



PCTC NEWSLETTER

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Hours: Mon-Thurs 8AM-2PM & 4PM-8PM
Fri-Sun: 8AM-2PM

www.palmcoasttenniscenter.com

MARCH 2019

PASS HOLDER BIRTHDAYS

Susan Barnes	March 2
Jeanne Mager	March 17
Ben Savy	March 18
Addie Szabo	March 22
David Kelsey	March 24
Candy Newman	March 27
Mary Wildstein	March 29
Marion Sears	March 31



UPCOMING HOLIDAYS

Happy St. Patrick's Day!
Wear a green shirt on
Friday, March 15 & we'll
enter you in a PRIZE raffle!



Sunday, April 21 PCTC will be
CLOSED in observance of the Easter
holiday.



Thank you to all who are helping out by recycling while at PCTC. Please continue to share with your non-Pass Holder guests and other players who may not be aware:

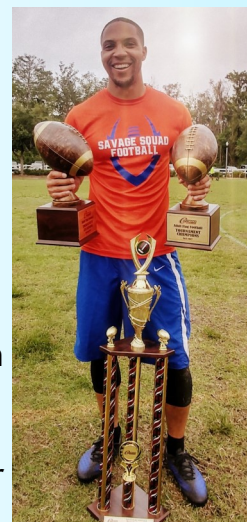
Throw plastic beverage containers and empty ball canisters in the blue recycle bins around the courts or at the back porch steps. The small on-court black bins are for trash only, NOT recyclables. Thank You!!



STAFF SPOTLIGHT: BRANDON WASHINGTON

Brandon serves as the Recreation Supervisor of Athletics, while also heading up the Palm Coast Tennis Center as the Director of the facility. He oversees all athletics within the City of Palm Coast (except for golf) with the focus being Indian Trails Sports Complex, the Palm Coast Tennis Center, and Ralph Carter Park. He also serves as the Tournament Director for the M25 Palm Coast Tennis Tournament. Brandon also assists with the social media accounts for the Palm Coast Tennis Center.

Prior to taking his job in the City of Palm Coast, Brandon had 12 years of experience in the recreation field with stops at the City of Haines City, IMG Academy, UCF Athletic Department, California State University - Bakersfield (CSUB) Recreation Department and CSUB Athletic Department. Brandon earned his MPA in Public Administration in 2014 from UCF where he worked as a track coach, graduate assistant academic advisor and student-supervisor for facilities. During his first year of graduate school, he competed professionally for track and field with the Adidas camp out of the National Training Center in Claremont.



During his undergraduate career, he was a 4-year track and field athlete competing in hurdles, sprints and jumps; an Honors Student, a McNair scholar and part of the Honors College. In his spare time, Brandon enjoys being outdoors doing anything athletic whether it is playing flag football, kickball, riding a bike, longboarding, or snowboarding. His passion is engagement and building communities with his belief being that you can utilize recreation to unite communities.



2ND ANNUAL *Ladies Day 2019*

Saturday, April 27, 2019 10am-1pm

We invite you to come enjoy a day of fun and pampering!
Round Robin & Promotional Giveaways & Complimentary Chair Massages

Cost to Attend: Free for PCTC Annual Pass Holders
\$10.00 per lady for Non-Pass Holders

You are welcome to invite ladies who do not regularly play at PCTC.
We will provide lunch, wine and non-alcoholic beverages for you to enjoy.
Advance registration required.

Please RSVP by April 20th at: www.parksandrec.fun
(under Tennis Programs, Tennis Special Events)



Bragging Rights! Who will win the "Cup" this year?

Flagler Palm Coast and Matanzas High School tennis teams compete for the "Palm Coast Cup." The winning school's tennis team holds the "Cup" for one year. The competitive matches are held at the Palm Coast Tennis Center (PCTC) with equipment (balls, etc.) and refreshments provided by the *Friends of Tennis*. Come out on **Wed. March 6 at 3pm** and watch your favorite high school compete for the "Cup."

Annual Scholarship Round Robin Tournament, May 2019 (date TBD)

At the end of the high school tennis season, four graduating high school students who are members of the tennis teams will be awarded scholarships—one girl and one boy each from Flagler Palm Coast and Matanzas High Schools. The tournament is a round robin event, so everyone gets an opportunity to play. It is open to the public. Pass Holders, parents, students, scholarship winners are all invited to enjoy tennis and lots of refreshments. An auction and the four scholarships will be awarded at the completion of the tournament. More information to come regarding registration to attend.

Dues—Just a quick reminder, your *Friends of Tennis* dues (\$10/per year) can be dropped off at the PCTC Front Desk; however, payment must be exact change in a sealed envelope with your name on it. Your dues help FOT to support scholarships and children's events throughout the year at PCTC.

Agnes C. Lightfoot—President, Friends of Tennis

SPRING BREAK TENNIS CAMP - March 11-15 at Belle Terre Park

Age 6-13 years

Sign up at: www.parksandrec.fun/camps

9am-4pm

UPCOMING YOUTH EVENTS Come out to watch the fun!!

USTA Junior Tournament - April 13-14 at PCTC

Young tennis players from around the Florida area will compete.

8am



High School Tennis 3A District 4 Tournament - April 16-17 at PCTC
(Players from St. Johns, Flagler & Volusia county high school teams)

Time: TBD



THE LEAGUE LIFE

PCTC—Spring 2019 League Standings (as of 2/28/19):



GVTL		
Division/Level	PCTC Captain	Standings
Womens Day Combo 9.5	Neufeld	1st
Womens Day Combo 6.0	Wildstein	2nd
Women Night Bi-Level 3.5/3.0	Bird	3rd
Womens Day 3.5	Harrington	2nd
Womens Day 50+ 3.5	Forsberg	2nd
Womens Day Lite 60+ 3.0	Kalush	1st
Womens Day Lite 60+ 2.5	Lightfoot	1st
Womens Day Lite 4.0	Ogden	1st
Womens Day Lite 3.5	Newman	1st
Womens Day Lite 3.0	Wildstein	2nd
Womens Day Lite 3.0	Markowski	4th
Womens Day Lite 2.5	Hewitt	1st

FCTL		
TEAM	MATCHES PLAYED	TOTAL
Pelander	5	60
Gardner	5	60
Sweeney	6	85
McDaniel	6	120
Zimmerman	6	150

Doubles Cornhole Tournament at PCTC—

April 6 9am-1pm

Come out and watch the fun for free. Registration to play is open to the public—the price is \$20 for a two-person team. Bags and boards are provided. Sign up in advance at:

www.parksandrec.fun/athletics



DONATIONS FOR SHELTER ANIMALS

The City of Palm Coast is collecting items to donate to the Flagler Humane Society. Items that can be donated are:

Blankets, pillows, towels, bedding(can be used), dog/cat food, toys and treats. If you would like to participate, bring your items to PCTC before **March 29.**



PARKS & RECREATION

Winter/Spring Activity Guide available at:

Register for programs at:

www.palmcoastgov.com/recreation

www.parksandrec.fun