

BURY & WEST SUFFOLK 92nd TENNIS TOURNAMENT

“Regional Winner Aegon British Tennis awards 2016”

“Suffolk LTA Tournament of the Year 2015”



Monday 29th July - Friday 2nd August 2019

(Closing date for entries: 10 am, Sunday 21st July, Withdrawal date: 10 am, Monday 22nd July)



**Culford Sports & Tennis Centre, Culford School,
Culford, Bury St Edmunds, IP28 6TX**

Championship standard venue with superb indoor and outdoor tennis facilities with 11 courts

LTA Grade 4 Tournament – LTA code no: **SUF19SO386**

www.lta.org.uk

Tournament Website: **www.burywestsuffolktt.co.uk**

● **Open, New event 45+ Men's Singles, 18&U, 16&U, 14&U, 12&U, 10&U, singles and doubles plus 9&U, 8&U singles**

● **18&U mixed doubles sponsored by The Bury Free Press**

In all singles events, with a minimum entry of 8, there should be non-compulsory consolation matches for all 1st match losers. Consolation Draw will take place after Round 2.

Competitors **MUST** ensure they are available to play over all three days of their chosen event(s).

Mini Tennis days vary.

NB: Matches will be played on outdoor hard and/or indoor courts (8&U indoors)

Total prize value will be approximately £800, subject to entries

Home made refreshments available all week

The school swimming pool should be available to use at certain times, for a small charge

Topspin Tennis will be at the Tournament all week with a range of clothes, racquets plus tennis accessories and will provide a re-stringing service

DE Photography will be on site, taking photographs

Speed of Serve competition and Table Tennis

Sorry, NO dogs allowed on site.

TOURNAMENT COMMITTEE

Chairman: Ms S A Glasswell

Treasurer: Mrs L Wright

President: Mr A G Passey

Secretary: Mrs D Rix

Tournament Referee: Kevin Starkey

Entries Secretary: Craig Lambert

Committee: Mr G King, Mrs S Cairns,

Mrs Hilary Taylor

**One of Suffolk's Longest Established Tennis Tournaments, now at
Culford's championship standard indoor and outdoor tennis facilities**



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RULES AND CONDITIONS - PLEASE READ CAREFULLY

1. This tournament is approved by the LTA & will be conducted in accordance with the LTA Competition Regulations (including the LTA Code of Conduct), the Rules of Tennis & the LTA Rules, including the LTA's Disciplinary & Dispute Resolution Procedures, Tennis Anti-Doping Programme & Regulations concerning Match Fixing, Financial Speculation & Betting.
2. **Every competitor MUST be a British Tennis member and have a rating.** Applications should be made online at <https://www.lta.org.uk/Members/Join/> or by phoning 020 8487 7000 **BEFORE entering the tournament**
3. **Online entry is expected & actively encouraged.** Go to <https://www3.lta.org.uk/Competitions/Competition/?ctn=1-E3DWEX4> and input tournament code **SUF19SO386**. Please use the online payment through PayPal. Closing date is 10 am 21st July. If you cannot enter online, entry forms with correct fees should be received by the Entries Secretary, **Craig Lambert; 13 Karen Close Ipswich IP1 4LP** by 10 am 21st July, email: **clam04@hotmail.co.uk**, tel. **01473 210874** and mobile **07484335820**.
Withdrawal Deadline: 10 am 22nd July – NO REFUNDS AFTER THIS DATE. Draws will be made using the latest TTP software.
NB: If events are oversubscribed, selection will be made on Rating then Ranking (Mini Tennis – Rating then Recent Form).
The Committee reserves the right to refuse any entry with justifiable reason.
4. Reporting times for first matches will be notified by e-mail, prior to commencement of the tournament, to all entrants so it is VERY important that e-mail addresses are current & correct. Also please ensure that mobile phone numbers are notified and correct as this is our secondary means of contacting players. For queries please ring Craig Lambert.

(a) **Singles Events:** Mon 29th to Wed 31st Jul - 14&U, 18&U;
Wed 31st Jul to Fri 2nd Aug Men's and Ladies' Singles start at 2 p.m.
Thurs 1st to Fri 2nd Aug - 12&U, 16&U.

Please note: Men's and Ladies' Open start at 2pm

(b) **Doubles:** 29th Jul to Wed 31st Jul - 14&U, 18&U, Mixed 18&U;
Thurs 1st Aug to Fri 2nd Aug - 12&U, 16&U, Doubles
Wed 31st Jul to Fri 2nd Aug Men's and Ladies' Doubles start at 2 p.m.

Mini Red 8&U: Tues 30th July; Mini Orange 9&U: Wed 31st July ; Mini Green 10&U: Mon 29th July

NB: Scheduling may be amended by the Referee, should there be adverse weather or unusual entry levels.

5. **Competitors may enter:** (a) A maximum of 2 singles and 2 doubles events (*Mini Tennis Orange and Green Players will be allowed to play up when in their final season of their age group/ball colour, if they have reached a level 1 or 1* Mini tennis rating. Mini Tennis Red 1 players will be allowed to play up when in their second to last and last season*). See the age group calculator on the LTA website.
6. **Play will start at 9.00am daily and may continue until 10pm.** Players should arrive **at least 15 minutes before** their scheduled start time and must be available to play when required. Competitors who continue to progress in several events are reminded that they may be required to play several matches in any one day.
7. Correct tennis shoes and clothing **must** be worn. Large logos are not permitted.
8. All main draw matches will be the best of 3 sets, with the third set as a match tie-break to 10 points (2 clear points). **Mini Green 10&U** matches will be 1 short set (tie-break at 4-4) in the box stage and in latter stages the best of 3 short sets with third set replaced by a match tie-break. **Mini Orange 9&U** will be best of three tie breaks to 7 (2 clear points). **Mini Red 8&U** matches will be one match tiebreak to 10. In inclement weather, events scoring may be changed by the Referee.
9. All competitors **MUST BE AVAILABLE TO PLAY OVER ALL DAYS OF THEIR CHOSEN EVENT(S).**
10. If a player withdraws after 10 am, 22nd July 2019 or fails to appear at, or defaults during the Tournament they will incur penalty points in accordance with LTA Regulations.
11. The Tournament will be played on mixed surfaces – hard & indoor courts (8&U – indoors). During adverse weather conditions the Committee & Referee reserve the right to use alternative venues.
12. The Referee will be responsible for the running of the Tournament and his/her decisions on all matters in connection with the Tournament are final. Any complaints must be made in writing, addressed to the Tournament Committee and lodged with the Tournament Secretary within 48 hours of the cause of the complaint. NB: The Tournament Committee would be delighted to hear your feedback regarding the Tournament, so that it can be improved for future years.
13. The Tournament cannot accept liability for injury, damage or loss of property by any cause, **nor be held responsible for children left unattended.**
14. By entering this tournament the player and parent/guardian consent to the following:
 - (a). **Doping Statement:** *"I consent to him/her participating in doping control procedures if selected, undertaken by a doping control officer appointed by UK Sport."*
 - (b). **Disciplinary Statement:** *"I acknowledge and agree that I am subject to the Rules and Regulations of the LTA (including, without limitation, the LTA's Tournament Regulations, Anti-Doping Programme, Disciplinary and Dispute Resolution Procedures and the Regulations Concerning Match Fixing, Financial Speculation and Betting) and hereby fully and unconditionally submit to the jurisdiction and authority of the LTA."*
 - (c). **Media Statement:** *"I consent to being involved in any publicity connected with LTA Staged or Approved Tournaments, including media interviews, photographs, TV footage and LTA research projects. Please inform the tournament organiser/committee if you DO NOT wish to be involved in such publicity."*
 - (d). **British Tennis Membership:** *"I consent to the details provided on this entry form to be used to update the membership record of the person identified."*
 - (e). **Data Usage Statement:** *"I consent to the LTA and/or the organisers of LTA tournaments, from my geographical area, using the details provided on the entry form to communicate information about this and future tournaments, in my geographical area, via post/email or SMS (text)."*

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Tournament Code: SUF19SO386 Entry fees should be paid online (through PayPal)

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY

NB: DOUBLES PLAYERS – A SEPARATE ENTRY FORM NEEDED FOR **EACH** PLAYER!

Name: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Address: _____

Post Code: _____

Telephone No: _____ mobile _____ email: _____

British Tennis Membership No: _____ LTA Rating: _____ male/female

School _____ Club _____

N°	SINGLES	Event <i>*ensure in correct group!</i>	Tick	Red & Orange £12	£16 each
1	Men's Open Singles				
2	Ladies' Open Singles				
3	+45 Men's Singles event	45 & over (from 31 st Aug 2018)			
4	Boys' Singles	18 & under (to 31 st Aug 2019)			
5	Girls' Singles	18 & under (to 31 st Aug 2019)			
6	Boys' Singles	16 & under (to 31 st Aug 2019)			
7	Girls' Singles	16 & under (to 31 st Aug 2019)			
8	Boys' Singles	14 & under (to 31 st Aug 2019)			
9	Girls' Singles	14 & under (to 31 st Aug 2019)			
10	Boys' Singles	12 & under (to 31 st Aug 2019)			
11	Girls' Singles	12 & under (to 31 st Aug 2019)			
12	Mini Green Singles at £14 each	10 & under (to 31 st Aug 2019)			
13	Mini Orange Singles at £12 each	9 & under (to 31 st Aug 2019)			
14	Mini Red Singles at £12 each	8 & under (to 31 st Aug 2019)			
N°	DOUBLES	Event <i>*ensure in correct group!</i>	Tick	Partner's name or Wanted	£10 each
15	Men's Open Doubles				
16	Ladies' Open Doubles				
17	Boys' Doubles	18 & under (to 31 st Aug 2019)			
18	Girls' Doubles	18 & under (to 31 st Aug 2019)			
19	Boys' Doubles	16 & under (to 31 st Aug 2019)			
20	Girls' Doubles	16 & under (to 31 st Aug 2019)			
21	Boys' Doubles	14 & under (to 31 st Aug 2019)			
22	Girls' Doubles	14 & under (to 31 st Aug 2019)			
23	Boys' Doubles	12 & under (to 31 st Aug 2019)			
24	Girls' Doubles	12 & under (to 31 st Aug 2019)			
25	Mixed Doubles	18 & under (to 31 st Aug 2019)			
*To ascertain your correct age group, please go to:-				TOTAL	£

www.lta.org.uk/play/competing/competition-age-groups1

Any entry forms & cheques must be made payable to 'Bury & W. Suffolk Tennis Tournament' and sent to arrive by 10am **Sunday 21st July 2019** to: Craig Lambert, 13 Karen Close, Ipswich IP1 4LP. tel. 01473 210874, mobile 07484335820, email: clam04@hotmail.co.uk

Note: Withdrawal date: 10am Monday 22nd July 2019. Tournament referee: Kevin Starkey.

We, as parents or guardians (for players under 18) and all other competitors confirm that we have read, understand and agree to abide by the Tournament Rules as a condition of entry and that we accept the statements set out in Rule 14. We also authorise any emergency medical treatment as may be recommended by an approved medical authority. **NB:** Please tick box if you DO NOT wish photos to be used on the website:

Signature player: _____ Signature Parent/Guardian: _____ Date: _____

Tournament Website: www.burywestsuffolkt.com