & O'Connell def. Taylor & Scott 6-3, 4-6, 6-2
Semi: Heather Seller & Patrick O'Connell (7) def.
Linda Renner & George Renner (5) walkover
Semi: Anne Taylor & Gary Scott (2) def.
Sophia Cali & Mark Medley (6) 7-5, 4-6, 6-2

B CONSOLATION – February, 2008

Final: Beverly Jenkins & Mike Locher def.
Diane Tasev & Bradley Smith 6-0, 6-7_5, 6-4

Note: MP is in need of B and C Womens' reps.
Call or email Allen Tiongco for details or to volunteer.
Phone: 623-561-0815 Email: ationgco@gmail.com

C FINAL – February, 2008

Final: Waite & Roth def. Chapman & Mejia 6-2, 6-4
Semi: Kate Waite & Pat Roth (5) def.
Heidi Elliott & Gay King 6-2, 6-2
Semi: John Chapman & Susie Mejia (6) def.
Susan Flynn & Gary Bell 6-2, 6-0

C CONSOLATION – February, 2008

Final: Rosemary Henderson & Don Henderson (3) def.
Colleen Romanowicz & Joseph Eddie 6-1, 4-6, 7-6_4

MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL FORM for April, 2008 through March, 2009 (must be paid to play in April)

Send $20/member to Gale Kristof 6246 N 34th Ave Phoenix, AZ 85017

Make checks payable to Match Point Tennis Club - OK to combine with entry check

	1st Member	2nd Member
Division:	AM AW BM BW CM CW	AM AW BM BW CM CW
Name:		
Address:		
Home phone:[1]		
Work phone:[1]		
Cell phone:[1]		
E-mail:[2]		

Note 1: Our database has space for 2 phone numbers. Include the 2 numbers you want to use.
Note 2: All emails sent "blind copies" to protect your privacy as best we can.

MATCH POINT SINGLES

Date: **March 15-16, 2008**
Day tournament
Location: Phoenix Tennis Center
6330 N 21st Avenue
Phoenix, AZ
Director: Pat Roth
Chairman: Dave German

Entry fee: $12 per person ($15 at the desk)
Deadline: **March 8th**
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

March Singles

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

Date: **April 19-20, 2008**
Day tournament
Location: Phoenix Tennis Center
6330 N 21st Avenue
Phoenix, AZ
Director: T.B.D.
Chairman: Dave German

Entry fee: $12 per person ($15 at the desk)
Deadline: **April 12th**
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
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April LOD Mixed Doubles

YTD Point Leaders
(one month to go)
AM: Dane McNeill
AW: Diana Romero
BM: Jack Bruso
BW: Nancy Beffel
CM: Rob Uhl
CW: Aileen Weir

What if partners disagree on a call? The answer can be found in The Code, The Tennis Players' Guide for Unofficiated Matches (rulings dictated by custom and tradition). Cont'd….
"If doubles partners disagree about whether their opponents' ball was out, they shall call it **good**. It is more important to give your opponents the benefit of the doubt than to avoid possibly hurting your partner's feelings by not overruling. The tactful way to achieve the desired result is to tell your partner quietly of the mistake and let your partner concede the point. **If a call is changed from out to good, the point is replayed only if the ball that was called out was put back in play."**

Let's start our 43rd year with some fun!

Sign up for the tennis & lunch on March 29/30

See insert for complete details

Invite some friends to check out Match Point!

Non-members & guests welcome

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

FIRST CLASS MAIL

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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2	3	4	5	6	7	8 ***March Singles entry deadline*** Sign Up
9 **Draw Night! Call your rep for details. ALL WELCOME!**	10	11	12	13	14	15 **Singles**
16 **Singles**	17	**18-MP Bd Mtg** Kristof's Call rep for details **ALL WELCOME!**	19	20	21	22 ***"Fun" Tournament*** Sign Up
23 30	24 31	25	26	27	28	29 ***Mixed Dbls. Scramble & Annual Meeting***

Match Point Tennis Club "Spring Mixer"

What? Annual Meeting & "Fun" Tournament (details below)

When? Saturday, March 29th & Sunday, March 30th

Where? Phoenix Tennis Center

Who? Members and non-members, so invite a friend

Why? Have some fun, socialize, and play some tennis

Saturday events:	9 A.M. – 12	Mixed Doubles Scramble #1
	12 – 1:30 P.M.	Lunch, Awards & Recognition
	1:30 – 4:30	Mixed Doubles Scramble #2
Sunday event:	9 A.M. – 12	Mixed Doubles Scramble #3

Mixed Doubles Scramble Format: (same for each session)
Limited to 24 teams per session, 8 A's, 8 B's and 8 C's (enter alone/together)
Match Point membership not required, so invite a friend (must be 18 to play)
Scramble format: switching partners and opponents throughout session

Cost: $20 per person for lunch on Saturday and two tennis sessions
$15 per person for lunch and one Saturday tennis session
$10 per person for lunch only
$ 5 per person for the Sunday morning tennis session

Note: ***Play in multiple sessions may be limited based on number of entries received.***

Registration Form: (mail to Gale Kristof @ 6246 N 34th Ave, Phoenix, AZ 85017)

Match Point Annual Meeting & "Fun" Tournament

Dates: Saturday, March 29th and Sunday, March 30th **Location: Phoenix Tennis Center**
Open to members and non-members **Deadline: Saturday, March 22nd**
Lunch: Chicken parmesan, salad, & toasted bread (Vegetarian lunch will be a larger salad, no chicken)

Activities:	# of people	Amount
Two Mixed Doubles Sessions plus lunch @ $20 each	_____	_____
One Mixed Doubles Saturday Session plus lunch @ $15 each	_____	_____ check here___
Lunch only @ $10 each	_____	_____ for vegetarian
Sunday morning Mixed Doubles Session @ $5 each	_____	_____
	Total due:	_____

Participants: If playing tennis, circle preferred session(s). Include division for non-members.

Note: Individual tennis sessions will be filled on a first come, first serve basis.

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