

# NORTH JEFFCO TENNIS CLUB

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## LETTER FROM THE PRESIDENT

Congratulations to the winners and finalists of the Club Tournament in September. Additionally, special CONGRATULATIONS to the club members who won the championships in the Champions of Champions inter-club tournament in October. The newsletter will contain the names of club members who were finalists in the tournaments.

As you know, we have begun our socials at Meadow Creek for the Winter/Spring Season. I look forward to seeing you at the socials. The social held on 6 February 2010 will also have the club annual meeting for all members. Please try to attend and vote for the budget and members of the board.

Once again, please contact me if you are interested in participating on the club board of directors. There may be several positions available which will provide you fun and camaraderie.

**Bob Hix**  
Club President

Have You Won a Tournament Recently???  
Did Your Team Go to Play-offs???

Any NJTC member who was a finalist or champion in a tournament should e-mail that information to our newsletter editor, Pam Catalano, at [michael.catalano@comcast.net](mailto:michael.catalano@comcast.net). If you are a captain of a team that advances to any play-offs, please email that information (with the names of all team members) to Pam at that same email address. You let her know, she'll make sure we all know!

### Board Meeting

Date: Sunday, Dec 6th  
Time: 2:30 pm  
Location: Warren Lawson's  
6461 Zinnia St.

All NJTC Members are  
Welcome!



## League and Tournament Results

### Club Championship Results, September 2009:

- 2.5 Men's Singles: Champion: Jack Arnsparger (not contested, no finalist)
- 2.5 Women's Singles: Champion: Julie Grossman Finalist: Stephanie Elliot
- 2.5 Women's Doubles: Champions: Juli Grossman/Debbie Fleming Finalists: Stephanie Elliot/Trina Jones
- 3.0 Mens Singles: Champion: Brian Messer Finalist: Tom Knauer
- 3.0 Men's Doubles: Champions: Jason Bolton and Brian Messer (not contested, no finalist)
- 3.0 Women's Singles: Champion: Kirstin Kraig Finalist: Adrienne Oliver
- 3.0 Mixed Doubles: Champions: Robyn Feller/Bob Feller Finalists: Dede Jones/Jim Jones
- 3.5 Men's Singles: Champion: Greg Smoczyk Finalist: Andy Fross
- 3.5 Men's Doubles: Champions: Ed Hedberg/Frank Curtis (not contested, no finalist)
- 3.5 Women's Singles: Champion: Susan Bolton Finalist: Bobbi Dorgan
- 3.5 Women's Doubles: Champions: Karen Lebeau/Shelley West Finalists: Dina Koucky/Cindy Adams
- 3.5 Mixed Doubles: Champions: Kirstin Kraig/Hank Fisher Finalists: Megan Marquez/Ron Marquez
- 4.0 Women's Singles; Champion: Barb Everard Finalist: Crystal Messer
- 4.0 Women's Doubles: Champions: Crystal Messer/Stacey Minderler Finalists: Deb Welsh/Barb Everard
- 4.0 Men's Singles: Champion: Pat Godsil Finalist: Allen Campbell
- 4.0 Mens Doubles: Champions: Pat Godsil/Bill Markoff Finalists: Barry Stidham/Gary Tucker
- 4.0 Mixed Doubles: Champions: Leslie Haines/Steve Thompson Finalists: Cindy Adams/Stuart Adams

### Champion of Champion Results, October 2009:

- 3.5 Women's Doubles: Karen LeBeau/Shelley West
- 4.0 Women's Singles: Barb Everard
- 4.0 Women's Doubles: Crystal Campbell Messer/Stacey Minderler

### Other Results:

- Pat Godsil was a finalist in the 65 singles in the CO State Open
- 3.0 Women's Senior Team went to District Playoffs and lost to Ken Caryl in the finals. Team players are: Patti Beauchamp, Charlotte Covington, Carolee Himel (Captain), Joann Leetmae, Carolyn May, Maryann Mohan, Kathe Pare, Donna Watkins, Carole Zook
- Crystal Campbell Messer won the Otero County tournament in Alamogordo, New Mexico in singles and women's doubles and was a finalist in the mixed doubles with her dad David Campbell in the 35-44 age bracket
- 4.0 Women's Doubles city finals won by Crystal Campbell Messer and Stacey Minderler

*Congratulations!*

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## NJTC November Doubles Social Sign-up Form

**When:** November 21, 2009, 5:45-10 p.m.  
**Where:** Meadow Creek Tennis and Fitness, 6305 W. 6<sup>th</sup> Avenue  
**Registration Deadline:** Nov 18, 2008  
**Fee:** \$20.00 per person

Yes, sign me/us up for the NJTC November 21st  
Social at Meadow Creek

Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_ Tennis NTRP level \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Tennis NTRP level \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail address \_\_\_\_\_

- BYOB : bring your own beverages
- Potluck: bring a favorite side dish, dessert or hor d'oeuvres to share.
- NJTC to provide paper goods, utensils and tennis balls.
- Format is 40 minutes of play, then 40 minutes off, then 40 minutes of play, etc.

**Make Checks payable to: NJTC**  
**Mail to: NJTC**  
**P.O. Box 239**  
**Arvada, CO 80001-0239**

**Last minute contact: Sandra Lucero-Jacquez**  
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## *It's Social Season for NJTC Members*

November 21(form above)  
 December 31 (Thursday)  
 February 6  
 March 13  
 April 10

## APEX PARK AND REC NEWS

The tennis center is preparing for the winter season. Windscreens will be rolled up during the off-season. Our maintenance department will get to this eventually, but if you can spare some time following your play, extra hands are always helpful as are ladders, pliers, and vinyl coated coat hangers. Please call me if interested and we'll coordinate some times and manpower.

Making sure gates are closed following play prevents the gate latches from banging into the post and breaking. Bathrooms will be unlocked as my schedule allows during the off-season. Light shoveling (plastic shovels only) is fine, provided players are not too aggressive in their shoveling, as this may damage the court surface. Thank you for not chipping away ice. Please leave the courts in better condition than when you arrived and contact me for any vandalism issues. Torn nets, missing center straps will be replaced in the spring.

There are still some tennis balls needing new homes, so if you could use some for patio furniture, dogs, walkers, etc. let me know. Remaining balls will be given to the Racquets For All program. You may also drop off used tennis balls & equipment to the ATC for those less fortunate.

Also, summer lost and found items have been donated to ARC, but a new collection is forming. Bring any unclaimed items found on the court to the building. If I am not in, lay it by the door and I will be sure to place it in the lost and found.

Michele Crouse  
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I am currently working with Bill Earle to bring back tennis ladders to the ATC and hope to have the ladder information up on the district's website. Ladders would be for men and women and we are considering a 2.5 ladder for new players as well as age division ladders. Any input would be appreciated as it relates to ladders, or any ideas you have to make the Arvada Tennis Center a more full service facility.

Plans are also underway for a 24 hour tennis marathon in August. So, if you have experience with this concept, or are interested in being on the committee, I would love to hear from you!

The Arvada Tennis Center will be presented the E.L. Griffey award for Organization of the Year at the USTA Colorado Annual Award Gala in January, which is the primary fundraiser for the Colorado Tennis Youth Foundation. I am very humbled to receive this award and hope some of you can make it that evening. More information will be available on the Colorado Tennis website.

See you on the courts,  
Michele

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**Have you moved?**

**Have you changed email addresses?**

**Do you have a new phone number?**

If so, please contact Sandra Jacquez to update your contact information in the NJTC Membership files:

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