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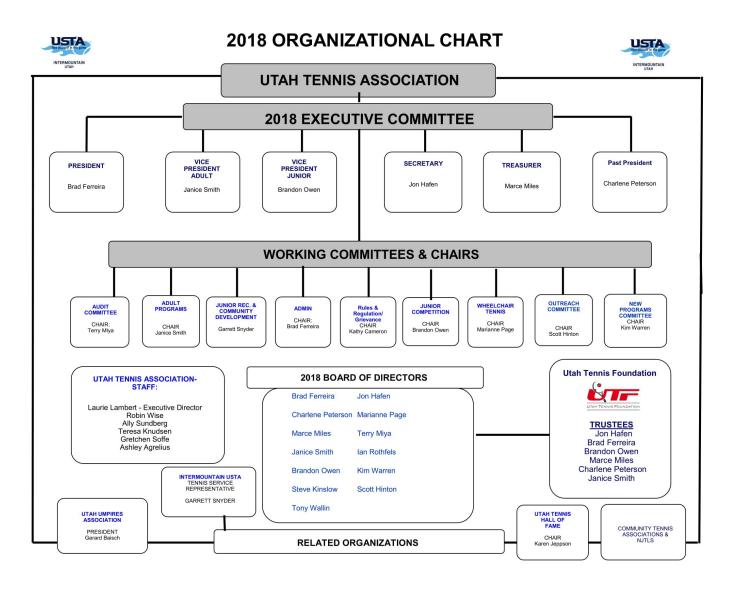
2018 YEAR-IN-REVIEW

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PRESIDENT'S REPORT



By all accounts, 2018 developed into another very good year for tennis in Utah. As with any great organization, Utah Tennis Association is run by a lot of people tirelessly doing good things. We are very lucky to have a fantastic staff at Utah Tennis that is extremely energetic, hard-working and love to promote and develop the growth of tennis in Utah.

Utah Tennis Association has many moving parts, such as the Executive Board, a Board of Directors, and various sub-committees such as Audit, Adult Programs, Junior Recreation, Junior Competition, Rules and Regulations, Wheelchair, Outreach and New Programs. All these committees have numerous tennis enthusiasts volunteering their time and ideas to help make tennis in Utah thrive. Behind the scenes, working to keep any tennis community thriving, are these numerous volunteers. We cannot thank you enough for all your hours of help.

This Year in Review, including Laurie Lambert's Executive Director's report, will outline the many facets of the UTA activities. Suffice to say, we are grateful to our fabulous league captains and players where Utah league tennis continues to grow. New social events and outreach efforts lay the groundwork for a bright outlook for tennis in Utah.

Alas, despite all the wonderful developments to report, our biggest problem is the lack of indoor courts. If anyone has plans for building another facility in Utah, now is the time.

Brad Ferreira Board President

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S REPORT



As I finish my 6th year as Executive Director for the Utah Tennis Association and Utah Tennis Foundation, I feel as though our organization continues to become more vibrant, exciting and fresh in our approach to growing the game of tennis in Utah. I love this job, our staff, and the community of tennis professionals and players in our state.

Each person on our staff is constantly thinking of ways to bring new players into our sport and ways to continue to enhance the playing experience for those already playing. Our entire Board of Directors – with new members Steve Kinslow, Scott Hinton, Tony Wallin and Kim Warren, contributes so much by not only being our eyes and ears into the community, but by helping us execute our programming and fundraising efforts.

My focus as Executive Director is to be a sounding board and mentor for the staff as they plan and carry out their programming throughout the year. It is so much fun to listen to what everyone wants to try for the year. Everyone on the staff knows that they are free to try anything new. If it works, AMAZING, and if it doesn't that's okay – at least we tried!

My favorite part of using my tennis teaching background skills is in running programs in underserved communities throughout the state and helping bring tennis to new players outside of our Salt Lake area. I love travelling to smaller communities like Kanab, Grantsville and Orderville to teach clinics to juniors and adults. I also love training instructors on the new teaching methodology that has evolved with the Red/Orange/Green/Yellow (ROGY) balls. Showing tennis instructors how to keep the kids engaged by not standing next to a basket feeding to them in a line has been so much fun for me. Programs such as the Glendale summer program, the School for the Deaf and Blind, Veteran's outreach, and the Guadalupe Elementary School program help widen the impact our sport can have in people's lives. I only wish there were more hours in the day and a longer outdoor season so that we could reach more and more people in our state to show them the sport of a lifetime!

Ashley Agrelius took on a major project this year by ditching our outdated website and creating a beautiful, more user friendly site. Everyone in the office is so happy with her efforts. Check out utahtennis.com now and enjoy all of our offerings! Ashley also helped implement the first year of Youth Progression – a National earned advancement program for 10 & Under players. She and Gretchen created a new product – the 4SCORE tournaments which have become a huge hit with the adult players. 4SCORES are the perfect tournament for the busy person – a short 3 hour round robin team event. Ashley has created these with fun themes for the players to dress up and be entertained by each other. Gotta love the 4SCORES! Ashley continues to entertain us with her Southern expressions like "Don't pole vault over mouse turds." – we think that means to not make a big deal out of little things, but we usually ask for an explanation from her!

Gretchen Soffe has been spearheading the Outreach and New Programs Committees this year along with chairs Scott Hinton and Kim Warren. These new committees mentor new players, help create new teams, organize the PRIDE parade weekend, implement the Millennial Leagues, and this year created the new Tri-Level league. Gretchen spends many evenings running new socials and leagues and the players adore her. If only we could clone Gretchen and these volunteers – I can only imagine how many creative new programs we could invent!

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S REPORT



Teresa Knudsen, our Office Manager, is the den mother to our motley crew. She helps everyone with their programs – running errands, taking care of paperwork, lugging tennis balls to sites, and making sure we don't forget to eat when we are overwhelmed with work. Her love for taking care of people and wanting them to be happy has extended to her work creating socials for LDS singles wards. These weekly summer events bring together "kids" age 18-39 for fun nights of tennis under the summer sky.

Garrett Snyder, our Tennis Service Representative, has all things junior recreation on his mind. Trying new formats for junior team tennis, working with parks and recs, and outreach to bring tennis into elementary education are his focus throughout the year. Garrett has had extensive training on 10 & Under teaching methods and spends time at schools across the state showing the PE instructors how easy it is to teach tennis. Garrett runs the Boys and Girls High School programs, Tennis On Campus, LiveBall programming and he's a DJ to boot! Our staff of mostly women loves having Garrett helping us all year long.

Robin Wise took one for the team in 2018, hosting a complicated new format for the Winter Masters. The Winter Masters is extremely difficult to pull off – with hundreds of players spread out to 10 sites. This creates a web of staff, volunteers, and umpires needed. We are so grateful to Robin for tackling this beast of an event and to everyone who contributes to allowing our juniors to experience a high level tournament in the winter months. Robin hits Mach speed around April each year – with the IceBreaker, Utah State Open, Zonals, Labor Day Masters, Team Utah, CTC and EDC programs consuming her. A favorite line the staff hears from Robin is "I came in to 258 emails this morning!" You NEVER see Robin ruffled – no matter what crazy thing took place in one of her tournaments!

No day goes by where I am not relieved to see Ally Sundberg coming in the door. As our league programs continue to explode, Ally manages the massive Sudoku puzzle of scheduling teams for each league. This year, league grew by over 80 teams and 800 players – an all-time high for Utah Tennis. This was the 2nd year in a row that we saw enormous growth in league play – I attribute much of this to Ally's ability to handle tricky league play situations with grace and honesty. I believe the players know she is working so hard to create a positive league experience for them - no matter what the weather and lack of court availability throws at her!

Thank you for playing tennis with us, and thank you for your smiles, laughter, team uniforms and good spirits on hot summer days. We hope you join us for even more new programming and fun in 2019!

PLAYER DEVELOPMENT/JUNIOR PROGRAMS



Player Development / Junior Programs cover all aspects of junior development and competition. This includes supplemental development programs and individual tournament competition at District, Sectional and National levels. The Utah Tennis Junior Competition and Player Development Committee provide many of the volunteers who help the Utah District Coordinator, Robin Wise, and make suggestions and recommendations for our juniors and Player Development. They, along with staff member Robin Wise, also coordinated the 2018 Junior Gran Prix Point Challenge, sponsored by Utah Tennis and HEAD / Penn Racquet Sports. The Gran Prix remains a very popular incentive program for the junior tournament players.

Player Development /Junior programs offer additional training opportunities for juniors. The Utah District Competition Training Center and Team Utah come under the Junior Competition and Player Development Committee's jurisdiction. These supplemental programs are designed to enhance these exceptional players' tennis performance in conjunction with independent training. The selection process for the juniors is based on rankings, interest, tournament participation, dedication and sportsmanship.

The Team Utah and CTC programs for the 2018/2019 season focused on helping our top juniors reach their full potential and giving them the opportunity to receive both on and off court training to help them get to the next level. The Junior Competition and Player Development Committee and Junior Competition and Player Development Coordinator Robin Wise work closely with the coaches and parents to help educate them on the competitive opportunities for our juniors, as well as providing information to those who have the desire to progress in junior competition in the District, within the Section and Nationally to help prepare them for college play.

Three USTA Early Development Training Camps were held during the summer. Participants in these camps received fundamental training and coaching that focused on general areas of skill development in the sport. During the camps, a parent educational component was also included.

A portion of the cost of these programs was reduced due to the success of the 25th Annual Jan Dowse Junior Tennis Fundraiser. A portion of the dollars raised by the Utah Tennis Foundation were earmarked for junior tennis and were used to help directly benefit those juniors who participated in the programs by providing reduced program fees.

Robin Wise, Tournament & Junior Competition Coordinator

PLAYER DEVELOPMENT/JUNIOR PROGRAMS



EARLY DEVELOPMENT CAMPS (EDC)

Initiated in 2016, this program is for juniors age 7-9 who meet three times a year at the University of Utah Eccles Tennis Center. At the camps, the players received fundamental training and coaching that focused on general areas of skill development in the sport.

Taylor Barton Crew Bastian JT Buxton Sam Fairbanks Nate Gardner Corbin Grant Walker Johnson JJ Lewis Crew Mandelaris Mac Mandelaris Shrima Narayanan Rafael Olsen Arin Soneji Michael Sperry Logan Steed Matt White

Alex Andrus
Lyla Bergeson
Anna Dorny
Hannah Flake
Sophie Heimburger
Frankie Kearns
Jessi King
Jane Moon
Emma Peterson
Lexi Peterson
Samantha Salea
Sofia Stahle
Brinley Studdart



BOYS AND GIRLS 16 ZONE TEAM CHAMPIONSHIPS

The Utah Tennis Association has hosted this Level 2 National tournament for the past 22 years. Tournament Director Robin Wise, Utah Tennis staff and volunteers worked very hard to make it a successful and fun event, which took place July 26-30. Participants came from 5 sections—Intermountain, Hawaii Pacific, Northern California, Southern California and Southwest. This event includes 144 players, plus coaches and alternates. Each team consists of 6 boys and 6 girls who compete in a non-elimination singles and doubles round robin team format.

The team format allows coaching during the matches. Intermountain coaches were Jeff Vongman, Nikol Winston, and Ilona Wilson.

A special thanks to Brad Ferreira, Tennis Director and Head Men's Coach at Weber State University, who conducted a special session for players, parents and coaches. Also, we appreciate the work of all the volunteers and facility staff who helped with the tournament. This tournament was presented in partnership with the Utah Sports Commission.

PLAYER DEVELOPMENT/JUNIOR PROGRAMS



2018-2019 Competitive Training Center (CTC)



Coaches: Bob Juhasz (Head), Drew Sweet, Evi Vandecasteele, Dantley Young, Corbin Benson, Matt Sweet

Davis Aubrey
Drew Bergeson
Alexandra Burnett
Tana Christopulos
Tia Christopulos
Elle Dykstra
Ari Fackrell

Jake Fankhauser
Conrad Flake
Anna Frey
Jaiden Handlon
Rachel Heimburger
Cameron Hendrix

Maya Inouye Lucas Jackson Dillon Johnson Bella Lewis Audrey Lord Kyle Rasmussen Emmy Richards
Sahil Shah
Kaia Spery
Kylee Sperry
Lucy Wallin
Sara White

2018-2019 Team Utah



Coaches: Lindsay Rawstorne (Head), Brad Ferreira, Clark Barton, Mike Trabert, Mike White

Alysha Damron Sicely Ferreira Emma Jewell Emmie Moore Hardy Owen Redd Owen Connor Robb-Wilcox Gabby Rockwood Livi Rockwood Bitsy Tullis Sara Tullis Luke Vandecasteele Quinn Vandecasteele

JUNIOR GRAN PRIX AND SPORTSMANSHIP



The Gran Prix Points Challenge is designed to encourage tournament participation for Utah juniors. Players accumulate points throughout the tournament season by participating in USTA Utah sanctioned junior tournaments. Points are awarded for participation and for winning in both Open and Challenger level divisions. Individuals with the highest point totals in each age division, Singles and Doubles, Boys and Girls are recognized at the end of the tournament season.

2018 GRAN PRIX WINNERS

GIRLS SINGLES	BOYS SINGLES	GIRLS DOUBLES	BOYS DOUBLES
Avery Olsen-10	Cole Murray-10	Samantha Salea-10	Cole Murray-10
Lisa King-12	Luke Golding-12	Rachel Heimburger-12	Davis Aubrey-12
Peyton Kossin-14	Brock Golding-14	Savannah Johnson-14	Dawson Jenkins-14
Emma Williamsen-16	Liam Duffin-16	Sarah Major-16	Cooper Jenkins-16
Anna Kemp-18	Alex Miller-18	Elizabeth Simmons-18	Jeremy Larson-18

2018 JUNIOR TOURNAMENT PLAYERS OF THE YEAR

To the girl and boy accumulating the most Gran Prix points across all divisions for singles and doubles.

Boys—Cole Murray

Girls—Dylan Lolofie



2018 HILARY DOYLE SPORTSMANSHIP AWARD RECIPIENT

At the conclusion of each Sanctioned Junior Tournament, the tournament director will select one or more juniors who exemplified good sportsmanship during the tournament. The sportsmanship winner from each tournament during the season is considered as a nominee for this annual award. The junior player receiving the most nominations is selected to receive the Hilary Doyle Award.

Riya Soneji



ADULT LEAGUE PROGRAMS



CONGRATULATIONS TO THE TEAMS WHO ADVANCED TO NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS



18 & Over Mixed Doubles: 8.0 Sports Mall– Jones/ Johnson



USTA 18 & Over Champions 3.5 Men VASA—Fowkes



USTA 18 & Over: 5.0 Women—Liberty Park Hansen



USTA 18 & Over: 4.5 Women Liberty Park— Toalepai



USTA 40 & Over: W3.0 VASA Parker/Stringham



USTA 40 & Over: 4.0 Women Liberty Park— Kasteler/Greenberg



USTA 40 & Over: 3.5 Men VASA—Fowkes



USTA 40 & Over: 4.0 Men Sato/Jones



USTA 55 & Over: W7.0 PC MARC BNP Tomczyk



USTA 55 & Over: 8.0 Women Sports Mall McInnis

NOT PICTURED

USTA 55 & Over: 9.0 Women Liberty Park— Woodbury

*Qualified but did not compete in Nationals: 40 & Over Men's 4.5 Liberty Park—Grant



USTA 65 & Over: 8.0 Women Sports Mall– Paul/Wollam

ADULT LEAGUE



The Adult League programs continue to thrive, growing by 83 additional teams and 118 players over the year. Below represents the player participation per league.

League	Sponsors	Format	Team/Player Count
Winter League	Hillside Tire & Service, Mike Doolin and Steve Brand	1 Singles 4 Doubles	91/1,255
USTA 18 & Over Mixed Doubles		3 Doubles	33/511
USTA 18 & Over	Wollam Construction Guy and Lana Wollam	2 Singles 3 Doubles	115/1,749
USTA 40 & Over Mixed Doubles		3 Doubles	20/311
USTA 40 & Over		2 Singles 3 Doubles	94/1,469
2.5 Women Summer		1 Singles 2 Doubles	6/52
USTA 55 & Over	Wollam Construction Guy and Lana Wollam	3 Doubles	27/322
USTA 65 & Over		3 Doubles	7/71
ITA Fall Mixed Doubles		3 Doubles	29/470
Fall Outdoor		3 Doubles	93/1,244
Fall Indoor		3 Doubles	83/945
World Team Tennis		Singles & Doubles, Mixed	28 teams
Wild Card Qualifier Tournaments 18&Over and 40&Over	IM Grating, Brent & Vicki Cox	2 Singles 3 Doubles	
Tri Level League		3 Doubles (3.5, 4.0, 4.5)	8/118
18—39 League		1 Singles 2 Doubles	6/63



ADULT NTRP WINNERS



The following list represents the players with the most tournament points for 2018 per adult division.

MEN		WOMEN	
M2.5S	Richard Groth	W2.5S	Camille Jensen
M3.0S	Gary Willardson	W3.0S	Kristi Warren
M3.5S	Ben Chase	W3.5S	Stacie Johnson
M4.0S	Adam Peterson	W4.0S	Susan Picou
M4.5S	Long Le	W4.5S	Alexandria Keith
MOpenS	Kris Van Wyk	WOpenS	Annaliese County
M3.0D	David Osborn/ Donald Bayna	W3.0D	Bessy Nielson / Catherine Peterson
M3.5D	Ryan O'Connell /Trevor Clements	W3.5D	Sharlene Enloe / Trista Willardson
M4.0D	Tomoaki Sakihara / Hudson Shorter	W4.0D	Alexandria Keith / Katy Higgins
M4.5D	Trinh Tran / Van Vu	W4.5D	Paige Mitchell / Pauline Armstrong
MOpenD	Phillip Eilers /Roshan Rasekhi	W 50 S	Monique Callahan
M 50 S	Victor Phillips	W 60 S	Linda Alder
M 60 S	Tim Fosdick	W 70 S	Sylvia Williams
M 65 S	David Cox	W 50 D	Tori McLanahan / Jodi Wagner
M 70 S	Barry Stout	W 55 D	April Blessing / Celia Steele
M 75 S	Douglas Wixom		
M 80 S	W Somerville	MIXED	
M 85 S	Michael Stephens	MX3.0D	Garrett Snyder / Kristi Warren
M 50 D	David Smith / Roger Russell	MX4.0D	Michelle Fowkes / Kenny Johnson
M 60 D	Terry Meier / Mitch Long	MX Open D	Calvin Bennett / Paige Miles
M 65 D	Dennis Bird / Philliip Gillaspy	Comb MX 6.0	Elaine Day / Kevin Day
M 70 D	Richard Eyre / Thomas Smith	Comb MX 7.0	Janine Piper / Jonathan Tinker (tie)
M 75 D	Richard Hadlock / Bruno Kossin	Comb MX 7.0	Michelle Carlton / Anthony Quach (tie)
M 80 D	Ron Bachman / W Somerville	Comb MX 8.0	Amy Powell / Tomoaki Sakihara
NA NORTH		MX 55	Tori McLanahan / Roger Russell
		MX 60	Stacey Maxfield / Bob Maxfield
see	RA STAD	MX 70	Bleecker Springs / David Osborn

MX 75



Stacey & Bob Maxfield Mixed 60 Doubles

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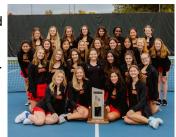
Lois Moritz / Roger Moritz

HIGH SCHOOL TENNIS



KATHY ROTHFELS & LUCEEN SULLIVAN AWARD

Presented to an **Outstanding Girls' High School Tennis Team** in the State of Utah. Named after Kathy Rothfels and Luceen Sullivan who together in 1969 were instrumental in organizing and running the first Girls High School Tennis Tournament in the State of Utah. This award recognizes achievement in high school tennis but is not determined solely on win/loss record.



2018 Girls High School Team—Judge Memorial Catholic High School

RUBY HAMMEL AWARD

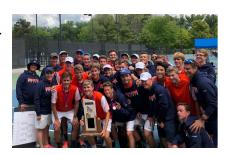


Presented to an **Outstanding Female High School Tennis Player** in the State of Utah. Named after Ruby Hammel, who has been a tennis advocate for junior tennis for over 50 years and has taught and introduced hundreds of young girls to the sport of tennis. Through her guidance, inspiration and direction many of these young girls have gone on to play and compete on a High School Tennis Team. This award recognizes a female athlete for her achievements in high school tennis and also recognizes the individual for their overall performance, team spirit, sportsmanship and attitude both on and off the court.

2018 Female High School Players of the Year —Emma Jewell

WILBUR BRAITHWAITE AWARD

Presented to an **Outstanding Boys' High School Tennis Team** in the State of Utah. Named after Wilbur Braithwaite, who coached High School Tennis at Manti High School for 53 years with over 11 State High School Championship Titles. This award recognizes achievement in high school tennis but is not determined solely on win/loss record.



2018 Boys High School Team—Brighton High School

LEE HAMMEL AWARD



Presented to an **Outstanding Male High School Tennis Player** in the State of Utah. Named after Lee Hammel, who coached High School Tennis in Utah at South and East High School for 40 years with over 5 State High School Championship Titles. This award recognizes a male athlete for his achievements in high school tennis and also recognizes the individual for their overall performance, team spirit, sportsmanship and attitude both on and off the court.

2018 Boys High School Player of the Year—Redd Owen

WORKING COMMITTEES



JUNIOR COMPETITION AND PLAYER DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE - Brandon Owen, Chair

The Junior Competition and Player Development Committee spent much of 2018 as ambassadors for Youth Progression program that began January 2018. This program creates an enhanced experience for children starting to play junior tennis tournaments. The goal is to ensure young players, age 7-10 years old, compete at appropriate levels as they progress through competitive stages based on age, participation and achievement. The system tracks the progress of junior players as they advance from Orange to Green and then Yellow ball competition. The system serves as a guide for coaches, parents and players to help players compete in events using appropriate court size and ball for their skill level. Players receive stars for each qualified junior tournament in which they participate with bonus points for making it to the finals of a tournament. Parents and players track their progress online through their USTA/TennisLink account.

Junior Competition and Player Development Committee

Members: Lindsay Rawstorne, Tiffin Tullis, Matt Stohl, Holly Hasler, Lesley Rockwood, Brian Moore, Tony Wallin, Tanner Frey, Brad Ferreira and Staff Member Robin Wise

ADULT PROGRAMS COMMITTEE— Janice Smith, Chair

The Adults Program Committee is responsible for the development and administration of leagues and tournaments. Utah Tennis Association provides USTA Leagues under the governance of the USTA and other leagues. Leagues are designed to provide the opportunity for year-round-competition in a team format.

USTA Leagues available for various men and women groups (18 & Over, 18-39, 40 & Over, 55 & Over, 65 & Over and Mixed Doubles). UTA leagues include Winter, Fall Outdoor and Fall Indoor. We are now offering a playoff for flighted divisions for Fall Outdoor and Winter Leagues. Also, after a successful pilot of the Tri-Level league this year, it will become a regular part of our UTA offerings for 2019.

Skill levels range from 2.5 to 5.0 NTRP, as well as combined NTRP 6.0 to 10.0+. Overall league participation continues to grow.

Adult Programs Committee Members: Terry Miya, Scott Ingham, Katy Higgins, Jake Johnson, Bre Debry, Janine Piper, Dave Ludlow, Chris Blake, Joe Pia

AUDIT COMMITTEE - Terry Miya, Chair

The Audit Committee is responsible for overseeing the financials of the association and compliance reporting process and the operation of the policies on conflicts of interest and the Governing Board Association's staff communications.

Audit Committee Members: Brad Ferreira and Staff Member Laurie Lambert

WORKING COMMITTEES



UTA GRIEVANCE, RULES, REGULATIONS and BYLAWS COMMITTEE Kathy Cameron, Chair

The committee's primary responsibility continues to be resolving grievances and complaints filed by members in connection with sanctioned tournaments, leagues and programs sponsored by the Utah Tennis Association. It is the responsibility of the Grievance Committee to balance the interests of the person who is the subject of the grievance, his or her teammates, and very importantly, other players who may be impacted by the complaint or incident. It is critical that, at the time of the incident, complaints be directed to local umpires, the local league coordinator, or the tournament desk for immediate handling. Parents are advised to restrain themselves in connection with their children's matches and to resort to appropriate remedies. All players and spectators are expected to adhere to the Code of Conduct, the Rules of Tennis, the UTA Spectator Policy, and demonstrate good sportsmanship, so that everyone can have a fun and enjoyable experience on and off the court.

Committee Members: Terry Miya, Steve Robbins Jason Grant, Marilyn Patch, Kristen Siddoway, Cliff Payne, Ryan Schmidt, Brandon Owen and Cheryl Jameson.

UTAH WHEELCHAIR TENNIS COMMITTEE—Marianne Page, Chair

To kick off 2018, the committee hosted the seventh annual All Comers Wheelchair Tennis Camp. Coaches included National USTA Wheelchair Coaches, Jason Harnett and Jason Allen, the #1 world ranked quad tennis player, David Wagner, and Utah coaches Lindsay Rawstorne, Michael O'Keefe and Rick Draney. Athletes travelled from Florida, California, Idaho, Colorado, Arizona, Texas and even Canada to participate.

Players of all levels were given numerous opportunities for tennis throughout the year. Liberty Park was home to the outdoor season for both adult and junior wheelchair programs on separate nights. The outdoor season concluded with a 4SCORE team tournament, where 2 wheelchair and 2 ablebodied players formed a team. Everyone had a great time and we plan on another one in the future. Play continued through the winter with the adult program at the Sports Mall. Monthly clinics were offered at Ivory Ridge and a weekly workout was held at PCMARC.



We provided outreach opportunities by participating in a TRAILS sports and rec expo through University Hospital as well as another recreation fair at the VA Hospital. Nets were set up in the parking lot, sports chairs available and people were encouraged to try their hand at wheelchair tennis. The same opportunity was provided at the Spina Bifida picnic for kids. We are always looking for ways to introduce new players to tennis as well as provide education and exposure to the community.

We are looking forward growing the sport of wheelchair tennis in 2019. We appreciate everyone's support of this great program and appreciate all the work of the Wheelchair Tennis Committee.

Committee Members – Rick Draney, Dean Oba, Trish Oba, Staff Member Laurie Lambert and Teresa Knudsen

WORKING COMMITTEES



NEW PROGRAMS COMMITTEE - Kim Warren, Chair

Kim Warren, a newly appointed board member was installed as the chair of the New Programs Committee which was officially established in 2018. Our objectives include creating new and fresh programs that appeal to our existing tennis community and inspire new players to become involved in our sport.

Tri-Level League was our focus for 2018. Six teams in the women's division and 2 teams in the men's division competed for a chance to advance to Sectionals in Eagle, Idaho. The participant number exceeded our expectations and we look forward to watching this league grow in 2019.

New Programs Committee Members: Renee Utgaard, Jessika Brown, Dave Newsome, Bea Kieffer, Leah Schlange, Carolee Romney, Jim Jones, Allison Leishman, Hayley Schaffer

OUTREACH COMMITTEE - Scott Hinton, Chair

In 2018, Scott Hinton, as a new board member, was installed as chair of the Outreach Committee. The Outreach Committee's objective continues to be involving new people and helping them assimilate into our tennis community. Each committee member works within their own circle of influence to expose others to tennis. We work together as a committee to make sure that everyone's experience is positive.

The Outreach Committee uses Utah's Pride Festival as a way to connect with new people and introduce them into our sport. We spend two days as a vendor at the Festival and are Parade Participants as well. The Outreach committee staffs the Utah Tennis booth as we do our best to engage with as many people as possible through "mini-tennis": our condensed version of the game with 10' net and foam balls. In 2018, we collected over 300 names and emails to add to our data base.

Utah Tennis is committed to diversity and inclusion. Through our Pride Festival participation, we connect with people and players of all different backgrounds and orientations.

Outreach Committee Members: Steve Kinslow, Lauren Bryce, Katri Koehle , Jasmine Pourpak, Darren Nelson, Scott Ingham, Kristi Roggensack, Lindsay Lafeen, Angelina Tsu, KC Agrelius



WORKING TO MAKE TENNIS FUN



SOCIAL PROGRAMS

We believe that Social Leagues are attractive to players who are new to tennis and are not quite ready for the commitment of the traditional USTA product. Social Leagues often serve as the first step a player takes; we strive to offer casual, cost effective and fun products for our community to participate in.

Utah Tennis Association offered an assortment of social league opportunities in 2018.

Millennial Match Play (Young Adult Social League)

Women's 2.5 Evening Social League

Women's 2.5 League Prep Workshops

Men's 18 to 39 Social League

Men's 4.5 Social League

Nephi Adult and Junior tennis social

Grantsville Junior tennis social

Salt Lake Invitational Adult tennis social

We look forward to another year of making tennis a positive part of people's busy lives.

Gretchen Soffe, Outreach Coordinator

LDS SINGLES

The LDS Singles Summer Program was led by Teresa Knudsen of Utah Tennis Association for the 4th year. It expanded across the Salt Lake Valley with two age groups. The 18-30 singles played on Monday nights

at Brighton High School where they learned basic skills and then played fun games to use their new or improved skills. Each group had fun being together and enjoying the beautiful summer nights while they were playing.

Draper Singles ward, ages 31-45 played Wednesday nights also at Brighton. This offered a low pressured environment for people who haven't played in a long time to renew their skills and interest in the sport. Word spread quickly of the social and fun weekly activities.

Teresa Knudsen, Office Manager & Programs Assistant



WORKING TO MAKE TENNIS FUN



TENNIS SERVICE REPRESENTATIVE (TSR)

A TSR's purpose is to connect USTA programs to the District of Utah with a focus on youth. Garrett Snyder's parks and recreation background helps him work with parents looking for a fun and engaging sport for their kids. His territory covers the entire state of Utah and includes the many stakeholders of a tennis community—educators/coaches, facilities, parks and recreation professionals and, most importantly, players. His target group ranges from under seven years old to college players.

Below is a sampling of Garrett's 2018 activities:

- Created and hosted nine 4SCORE Jr events—one day tournaments for beginner/intermediate players to gain more match play experience
- Hosted Girls High School Training Camps—2 day events held before the high school tennis seasons
- Presented and promoted Net Generation, which is USTA's branded program to connect providers with players
- Trained parks and recreation staff for their upcoming summer programs
- Presented at Utah Recreation & Professionals Association Conference
- Presented at Utah School Teachers Annual Meeting
- Hosted District Tennis on Campus (TOC) Tournament and worked with Sectional TOC Tournament
- Hosted 4 Red Ball Team Challenges
- Organized three Live Ball leagues—2 Fall and 1 Winter











COMMUNITY TENNIS ASSOCIATIONS



KANE COMMUNITY TENNIS ASSOCIATION

In 2018, we continued our quest to improve program quality and increase tennis participation in Kane County. PE classes in Fredonia AZ, Kanab and Valley schools helped to generate interest in our summer programming. Excellent turnout for lessons coupled with great volunteer instructors give us much hope for ongoing growth of our rural tennis effort. Never ending assistance and support from UTA and Intermountain USTA enabled us to train volunteer helpers, financially support our equip-





ment stock, and begin

spring 2019 with court lighting. We have increased adult participation with weekly Men's, Women's and Mixed scheduling of court time. Five of our Jr Players traveled to St George in the fall to participate in the St George 4Score tournament and loved it!!! This experience gave them the belief that they can be competitive and they and others are looking forward to 2019 tournament play in St George and Cedar City. We are working with Kanab City Recreation to provide a comprehensive tennis program in 2019. Come play with us!!

NEPHI RECREATION

2018 was a strong year for the growth and expansion of tennis in Nephi.

- Expanded our summer Tennis Camp offerings by adding an "intermediate" camp.
- Our Adaptive Tennis program grew to 12+ participants with 10+ volunteer buddies.
- New! We successfully held our first ever doubles tennis round robin tournament which was a delight to our participants who highly requested it become an annual event. We will be holding our 2nd annual doubles round robin in conjunction with our city's summer celebration in 2019.
- Junior High/High School Tennis camps are also offered by the High School coaches during the summer and are seeing continued growth. High school programs are developing and strengthening in skill and participation.
- Expanded indoor tennis offerings in the winter months by holding sessions in both January and November.
- Nephi Tennis has recently partnered with other nearby rural communities to create a league that provides young players the opportunity to learn and experience match play.
- In partnership with USTA, we hosted a tennis clinic for youth and adults. Several youth that came to the clinic to give tennis a try for the first time ended up registering for our other tennis programs.

Michael Barlow

Nephi Recreation Coordinator www.nephirecreation.com

COMMUNITY TENNIS ASSOCIATIONS



TENNIS AND TUTORING is grateful for support from the Utah Tennis Association and the tennis community to fuel its ambitious and successful growth over the past year. **75 students are receiving after-school tennis instruction and academic support during the school year--because of YOU!** At our two sites, Liberty Park and Hillside Elementary, we offer our program 4 days a week. Currently, we have 12 volunteers who help with both tennis instruction and academic tutoring.

Through funding from various foundations such as the George S. and Dolores Doré Eccles Foundation, the Sorenson Legacy Foundation, USTA Foundation, Utah Tennis Foundation, Dry Creek Charity, The Desiree and Travis Bastian Memorial Junior Tournament, Johnson Foundation, Jacobson Construction and the Vera and Bruce Wood Foundation, we are able to continue changing children's lives. We also thank our many individual supporters.



One of Tennis and Tutoring's success stories is that of Sophie Hastings. Sophie Hastings first joined Tennis & Tutoring when she was 11 years old after her teacher announced the program to her class. Sophie fell in love with the game of tennis. She met lots of new people who shared similar interests and made many new friends. Not only did Sophie's tennis career skyrocket, her academics notably improved. "The tutors helped me with every problem I didn't understand, which allowed me to grasp all the concepts from school." she says.

Soon, Sophie was ready to take part in her first tennis tournament. Her Tennis & Tutoring family supported her as she began to play competitive tennis. Because of her dedication and drive her tennis game improved rapidly. Sophie was offered a scholarship by Tennis & Tutoring to train at Sports Mall. She continues to play multiple USTA tournaments and has had great success.

Sophie says that tennis has given her direction and somewhere to focus her energy. Her ultimate dream is to get a college scholarship; she continues working towards this goal with determination. "Tennis has taught me to be perseverant and overcome obstacles," shares Sophie.

Sophie was state champion her junior year at Highland High School. She's on her way to reaching great things thanks to the help of Tennis & Tutoring!

Check our website (www.tennisandtutoring.org), or follow us on Facebook.

Your generosity is what enables us to exercise minds, hearts and bodies.

John Kaloudis, Executive Director





COMMUNITY TENNIS ASSOCIATIONS



IMPACT COMMUNITY TENNIS—GRANTSVILLE

Impact Community Tennis, with the help of Utah Tennis Association, has been able to provide the community with access to learn to play tennis and continue to participate in the sport of tennis. It began with an invitation to players of all ages and abilities from across Tooele County. Impact especially focuses on providing equipment and lessons to disadvantaged children living in the county. We hosted and organized 64 match play sessions and provided over 100 hours of free tennis instruction.

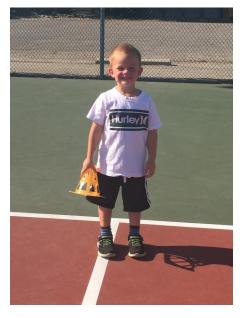
I teach children and adults to love the game. It is a joy to work with these players. I am also the Homeless Liaison for the Tooele County School District. It was my pleasure to give lessons to some of the homeless children I work with. They never missed a lesson. When lessons ended we all cried. It was such a great year.

I look forward to another great year of Community Tennis. Many thanks to Utah Tennis Association. We could not do this without your support.

Christy Johnson Impact Tennis

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UTAH TENNIS FOUNDATION





The Utah Tennis Foundation is a 501c3 non-profit organization established in 1987. This organization, which works closely with the Utah Tennis Association, seeks to open doors to players who might not otherwise be able to afford the sport of tennis. Through our fundraising efforts and donations, the Utah Tennis Foundation was able to help over 1000 players in the year 2018.

A major source of our funding comes through our partnership with the Of Love Foundation. This organization, founded by the Bullard family, has created and grown the Ardene Bullard Of Love Memorial Tournament. This week-long event raises money for Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation (JDRF) and the Utah Tennis Foundation. The tournament has become a family event – with Parent/Child socials, Corporate challenges, exhibitions, free yogurt for players, consolation draws for the juniors and adult tournaments. In the year 2018, the Men's Open Doubles Final was the final match watched by several hundred people in our community. The level of tennis and the enthusiasm by the community for the Of Love tournament continues to grow. Next year will be the 10th anniversary of Of Love, and the UTF is excited to again partner with the Bullard family for this massive community event. Thank you to the Salt Lake Tennis & Health Club and the University of Utah Eccles Tennis Center for donating their courts for this event. Monies raised from the Of Love go to providing the bulk of the program assistance listed below.

The Utah Tennis Foundation has several areas for financial assistance:

Our most highly competitive players receive assistance through reduced program fees to participate in the Team Utah and CTC programs. In addition, players that meet the required tournament participation conditions may apply for Out of State Travel Assistance at the end of the year. The Utah Tennis Foundation understands how expensive it is to compete across the U.S., so we try and alleviate a bit of these costs for our high performing juniors who are representing our state nationwide.

Scholarships for clinics are available for juniors who demonstrate financial need. At any given time, the Foundation usually has 6-10 players who are able to grow their skills by joining any junior program at any of the facilities in our state. This scholarship program also covers tournament entry fees for District tournaments in our state.

Grants for community programs throughout the state are offered by the Foundation. In 2018, the following programs received support: Tennis & Tutoring, Grantsville Community Tennis, Kanab Community Tennis, West Jordan high school players, Toole players, Uintah Basin, School for the Deaf & Blind.

The Foundation seeks to support adaptive tennis – such as the Wheelchair Tennis Program, along with non-traditional communities, particularly rural communities in our state.

Thank you for your support of the Utah Tennis Foundation. We strive to bring the sport of a lifetime to everyone in our state.

Laurie Lambert, Executive Director

AFFILIATED ORGANIZATIONS



The **UTAH TENNIS HALL OF FAME** was formed in 1993 to honor and recognize those individuals who have made outstanding contributions to tennis in Utah. Candidates are nominated and elected on the basis of their achievements in tennis, contributions of service to organized tennis, and considerations of tennis maturity and residence.

Hall of Fame Executive Committee: Clark Robinson-Chair, Jim Osborne-Vice Chair, Karen Jeppson, Drew Sweet, Marilyn Wallin, Fritz Heinecke, Carolee Hammel, Ric Hammond, Bill Bennion



Annual Hall of Fame Golf Tournament

The UTAH UMPIRE ASSOCIATION (UTUA) works closely with Utah Tennis to provide certified officials for sanctioned tournaments and Adult and Junior League Playoffs held in the state. While serving as a referee, chair, roving or line umpire, a tennis official makes sure that a tennis match is conducted under the fairest possible conditions. So, ideally, the official is "a friend at court", helpful to the players and the spectators.

UTUA continuously seeks enthusiastic people who are interested in serving on the 'front line' to become a certified official. The training and certification classes are free. For more information, refer to their website: www.utuabeta.weebly.com.

Utah Tennis Umpires Assocation Executive Committee:

Gerard Baisch—President,
Ryan Schmidt—Vice President



SPONSORS AND SUPPORTERS



Utah Tennis Association is honored to receive support from the following sponsors.

Their generosity is critical to fulfilling the goals of our organization.





















TREASURER'S REPORT



Statements of Activities and Net Assets

(Prepared Without Audit)

For the Year Ended December 31, 2018

Revenues and Other Support	(Unrestricted) Total
Dues	55,164
Grants	186,732
Other Income	7,119
Program Fees	482,046
Sponsorship and Fundraising	35,412
UJTF Program Assistance	7,000
Used Ball Sales	1,999
Interest Income	147
Total Revenues	775,619
Net Assets Released from Restriction	
Satisfaction of Program Restrictions	
Satisfaction of Asset Acquisition	
Total Revenues, Gain and Other Support	775,619
Expenses	
Program Services	595,366
General and Administrative	140,157
Development and Fundraising	
Total Expenses	735,523
Change in Net Assets	40,096
Net Assets—Beginning of Year	450,463
Net Assets—End of Year	490,559

TREASURER'S REPORT



Statements of Financial Position

(Prepared Without Audit or Review)

For the Year Ended December 31, 2018

Assets

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Cash	367,907
Other Current Assets	<u>15,969</u>
Total Current Assets	<u>\$ 383,876</u>

Property and Equipment

Total Assets	<u>\$ 499,765</u>
Net Property and Equipment	<u>115,889</u>
Less Accumulated Depreciation	(104,541)
Property and Equipment	220,430

Liabilities and Net Assets

Current Liabilities

Other Current Liabilities	<u>9,206</u>
Total Current Liabilities	\$ 9,206

Net Assets

Unrestricted Net Assets	450,559
Temporarily Restricted Net Assets	
Permanently Restricted Net Assets	
Total Net Assets	<u>490,559</u>

Total Liabilities and Net Assets	<u>\$ 499,765</u>
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2018 ANNUAL AWARD WINNERS



David L Freed Award—Brendan Bowyer

Linda Vincent Community Service Award—Marce Miles

Volunteer of the Year—Janice Smith

Ten and Under Youth Tennis Ambassador—Winnie Rawstorne

Developmental Coach of the Year—Dantley Young

Family of the Year—The Tullis Family

Harry James "Will to Win" Award—Stu Contant

Organization of the Year—George S. Eccles Tennis Center

Diversity & Inclusion award—Tennis & Tutoring Program

Captain of the Year—Tiffany Kasteler

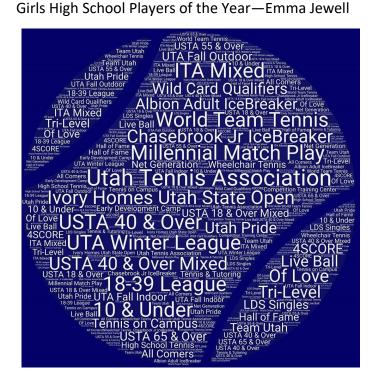
Janet M. Dowse Player of the Year—Luke Vandecasteele

Hilary Doyle Sportsmanship Award—Riya Soneji

Boys High School Team—Brighton High School

Girls High School Team—Judge Memorial Catholic High School

Boys High School Player of the Year—Redd Owen



OUR HISTORY



The David L. Freed Award

The David L. Freed Award was established in 1979 to be presented annually to an individual who has constantly provided leadership and example both in quality of play and service to the game.

1979 Joe Cowley	1989 Kathryn Wright	1999 Lindsay Rawstorne	2009 Mike Trabert
1980 Kathy Rothfels	1990 Myron Walker	2000 Brad Ferreira	2010 Ian Rothfels
1981 Lee Hammel	1991 Rick Billings	2001 Drew Sweet	2011 Laurie Lambert
1982 Jack Fairclough	1992 Warren Pretorius	2002 Cal Nelson	2012 Clark Hancock
1983 Wilbur Braithwaite	1993 Chris Spackman	2003 Rod Horton	2013 Mike Cooper
1984 Harry James	1994 Julia Bradley	2004 John Lin	2014 Brad Ferreira
1985 John Stevens	1995 Clark Robinson	2005 RuthAnn Allen	2015 Bill Damron
1986 Bob Rutstein	1996 Clark Barton	2006 Andrew Valdez	2016 Christian Wright
1987 Patti Kelly	1997 Jim Osborne	2007 Dean Oba	2017 Ken and Ann Harris
1988 Janice Stevens	1998 Mike Martines	2008 Debbie Robb	2018 Brendan Bowyer

Volunteer of the Year

Established in 1991, the Volunteer of the Year Award is presented annually to a person who personifies the dedication of the tennis player who gives selflessly to the growth of the sport through involvement and commitment to the Utah Tennis Association.

1991	Jim Cox	1999	Colleen Parry	2003	Bryan Bates	2012	Jeanine Elsholz
1992	Roy Keir	2000	Carolyn (Sam) Macfarlane	2004	Janice Smith	2013	Marianne Page
1993	Bruce Cummings	2000	Melody Walter	2005	Kate Sturgeon	2014	Shilane Mansell
1994	Dee Briggs	2001	Shawna Paterson	2006	Leeza Evensen	2015	Crystal McMullin
1995	Larry Erickson	2001	Larry Colton	2007	Bev Taylor	2016	Ryan Schmidt
1996	Lisa Glines	2002	Cindi Kennedy	2008	Marce Miles	2017	Kathy Cameron
1997	Gale Volkman	2002	Mel Richards	2009	Trish Jensen—Oba	2018	Janice Smith
1998	Jean Greenwood	2002	Ken Harris	2010	Kathy Cameron		
1999	Mark Jensen	2003	Kande Shackelford	2011	Daniela Cramer		

Linda Vincent Community Service Award

Established in 1998, this award is presented to an individual who has made outstanding contributions to the tennis community.

1998 Ca	al Nelson	2002	Dell Loy Hansen	2008	Dan Johnson	2015	Hillary Redd
1999 Da	avid Freed	2003	Max Miller	2009	Terry Miya	2016	Ron Bachman
2000 Br	rent Goates	2003	Bruce Haines	2010	David Jones	2017	Brad Lowe
2000 Ly	nn & Carol Benson	2004	Don Wayne Nelson	2011	Terry & Abby Wagstaff	2018	Marce Miles
2001 W	ilbur Braithwaite	2005	Charlene Peterson	2012	Jared Scow		
2001 Lo	ori Jenks	2006	Ernest Oriente	2013	Andi Porter		
2002 Ro	bert Saxton	2007	Brad Ferreira	2014	Christy Johnson		

OUR HISTORY



Janet M. Dowse Award & Scholarship

Established in memory of Janet M. Dowse, Executive Director of the Utah Tennis Association from 1980 to May 1996. Jan was balanced in her approach to tennis and life, keeping both in proper perspective. This award & scholarship was established in 1996 and is awarded annually to a junior player who exemplifies integrity, willingness to help others, love of family and the joy of playing tennis. The junior player is recognized and presented the scholarship and award during the Annual Awards event.

1996 Tyler Poulson	2002 Andrew Clayton	2009 Chas Foote	2015 Jonathan Dollahite
1997 Cassie Kasteler	2003 Ryan Goldstein	2010 Ashley Tanner	2016 Annaliese County
1998 Lu Oswald	2005 Paige Miles	2011 Matt Sweet	2017 Katie Foley
1999 Beck Roghaar	2006 Tori Arneson	2012 Colin Holyoak	2018 Luke Vandecasteele
2000 Hadley Macfarlane	2007 Grant Taylor	2013 Brooke Burnside	
2001 Katie Ennenga	2008 Mary Anne Macfarlane	2014 Sidnee Lavatai	

Harry James "Will to Win" Award

The "Will to Win" Award was established through the sponsorship of Wilson Racquet Sports in 1991 in memory of Harry James. The award is given from time to time to a wheelchair athlete for his or her outstanding contributions to the sport of tennis, both on and off the court.

199	91 Mike Schlappi	1997 Charlie Levie	2007 Eliza McIntosh	2013 Elizabeth Fetter
199	Dean Oba	2000 Randy Curry	2008 Larry Orr	2014 Rick Draney
199	3 Corey White	2001 Jeff Griffin	2009 Ryan Nelson	2016 Rachael Maughn
199	94 Randy Curry	2002 Vernon L Burgess	2010 Marianne Page	2018 Stu Contant
199	95 Danny Quintana	2004 Danny Quintana	2011 Wally Lee	
199	96 Alan Kimball	2005 Randy Curry	2012 Nathan Hunter	

Family of the Year Award

Established in 2007 this award is presented annually to the family within the Utah district who has exemplified the benefits of tennis as family recreational sport and has contributed to the tennis community in a significant way.

2007 Smith	2011 Toli	2015 Hafen
2008 Sweet	2012 Owen	2016 Bullard
2009 Kempin	2013 Vandecasteele	2017 Robb-Wilcox
2010 Pearce	2014 Marchant	2018 Tullis

Captain of the Year

This award is given to recognize the outstanding individual efforts of a league team captain in going above and beyond to serve their team/s.

2013 Jackie Grant	2015 Doug Fowkes & Kristen Siddoway	2017 Darren Nelson
2014 Chris Anderson & Lynn Woodbury	2016 Corinne Nasella special recognition	2018 Tiffany Kasteler

OUR HISTORY



Wilbur Braithwaite Award—Outstanding Boys' High School Tennis Team

Named after Wilbur Braithwaite, who coached High School Tennis at Manti High School for 53 years with over eleven State High School Championship Titles. This award recognizes achievement in high school tennis but is not determined solely on win/loss record. Below represents as partial list of past recipients.

2007 Brighton **2011** Rowland Hall **2014** Juan Diego Catholic **2017** Skyline

2008 Judge Memorial Catholic **2012** Manti **2015** Mountain View **2018** Brighton

2009 Timpview **2013** Viewmont **2016** Waterford

Kathy Rothfels & Luceen Sullivan Award -Outstanding Girls' High School Tennis Team

Named after Kathy Rothfels and Luceen Sullivan who together in 1969 were instrumental in organizing and running the first Girls High School Tennis Tournament in the State of Utah. This award recognizes achievement in high school tennis but is not determined solely on win/loss record.

2007 Pine View **2011** Bountiful **2014** Davis **2017** Lone Peak

2008 Rowland Hall—St Mark's **2012** St Joseph's Catholic **2015** Olympus **2018** Judge Memorial Catholic

2009 Alta **2013** Lone Peak **2016** Park City

Lee Hammel Award—Outstanding Male High School Tennis Player

Named after Lee Hammel, who coached High School Tennis in Utah at South and East High School for 40 years with over 5 State High School Championship Titles. This award recognizes a male athlete for his achievements in high school tennis and also recognizes the individual for their overall performance, team spirit, sportsmanship and attitude both on and off the court.

2007 Calvin Bennett—Waterford **2011** Grant Taylor—Brighton **2014** Sam Tullis—Viewmont **2018** Redd Owen—Brighton

2008 Spencer Smith—Brighton **2012** John Pearce—Timpview **2016** Brocton Andrus—Lone Peak

2009 Matt Cowley-Woods Cross **2013** Brenden Kempin– Juan **2017** Steffen Rigby—Bear River

Diego Catholic

Ruby Hammel Award—Outstanding Female High School Tennis Player

Named after Ruby Hammel, who has been a tennis advocate for junior tennis for over 50 years and has taught and introduced hundreds of young girls to the sport of tennis. Through her guidance, inspiration and direction many of these young girls have gone on to play and compete on a High School Tennis Team. This award recognizes a female athlete for her achievements in high school tennis and also recognizes the individual for their overall performance, team spirit,

2007 Hailey Swenson—Woods2011 McKensie Davis—2014 Kate Cusick—Timpview2017 Addison Sepulveda &CrossCottonwoodRaili Jenkins—Corner Canyon

2008 Romina Ndeakovice—Juan **2012** MaryKate Johnson— **2015** Sydney Nichols—Bear **2018** Emma Jewell—Olympus

Diego Catholic Logan River

2009 Paige Miles—Juan Diego **2013** Lacy Hancock—Pine Valley **2016** Emilee Astle—Alta

Catholic

ANNUAL AWARDS RECIPIENTS





Utah Tennis Association Award Recipients



Developmental Coach of the Year Award

Initiated in 2015, this award is given to recognize the outstanding individual efforts of a developmental coach in the Utah District. This coach is being honored for his or her unending dedication to developing junior tennis players at all ability levels through teaching and coaching, presence at tournaments and events and the ability to positively impact the lives of junior players on and off the court.

2015 Lindsay Rawstorne

2018 Brendan Bowyer

10 And Under Youth Tennis Ambassador

This award is given to recognize the outstanding individual efforts of a coach, parent, Community Tennis Association (CTA), or other organization that is helping to build 10 and Under youth tennis.

2014 John Bradley **2016** Mike White

2015 Alissa Owen **2018** Winnie Rawstorne

Diversity and Inclusion Award

Initiated in 2015, this award will be given to honor an individual in the Utah District who has made a significant contribution to multicultural populations and communities in the Utah District through tennis.

2015 Ben Platt

2018 Tennis & Tutoring Program

2016 Lauren Swapp

Organization of the Year Award

Established in 2007 this award is presented annually in recognition of the services rendered by a USTA Organization member in the State of Utah and for their support to the Utah Tennis Association in helping grow tennis participation at all levels. USTA Organization must be a member in good standing and has made a significant contribution to the tennis community in an effort to help promote and develop the sport of tennis in the Utah District.

2007 Liberty Park Tennis Center 2012 Eagleridge Swim & Tennis Club

2008 Park City Racquet Club **2013** Sports Mall

2009 Salt Lake Swimming & Tennis Club 2014 Coach Mike's at Liberty Park

2010 Sports Academy **2016** Bloomington Country Club

2011 Cottonwood Heights Recreation **2018** George S Eccles Tennis Center

OUR HISTORY—PAST PRESIDENTS



Utah Tennis Association Past Presidents

1960-1962	Jack Fairclough	1987	Warren Rawlins
1963	Harry James	1988-1989	Jim Haig
1964	Hyrum Cannon	1990	Jeff Jensen
1965	Dale Robbins	1991-1992	Marilyn Wallin
1966-1967	Lee Hammel	1993-1994	Gale Volkman
1968-1969	Jack Morris	1995-1996	Bruce Cummings
1970-1972	George H. Johnson	1997-1998	Jean Greenwood
1973-1975	Reed Gordon	1999-2002	Steve Hard
1976	Jack Morris	2003-2004	Jean Greenwood
1977	Ernie Smith	2005-2006	Don Sorensen
1978	John Stephens	2007-2009	Ken Harris
1979	Janet Dowse	2009-2011	Mike Cooper
1980	Lee Hammel	2011-2012	Ric Hammond
1981-1982	Shirley Tanner	2013-2014	Marce Miles
1983	Myron Walker	2015-2016	Charlene Peterson
1984-1985	Bob Rutstein	2017	Brad Ferreira
1986	Patti Kelly		