

A woman with her hair in a bun is shown in profile, smiling and holding a large, ornate silver tennis trophy. The background is a soft, out-of-focus grey.

TENNIS EVENTS CALENDAR

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2019



**EDGBASTON
PRIORY CLUB**

MEMBER EVENTS

SUNDAY - FEBRUARY 3RD 10AM START

Doubles Coaching Workshop with Louis Cayer

Louis Cayer described as 'the best doubles coach in the world' has been part of the British Davis Cup and Fed Cup coaching team, and has been very influential in Jamie Murray's success. This is a great opportunity to learn from the best. There will be an oncourt clinic for adults and juniors and a presentation to follow. Cost £45.

TUESDAY - MAR 5TH 7PM START

Tennis AGM

We are looking forward to seeing you at the 2019 Tennis AGM in the clubhouse function room. Agenda to follow in January.

SUNDAY - MARCH 24TH 10AM START

Edgbaston Priory Mixed Doubles Indoor Open

A new event for members in 2019. Join in a competitive doubles tournament against pairings from our own and other clubs in the region. Up to 30 pairs will compete for a trophy, cash and other prizes. Cost of entry £20 per couple (£10 pp.). Suitable for players at box league and team representative level.

SATURDAY - APRIL 13TH

Captains Day - 1pm start / Wimbledon Ballot - 4:30pm start

We are giving Captains' Day a bit of a twist this year. Come down at 1pm to celebrate the start of the tennis season and play some doubles tennis with friends old and new until 4pm. At 4:30pm the Wimbledon Ballot will start in the ITC followed by a BBQ on the events lawn. Those not attending the Wimbledon Ballot are welcome to continue playing tennis until 5pm and then join us in the bar. Cost to register for Captains' Day £3. Suitable for all levels.

SATURDAY - MAY 18TH 1PM START

Victor Sharpe

An afternoon of doubles tennis changing partners every 20 minutes with points allocated according to games won. The highest scores play off in a doubles final for the Victor Sharpe Trophy. Cost to register £3. Suitable for all levels.

SUNDAY - JULY 14TH 10AM START

Wimbledon Finals Day / St Marys Hospice

A morning of doubles tennis followed by lunch in

the function room watching the Men's Wimbledon Final. Raffles and other fundraising throughout the day. Please join us and have a great day raising a lot of money for a very deserving charity - St Mary's Hospice. Cost tbc. Suitable for all levels.

SUNDAY - AUGUST 11TH 12PM START

Cream Tea & Prosecco partners & family afternoon

A fun afternoon of tennis and refreshments on grass courts 23-26. Centre court will be open (weather permitting) from midday on a first registered basis so when this event opens for registration at reception book early to avoid disappointment. Non tennis playing partners & family members are welcome to use the pool and other leisure facilities. Refreshments will be available during the day. Cost to register £5. Suitable for all levels.

SATURDAY - SEPTEMBER 7TH

Club Championships Finals Day - 10am start for tennis finals / 7:30pm till late for tennis party.

Let's make Club Championships a fantastic event in our calendar. The finals will be played between 10am and 4pm followed by a themed party starting at 7pm using the clubhouse, pool patio and events lawn. Club champions will be presented with their trophies, music, food, drinks and great company... can it get any

better... it's up to you, 150 people will make it a night to remember. Cost to register tbc.

SATURDAY - SEPTEMBER 28TH 1PM START

Memorial Tournament

A fun afternoon of social competition. Your partner will be drawn on the day and sets are played on a handicap system. The highest scores play off in a final for the Memorial Trophy. Cost to register £3. Suitable for all levels.

SATURDAY - NOVEMBER 16TH 7:30PM TILL LATE

Tennis Awards Dinner

Join us to celebrate team and club successes at our annual tennis dinner. All members welcome to join the dinner and after party.

SATURDAY - DECEMBER 14TH 1PM START

Christmas Festive Tournament

Come decked in your finest Christmas tennis gear to enjoy a couple of sets of social tennis. A prize will be offered to the 'fanciest dressed' pair. Cost to register £3. Suitable for all levels.

EXTERNAL EVENTS

MARCH 1ST - 3RD U18 County Cup

Four counties compete over one weekend as part of the U18 County Cup.

MARCH 11TH - 16TH British Tour

See some of the top British tennis players in action in the Indoor Tennis Centre. All members welcome to watch from the viewing balcony.

JUNE 15TH - 23RD Nature Valley Classic

The Nature Valley Classic is a women's tournament that attracts world class players from around the world to compete in both singles and doubles matches, with the ladies' singles winner lifting the famous Maud Watson Trophy.

JUNE 25TH - 26TH

IC Match 2019

The International Club of GB compete against the International Club of Belgium.

AUGUST 18TH - 23RD

Edgbaston Priory Open (EPC players may enter)

SEPT 14TH & 15TH

Babolat Cup

National U12 tournament attracting the country's brightest young stars.

NOVEMBER 11TH - 16TH British Tour Nov 11 - 16

NOVEMBER 22ND - 24TH LTA Winter County Cup

Background to the LTA event schedule and court allocation

In consideration for the contribution to the build of the Indoor Tennis Centre the club entered into a tournament staging agreement with the Lawn Tennis Association ("LTA"). Without the financial support of the LTA the Indoor Tennis Centre would not have been built.

This agreement commits the club to provide facilities for one or two major tournaments in any one year, as well team tournaments and other LTA events. It became effective in 2011, and remains in force for 99 years.

The tournaments highlighted in green form part of the Staging Agreement as detailed below:

1. The LTA is entitled to exclusive use of the grass courts for up to 14 days for the Classic with an option of an additional 7 days should another major grass court tournament be staged.
2. The LTA can also stage tournaments in the ITC for up to a maximum of 28 playing days per annum.

CLUB FIXTURES

JULY - TBC

Seniors Lawn Tennis Club of GB

SATURDAY - AUGUST 24TH

Armed Forces Match

SEPTEMBER - TBC

Public School Boys

SEPTEMBER - TBC

CTC UK Event

These are friendly competitive fixtures between other clubs and schools. If anyone is available during these months and would like to be considered to represent the club in these friendly fixtures, please contact Leyla Ogan on leyla.ogan@edgbastonpriory.com.

There will be up to three additional fixtures to add as the year develops.



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