

Winchester SLAZENGER Tennis Open 2010

About the event

This years Open Tournament takes place from 12-18th July. The tournament continues to attract a large entry and the quality is also high. There are some highly ranked juniors in the 18's and 16s events which both carry grade 2 status. Similarly the grade 3 14's event has attracted a sizeable and quality entry. (higher grade status events attract higher quality players – most summer junior tournaments are grade 3 or lower)

We have however had to scale down this years event as the construction work has reduced our court capacity by 5 courts. Around 250 players including some of our own top juniors will compete in the following events

Boys & Girls 18 & Under	48 draw in each	starts Monday
Boys & Girls 16 & Under	32 draw in each	starts Monday
Boys & Girls 14 & Under	24 draw in each	starts Tuesday
Boys & Girls 12 & Under	32 draw in each	from Wednesday
Mens Open	32 draw	starts Monday
Ladies Open	32 draw	starts Tuesday
Mens and Ladies Open Doubles		start Wednesday

Finals Day is on Saturday 17th July with finals starting in the morning from around 9:30am.

Members and friends should take the opportunity to come along during the week and enjoy the high standard of tennis on view.

We are also holding a grade 3 red ball event for 8 & under on Sunday 18th July from 11am. This will attract a high standard and members may be interested to see the quality of tennis on view from these under 8s! (Members will have access to most courts as normal on Sunday 18th July – only 4 courts will be used for the red ball event from 11am until around 2pm)

Parking, use of squash and fitness facilities and court availability

Tennis Courts

Tennis courts are not available to members from Monday 12th through to Saturday 17th July. If everything goes to schedule, there may be some courts available for members on Saturday afternoon.

Other facilities and Parking

Squash and fitness facilities are available as normal but car access to the club and parking will be difficult. The club car park is usually full from 9am. Parking on the drive is not allowed. We ask members to avoid the congestion by parking on Kynegils Rd and accessing the club from the gate on the north side of the club. (The gate will be kept open throughout the week).

There is yellow line restriction on some of the streets around Kynegils Rd and these will help ensure that people park with consideration to neighbours.

Members are recommended where possible not to come by car.

