

Matchpoint Newsletter – A Year in Review Hazelmere Tennis Club

We're reflecting on an incredible year at Hazelmere Tennis Club! From thrilling tournaments to unforgettable league victories, this year has been one for the books. We celebrated not only the achievements of our talented members but also some exciting upgrades to our facilities that have elevated the playing experience for everyone.

Join us as we look back on the highlights, milestones, and memorable moments that made 2024 so special. Here's to an even brighter 2025!



Our HTC players showcased outstanding performances during the Summer Season tournaments, demonstrating skill, sportsmanship, and dedication. Congratulations to all participants for making this season memorable! Highlights include:

- **Richmond Open (May 16-26):**
 - Christa Sakalauskas & Ivan Wong: Mixed 4.5 Doubles Finalists
- **Masters Provincials - Jericho Tennis Club (May 25–June 2):**
 - Geoff Beamis: 65 Category – Quarterfinalist
 - Nico Brummelcamp: 60 Category – Singles Semifinalist
 - Jamie Davidson: 65 Category – Singles Semifinalist
 - Patrick Kerr: 40 Category – Singles Semifinalist
 - Tom Matkin & William Long: 60 Category – Doubles Semifinalists
 - Katie Sakalauskas: 35 Category – Singles Semifinalist
- **Delta Open (June 6-16):**
 - Christa Sakalauskas: Women's 4.5 Singles – Finalist
- **Burnaby Open (June 20-30):**
 - Nico Brummelcamp: Men's 4.0 Singles – Finalist
 - Katie Sakalauskas: Women's 4.5 Singles – Finalist
- **Stanley Park Open (July 5-21):**
 - Nico Brummelcamp: Men's 4.0 Singles – Finalist
 - Katie Sakalauskas: Women's 4.5 Singles – Semifinalist
 - Steve Bower: Men's 3.5 Singles – Quarterfinalist
- **2024 BCMWTA Amica Grand Prix BC Masters Women's Tennis Association (December 5 -18th) (Ages 30+)**
 - Susie Lang-Gould – Women's 50 Doubles – Winner - (partner **Michelle Sing** ,BTC)
 - Susie Lang-Gould - Women's 50 Singles – Winner
 - Katie Sakalauskas – Women's 35 Singles – Semi finalist

Junior News



Big congratulations to our junior members, Leo Zhang and Yang Yang Fan. At just 6.5 years old, Leo won both the U8 Red Ball and U10 Orange Ball tournaments in the summer of 2024! Yang Yang Fan was the champion in the girls U10 green dot tournament. We are looking forward to seeing our players of all ages excel in the all the upcoming 2025 tournaments.

Hazelmere Club Championship Highlights

The Hazelmere Club Championship 2024 was a smashing success! From September 13 to 21, the courts were alive with excitement, fierce competition, and incredible camaraderie as our talented members battled it out for the top spots.

A big round of applause to all the participants who showcased their skills, passion, and sportsmanship throughout the tournament. It's events like this that truly bring our tennis community together and highlight the spirit of the Hazelmere Tennis Club.

Congratulations to Our Winners!



Beach League Champions!

From June 29 to July 20, Hazelmere Tennis Club faced off against Sunshine Hills, Tsawwassen, and White Rock Tennis Clubs in an exhilarating Beach League tournament.

We are thrilled to announce that Hazelmere Tennis Club took home the trophy! A huge congratulations to our team for their outstanding performance and sportsmanship throughout the competition.

Thank you to all the players and supporters who made this tournament unforgettable. Hazelmere pride shines bright



Our A2 men's league team was promoted to A1 after an impressive winning season.

Congratulations to the team of players who contributed to this remarkable success! We were proud to see them compete at the next level and continue to represent Hazelmere Tennis Club with distinction.

We're thrilled to announce some fantastic additions to our tennis leagues for 2025!

- **Division 1 Ladies Night League:** A new evening league to complement our popular Division 1 Ladies Day League, offering flexibility for players to enjoy competitive tennis day or night.
- **Women's Division 5 Day League:** A new daytime league tailored to provide more opportunities for women to play, improve, and connect on the court.
- **Men's B League:** A brand-new league for men, designed to foster friendly competition and community spirit.

Whether you're a seasoned player or just starting out, there's something for everyone. Stay tuned for registration details and start dates—we can't wait to welcome you to another exciting year of tennis at Hazelmere!

Mixed Monday Tennis Night League Recap

Congrats to Geoff and Susie, our overall winners of this season's point-based league! Huge thanks to all players for making Monday nights so fun and competitive. We can't wait to bring the excitement back in 2025—stay tuned!



Seasonal fun

Santa hats, reindeer antlers, and a sleigh-load of tennis balls!



Our Sunday group served up the holiday spirit in style yesterday, raising funds for the Surrey Food Bank while acing their festive outfits. Who knew Christmas cheer could smash this hard on the courts?



Hazelmere Year End Party Planning Committee – Juan, Christa, Jamie, Katie



Hazelmere Tennis Committee
Jamie and Juan

Hazelmere's First Annual Year-End Party

What a fantastic way to wrap up 2024! Our first annual Hazelmere Year-End Party was a celebration to remember as we came together to reflect on an incredible year and look ahead to an exciting 2025.

A huge congratulations to this year's award winners:

- 🏆 **Billy Goutzinakis** - Most Improved Male
- 🏆 **Katerine Savard** - Most Improved Female
- 👗 **Christine Good** - Best Dressed
- 🏆 **Lisa Jouzy** - Most Sportsmanlike
- 🏆 **Andrew Homeyer** - Spirit Award
- 🏆 **Jamie Davidson** - Marathoner Award

Thank you to everyone who joined us for this special event. The laughter, memories, and camaraderie are what make Hazelmere Tennis Club so special.

Relive the Fun

Check out the photos from the night here: [Photo Gallery](#)
Here's to an even bigger and better 2025!

Exciting Things Ahead at Hazelmere!

Stay tuned for announcements about future events at Hazelmere Tennis Club! We've got some incredible plans in the works, including our next Club Tournament, a fun-filled Casino Night, and so much more.

Make sure to keep an eye on your inbox and our social media pages so you don't miss out on the action. Let's make 2025 another unforgettable year together!