2021 YEAR IN REVIEW





CONTENTS

BOARD AND STAFF
EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR REPORT
JUNIOR PROGRAMS
ADULT LEAGUES
WORKING COMMITTEES
WORKING TO MAKE TENNIS FUN
COMMUNITY TENNIS ASSOCIATION
UTAH TENNIS FOUNDATION
AFFILIATED ORGANIZATIONS
SPONSORS AND SUPPORTERS
TREASURER'S REPORT
2021 ANNUAL AWARDS
OUR HISTORY





UTAH TENNIS ASSOCIATION

2021 EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

PRESIDENT

Brad Ferreira

VICE PRESIDENT ADULT

Jake Johnson

VICE PRESIDENT JUNIOR

Holly Hasler

CHAIR:

Brad Ferreira

SECRETARY

Jon Hafen

TREASURER Marce Miles

Charlene Peterson

Past President

WORKING COMMITTEES & CHAIRS

CHAIR:

CHAIR

JUNIOR REC. & COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT Garrett Snyder

Rules & Regulation Grievance CHAIR TBD Brad Ferreira

CHAIR Holly Hasler WHEELCHAIR TENNIS Marianne Orr

CHAIR Scott Hinton

NEW PROGRAMS COMMITTEE CHAIR

UTAH TENNIS ASSOCIATION-STAFF:

Laurie Lambert - Executive Director Robin Wise Ally Sundberg Gretchen Soffe Garrett Snyder Anthony Panuzio

UTAH UMPIRES ASSOCIATION

2021 BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Jon Hafen

Charlene Peterson Marce Miles Holly Hasler Jake Johnson **Tony Wallin** Marianne Orr Chris Bleak Kim Warren Steve Kinslow Scott Hinton Ian Rothfels

RELATED ORGANIZATIONS

Utah Tennis Foundation



TRUSTEES Jon Hafen

Brad Ferreira Holly Hasler Marce Miles Charlene Peterson Jake Johnson

CHAIR Karen Jeppson

COMMUNITY TENNIS ASSOCIATIONS & NJTLS

EXECUTIVE BOARD AND STAFF

2021 USTA UTAH

USTA UTAH STAFF

2021 USTA UTAH STAFF MEMBERS



Laurie Lambert Executive Director



Gretchen Soffe
Outreach Coordinator



Robin Wise
Tournament &
Player Development
Coordinator



Garrett Snyder Junior Program Manager



Ally Sundberg
District Adult League Coordinator



Anthony Panuzio
Communication Coordinator

USTA UTAH STAFF

2021 USTA UTAH STAFF MEMBERS



Jeremy Horner Pickleball Manager



Darcy Tsandes
Accountant



Trent Shorter
Northern Area Coordinator



Deborah Cavaliere Southern Utah Area Coordinator



Cherstin Harris
10 & Under Manager



Redd Owen
Junior Programming Coordinator

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR REPORT

The 2021 year of tennis in Utah continued to amaze me with the growth we saw in every aspect of the sport. Tennis in the country received a boom in participation during 2020 and 2021 as people across the country saw tennis as a great sport during the COVID pandemic. Tennis in our state had been growing consistently even before COVID, but grew at enormous rates in 2021. Be sure to look at our league numbers to see the incredible growth in this one area of participation.

I am extremely proud of our team at Utah Tennis Association. They continually are thinking of ways to meet the needs of the public, and to offer creative new programming to fill gaps where we see them. Our tennis facility partners are the most amazing community of tennis professionals. As tennis has grown, we are happy to see that their courts are constantly full with junior and adult programming.

As the traditional facilities in our area became more full, we needed to find more courts in the community in which to run our new programs. Public parks like Olympus Hills were the sights of programs our Outreach Coordinator, Gretchen Soffe ran. She filled these courts during beautiful summer evenings with our New to Tennis program and the Young Adult Socials. Huge numbers of players filled these events every week. In addition, Gretchen ran multiple short format adult tournaments that are a great addition to the tennis products we deliver.

Ally Sundberg has been able to somehow keep finding homes for the ever increasing league demand that we are seeing. The puzzle of how to make sure each team gets 8 matches per league and to work with the facilities for courts is tough for every league, particularly our indoor season. Amazingly, Ally never turns a player away, and she and Gretchen are great at finding teams for new players to join. The Utah league program was in the Top 10 for National growth frequently during the past 3 years.



EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR REPORT

Garrett Snyder has found his love by creating so many events for the Junior Recreational player. Many of these juniors compete on high school teams, but need more match play experience. Garrett has created Junior Circuit events for orange, green, and yellow ball players that are short format, round robin events where juniors get a chance to practice their match play and develop their skills in a fun environment. With the National USTA 10 & Under restructure that took place leading into 2021, many tournaments no longer offered 10 & Under programming. Garrett filled this gap with his 10 & Under Junior Circuit events. Garrett's Junior Circuit sell out and the demand for this product continues to grow.

Anthony Panuzio lives for the beautiful photo of a tennis player. Over the past 2 years, he has attended dozens of events taking place in our community to shoot photos and create great content for our social media. With our social media, we strive to promote, honor and showcase tennis in our community. We post at least once every day to make sure that we have timely and fresh content for our followers.

Robin Wise ran the IceBreaker this year with good weather for the first time ever it seemed. This tournament has been broken up into 2 weeks of play to better work with court constraints during the iffy spring weather. She also ran a huge Utah State Open and Labor Day Masters for our highest competition players.

As the fall arrived, our staff was feeling pretty exhausted from hosting so many events. The Board of Directors supported my request to increase staffing in order to continue to deliver even more programs to the public that we had envisioned, but did not have the man power to execute. The year ended with multiple new staff members added – a Southern Utah Coordinator, Northern Utah Coordinator, 10 & Under Coordinator, Finance Manager and a full-time Pickleball Manager. We are so excited to grow as an organization and keep our mission alive – we are here to Grow the Game of Tennis for everyone in our state.

Gratefully - Laurie Lambert



JUNIOR PROGRAMS

In 2021, Garrett Snyder kept the momentum from 2020, and continued to create unique formats and opportunities for kids in Utah to play tennis.

These new tournament-like formats were both fun and less competitive so kids of all ages and levels had an event tailored to them. These events were mostly round robins that would take place in one day.

These events included:

USTA Junior Circuit Events

USTA Team Tournament Events
USTA High School Singles Tournament
USTA High School Doubles Tournament
USTA High School JV Singles Tournament
USTA High School Mixed Doubles Tournaments



NTRP ADULT LEAGUE

2021 was a great year for league play in the state of Utah. Check out these league numbers!

Winter League

Teams: 109

Players: 1,423

USTA 18 & Over Mixed Doubles

Teams: 29

Players: 505

USTA 18 & Over

Teams: 134

Players: 2,081

2.5 Women Summer League

Teams: 12

Players: 100

UTA 40 & Over League

Teams: 97 Players: 1,533 USTA 55 & Over

Teams: 24

Players: 315

USTA 65 & Over

Teams: 9

Players: 96

ITA Fall Mixed Doubles

Teams: 27

Players: 439

UTA Fall Outdoor League

Teams: 113

Players: 1,586

UTA Fall Indoor League

Teams: 96

Players: 1,160

UTA Tri-Level League

Teams: 6

Players: 99

UTA WTT League

Teams: 28

UTA 18-39 League

Players: 270

Teams: 7

UTA 40 & Over Mixed

League

Players: 270

Teams: 19



NTRP RESULTS 1st Place Winners



Men's 3.0 Singles- Scott Riding
Men's 3.5 Singles- Antony Voznesensky
Men's 4.0 Singles- Aaron Gabbart
Men's 4.5 Singles- Long
Men's Open Singles- King Koehler
Women's 3.0 Singles- Jennifer Sampson
Women's 3.5 Singles- Kristi Warren
Women's 4.0 Singles- Tiffany Kasteler
Women's 4.5 Singles- Kecia Gwilliam
Women's Open Singles- Jacque Dunyon

Men's 3.0 Doubles- Pahoran Dasilva
Men's 3.5 Doubles- Nicholas Gear
Men's 4.0 Doubles- Jonas Kurihara
Men's 4.5 Doubles- AJ Miyazaki
Men's 5.0 Doubles- Jake Keller
Men's Open Doubles- Connor Robb-Wilcox
Women's 3.0 Doubles- Debi Johnson
Women's 3.5 Doubles- Jordyn Parry
Women's 4.0 Doubles- Rachel Labrum
Women's 4.5 Doubles- Kara Douville
Women's Open Doubles- Leah Heimuli

Men's 55 Singles- Roger Russell
Men's 60 Singles- Curtis Carter
Men's 65 Singles- Tim Fosdick
Men's 70 Singles- Andrew Pearlstein
Men's 75 Singles- Richard Eyre
Men's 80 Singles- Bruno Kossin
Women's 60 Singles- Debra Rawlings
Women's 65 Singles- Carolee Hammel
Women's 70 Singles- Marianne Saibara
Women's 75 Singles- Sylvia Williams

TOURNAMENT & PLAYER DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE

2021 was a mixed year for Tournaments. For quite a while tennis tournaments were shut down due to Covid 19. When tournament players were finally able to play tournaments again, we had a huge response with many of our District tournaments exceeding their record participation numbers.

The Tournament and Player Development Committee members meet three to four times a year to discuss tournaments, player development programs and the development of our junior players.

This is a very committed group of volunteers and they truly care about the development of our Utah junior players.

Chair – Holly Hasler
Committee Members – Lindsay Rawstorne, Brian Moore, Bob Juhasz,
Joey Johnson, Tony Wallin, Tiffin Tullis, Mike White, Matt Stohl and
Tanner Frey.

Staff - Robin Wise





WORKING 2 MAKE TENNIS FUN

SOCIAL TENNIS

While COVID had a definite impact in 2021, our outdoor social programs were very popular. Several reports listed tennis as a top activity that was safe to participate in with proper social guidelines in place. The programs and events we held included:

- NEW TO TENNIS Social Group

Held in June and July at Olympus Hills Park. This program was targeted at players interested in getting back into the game and eventually participating in League. It was a great place for participants to connect with other tennis players and learn about tennis opportunities in our community.

- YOUNG ADULT SOCIAL LEAGUE

Two hour socials were held for young adults between the ages of 18 to 39.

- WOMEN'S 4SCORE ONE DAY TOURNAMENT

In September, 3 division specific 4SCORE tournaments were held averaging 50 players per tournament. Held at Sports Mall on their outdoor courts, these tournaments provided an opportunity to play tennis and enjoy friends while competing for the 1st place trophy.

- Gretchen Soffe, USTA UTAH Outreach Coordinator

WORKING 2 MAKE TENNIS FUN

SOCIAL MEDIA

In 2021, the USTA Utah Social Media accounts took another big step forward. Despite the challenges of keeping the public in the know with the COVID-19 Global Pandemic, we were able to grow our IG and Twitter following by another 25%. We also grew our media archives by an additional 10,000 pictures and videos, .

Gretchen Soffe took on the challenge of creating company Tik-Tok videos for Tik-Tok and Instagram. Mixing these videos in with other pictures and forms of media, the USTA Utah social engagement grew by 100% in 2021. We are constantly creating new ways to market and promote our products. We cannot wait to see what fun projects we take on in 2022.

IG Info (As of 05.01.22)

POSTS: 891

FOLLOWERS: 2,169 FOLLOWING: 302

- Anthony Panuzio Communication Coordinator



UTAH TENNIS FOUNDATION

The Utah Tennis Foundation is a 501c3 non-profit organization established in 1987. This organization, which works closely with the Utah Tennis Association, seeks to open doors to players who might not otherwise be able to afford the sport of tennis. Through our fundraising efforts and donations, the Utah Tennis Foundation was able to help hundreds of players in our state in 2021. The Utah Tennis Foundation has several areas of assistance for players and community partners.

- Grants: Parks and Recreation Departments, Private or Public facilities, and Community Champions can apply for up to a \$1000 grant available each year to help with programming, expenses, or player need in their area. Examples of grant money needs could be windscreens expenses, balls and equipment for subsidized programming, money to provide player gifts, end of season party assistance, or help in paying instructors for free community based programming. To apply for a grant, contact Laurie Lambert at llambert@utahtennis.com
- Player Scholarships: Based on family financial need, good sportsmanship, and stated goals for tennis development, players may apply to become a Utah Tennis Foundation sponsored player. Assistance will vary from tournament entry fees, equipment support, and/or training expenses paid for by the Foundation. At any time, the UTF has approximately 10 players receiving scholarship assistance.
- Wheelchair Programming Support: Through monies donated, and grants written, the UTF provides the money to support the wheelchair tennis program in the state. These funds purchase equipment, court time, and pro time to deliver free programming for the majority of the wheelchair programs each year.



UTAH TENNIS FOUNDATION

- Out-of-State Travel Assistance: Junior players competing at the highest level incur high expenses each year for tournament entry fees, hotels, and travel expenses to compete in tournaments out of the state of Utah. To support these players, who represent our great state while they play elsewhere, the UTF provides end-of-year financial support to help progress each player's tennis career. District tournament play is a requirement to receive this money.
- For more information on this portion of the UTF support, please contact Laurie Lambert at llambert@utahtennis.com
- Subsidies for UTA programs: The UTF also helps subsidize expenses for programs run through the UTA such as Team Utah, CTC, Junior 4Scores and the Liveball program. By subsidizing these programs, our hope is that all players interested in participating in these additional opportunities for training are able to afford to join.

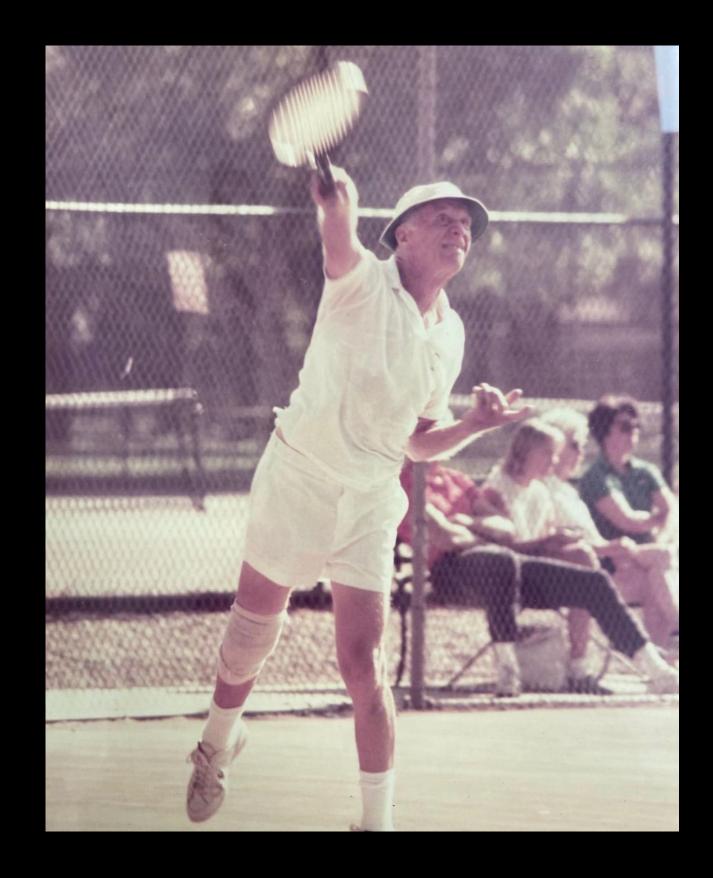


AFFILIATED ORGANIZATIONS

The UTAH TENNIS HALL OF FAME

The Utah Tennis Hall of Fame was founded in 1993 to honor and recognize those individuals who have made outstanding contributions to tennis in Utah. Candidates are nominated and elected based on admission as either a Player – acknowledging their achievements in tennis as either a junior and/or and adult. Or, candidates can be inducted as Contributors – a person who has made outstanding contributions to the sport of tennis in the state of Utah. Applications are available at Utah Tennis Association for consideration. While 2021 did not host an induction ceremony, applications are still being accepted for a planned ceremony in 2022.

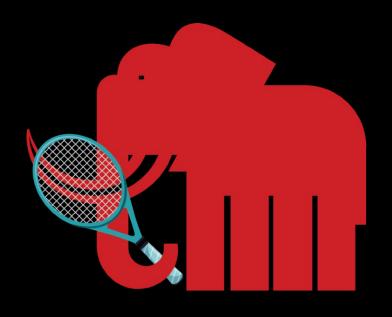
Other committee members include: Jim Osborne, Bill Bennion, Marilyn Wallin, Drew Sweet, Fritz Heinecke, Ric Hammond, Carolee Hammel, and administrative help from Laurie Lambert.



SPONSORS/SUPPORTERS

Utah Tennis Association is honored to receive support from the following sponsors.

Their generosity is critical to fulfilling the goals of our organization.

















TREASURER'S REPORT

STATEMENTS OF ACTIVITIES AND NET ASSETS (PREPARED WITHOUT AUDIT)
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31ST, 2021

REVENUES AND OTHER SUPPORT	TOTAL
DUES - GRANTS - OTHER INCOME - PROGRAM FEES SPONSORSHIP AND FUNDRAISING - UJTF PROGRAM ASSISTANCE - USED BALL SALES - INTEREST INCOME -	\$ 55,231 \$ 177,801 \$ 1,281 \$ 526,639 \$ 22,274 \$ 2,000 \$ 2,116 \$ 71
TOTAL REVENUES -	\$ 787,413
EXPENSES TOTAL -	\$694,936
OTHER INCOME - NET INCOME - CHANGE IN ASSETS - NET ASSETS BEGINNING OF YEAR -	\$128,941 \$ 221,418 \$ 220,288 \$ 559,371
NET ASSETS END OF YEAR -	\$ 779,659

ANNUAL AWARDS

DAVID L. FREED AWARD – Marce Miles

JAN DOWSE PLAYER OF THE YEAR AWARD – Hardy Owen & Emmie Moore

10 & UNDER YOUTH AMBASSADOR – Dee Dee Brateanu

DEVELOPMENTAL COACH OF THE YEAR - Georgy Batrakov

LINDA VINCENT COMMUNITY SERVICE AWARD - Chuck Bennorth

FAMILY OF THE YEAR – The Rideout Family

WILBUR BRAITHWAITE BOYS HS TEAM OF THE YEAR – Lone Peak

KATHY ROTHFELS GIRLS HS TEAM OF THE YEAR – Layton Lancers

RUBY HAMMEL AWARD – Dylan Lolofie

LEE HAMMEL AWARD - Lalith Suresh

GROWING THE GAME AWARD – Doug & Michelle Fowkes

CAPTAIN OF THE YEAR – Chris White & Valecia Warner

MARY LOU NORTH AWARD - AJ & Ashley Miyazaki & Sue Smith

ANNUAL AWARDS



David L. Freed Award Winner - Marce Miles



Captain of the Year Award - Chris White



Captain of the Year Award - Valecia Warner



Linda Vincent Service Award Winner - Chuck Bennorth



Janet Dowse Award Winner - Hardy Owen & Emmie Moore



Growing the Game Award - Doug & Michelle Fowkes

ANNUAL AWARDS



10 & Under Ambassador - DeeDee Brateanu



Family of The Year - Rideout Family



Lee Hammel Award Winner - Lalith Suresh



Developmental Coach of the Year - George Batrakov



Ruby Hammel Award Winner - Dylan Lolofie



Mary Lou North Award - AJ & Ashley Miyazaki Recipient not pictured: Sue Smith

DAVID L. FREED AWARD WINNERS

Established in 1979, this award is to be presented annually to an individual who has constantly provided leadership and example both in quality of play and service to the game.



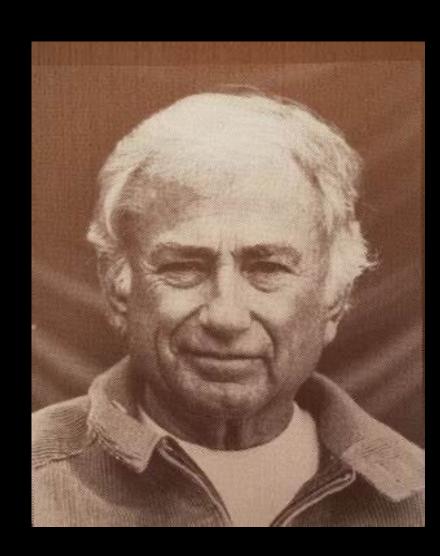
Marce Miles

1979 Joe Cowley 1980 Kathy Rothfels 1981 Lee Hammel 1982 Jack Fairclough 1983 Wilbur Braithwaite 1984 Harry James 1985 John Stevens 1986 Bob Ruthstein 1987 Patti Kelly 1988 Janice Stevens 1989 Kathryn Wright 1990 Myron Walker 1991 Rick Billings 1992 Warren Pretorius 1993 Chris Spackman 1994 Julia Bradley

1995 Clark Robinson 1996 Clark Barton 1997 Jim Osborne 1998 Mike Martines 1999 Lindsay Rawstorne 2000 Brad Ferreira 2001 Drew Sweet 2002 Cal Nelson 2003 Rod Horton 2004 John Lin 2005 RuthAnn Allen 2006 Andrew Valdez 2007 Dean Oba 2008 Debbie Robb 2009 Mike Trabert 2010 Ian Rothfels

2011 Laurie Lambert
2012 Clark Hancock
2013 Mike Cooper
2014 Brad Ferreira
2015 Bill Damron
2016 Christian Wright
2017 Ken and Ann Harris
2018 Brendan Bowyer
2019 Kriss Young
2020 Bob Haines
2021 Marce Miles

HARRY JAMES "WILL TO WIN" AWARD WINNERS



The "Will to Win" Award was established through the sponsorship of Wilson Racquet Sports in 1991 in memory of Harry James. The award is given from time to time to a wheelchair athlete for his or her outstanding contributions to the sport of tennis, both on and off the court.

1991 Mike Schlappi 1992 Dean Oba 1993 Corey White 1994 Randy Curry 1995 Danny Quintana 1996 Alan Kimball 1997 Charlie Levie 2000 Randy Curry 2001 Jeff Griffin 2002 Vernon Burgess 2004 Danny Quintana 2005 Randy Curry
2007 Eliza McIntosh
2008 Larry Orr
2009 Ryan Nelson
2010 Marianne Page
2011 Wally Lee
2012 Nathan Hunter
2013 Elizabeth Fetter
2014 Rick Draney
2016 Rachael Maughan
2018 Stu Contant

JANET DOWSE AWARD WINNERS



Hardy Owen & Emmie Moore

Established in memory of Janet M. Dowse, Executive Director of the Utah Tennis Association from 1980 to May 1996. Jan was balanced in her approach to tennis and life, keeping both in proper perspective. This award & scholarship was established in 1996 and is awarded annually to a junior player who exemplifies integrity, willingness to help others, love of family and the joy of playing tennis. The junior player is recognized and presented the scholarship and award during the Annual Awards event.

1996 Tyler Poulson 2010 Ashley Tanner

1997 Cassie Kasteler 2011 Matt Sweet

1998 Lu Oswald 2012 Colin Holyoak

1999 Beck Roghaar 2013 Brooke Burnside

2000 Hadley McFarlane 2014 Sidnee Lavatai

2001 Katie Ennenga 2015 Jonathan Dollahite

2002 Andrew Clayton 2016 Annalise County

2003 Ryan Goldstein 2017 Katie Foley

2005 Paige Miles 2018 Luke Vandecasteele

2006 Tori Arneson 2019 Connor Robb Wilcox

2020 Jacque Dunyon

2021 Hardy Owen & Emmie Moore

2008 MaryAnne McFarlane
2009 Chas Foote

2007 Grant Taylor

VOLUNTEER OF THE YEAR AWARD WINNERS

1991 Jim Cox

1992 Roy Keir

1993 Bruce Cummings

1994 Dee Briggs

1995 Larry Erickson

1996 Lisa Glines

1997 Gale Volkman

1998 Jean Greenwood

1999 Mark Jenson & Colleen Parry

2000 Carolyn Sam McFarlane & Melody Walter

2001 Shawna Patterson

2002 Cindy Kennedy, Mel Richards & Ken Harris

2003 Kande Shackelford & Bryan Bates

2004 Janice Smith

2005 Kate Sturgeon

2006 Leeza Evensen

2007 Bev Taylor

2008 Marce Miles

2009 Trish Jensen - Oba

2010 Kathy Cameron

2011 Daniele Cramer

2012 Jeanine Elsholz

2013 Marianne Page

2014 Shilane Mansell

2015 Crystal McMullin

2016 Ryan Schmidt

2017 Kathy Cameron

2018 Janice Smith

2019 Ken Ward

2020 Sergio Farfan

Established in 1991, the Volunteer of the Year Award is presented annually to a person who personifies the dedication of the tennis player who gives selflessly to the growth of the sport through involvement and commitment to the Utah

LEE HAMMEL AWARD WINNERS



Lalith Suresh

Named after Lee Hammel, who coached High School Tennis in Utah at South and East High School for 40 years with over 5 State High School Championship Titles. This award recognizes a male athlete for his achievements in high school.

20	007
Calvin	Bennett
Wat	erford

2008 Spencer Smith Brighton

2009 Matt Cowley Woods Cross

2011 Grant Taylor Brighton

2012 John Pearce Timpview 2013 Brendan Kempin Juan Diego

> 2014 Sam Tullis Viewmont

2016 Brocton Andrus Lone Peak

2017 Steffan Rigby Bear River

2018 Redd Owen Brighton 2019 TJ Wells Lone Peak

2020 Luke Pearson Park City

2021 Lalith Suresh Waterford

RUBY HAMMEL AWARD WINNERS



2007 Hailey Swenson Woods Cross 2012 MaryKate Johnson Logan 2016 Emilie Astle Alta 2020 Macy Richards Woods Cross

2008 Romina Ndeakovice Juan Diego 2013 Lacy Hancock Pine Valley 2017 Addi Sepulveda & Rali Jenkins Corner Canyon 2021 Dylan Lolofie Highland

Dylan Lolofie

Named after Ruby Hammel, who has been a tennis advocate for junior tennis for over 50 years and has taught and introduced hundreds of young girls to the sport of tennis. Through her guidance, inspiration and direction many of these young girls have gone on to play and compete on a High School Tennis Team. This award recognizes a female athlete for her achievements in high school tennis and also recognizes the individual for their overall performance, team spirit, sportsmanship and attitude both on and off the court.

2009 Paige Miles Juan Diego 2014 Kate Cusick Timpview 2018 Emma Jewell Olympus

2011 McKenzie Davis Cottonwood 2015 Sydney Nichols Bear River 2019 Tia Turley Desert Hills

WILBUR BRATHWAITE AWARD WINNERS

2007 2013 2018 Brighton Viewmont Brighton

2008 2014 2019

Judge Memorial Juan Diego Waterford

2009 2015 2021 Timpview Mountain View Lone Peak

2011 2016
Rowland Hall Waterford

High School Championship Titles. This award recognizes achievement in high school tennis but is not determined solely on win/loss record. Below represents as Manti

Skyline

High School Championship Titles. This award recognizes achievement in high school tennis but is not determined solely on win/loss record. Below represents as partial list of past recipients.

Named after Wilbur Braithwaite, who

coached High School Tennis at Manti High School for 53 years with over eleven State

KATHY ROTHFELS & LUCEEN SULLIVAN HIGH SCHOOL AWARD WINNERS

2007	2013	2018
Pine View	Lone Peak	Judge Memorial
2008	2014	2019
Rowland Hall	Davis	Morgan High
2009	2015	2020
Alta	Olympus	Skyridge
2011	2016	2021
Bountiful	Park City	Layton
		Kathy Rothfels & Luceen Sullivan Award—Presente
	Out	standing Girls' High School Tennis Team in the State of

2012 2017 St. Joseph's Catholic Lone Peak Outstanding Girls' High School Tennis Team in the State of Utah.

Named after Kathy Rothfels and Luceen Sullivan who together in 1969 were instrumental in organizing and running the first Girls High School Tennis Tournament in the State of Utah. This award recognizes achievement in high school tennis but is not determined solely on win/loss record.

LINDA VINCENT COMMUNITY SERVICE AWARD WINNERS

Established in 1998, this award is presented to an individual who has made outstanding contributions to the tennis community.



Chuck Bennorth

1998 Cal Nelson 2008 Dan Johnson

1999 David L. Freed 2009 Terry Miya

2000 Brent Goates 2010 David Jones

2000 Lynn & Carol Benson 2011 Terry & Abby Wagstaff

2001 Wilbur Braithwaite 2012 Jared Snow

2001 Lori Jenkins 2013 Andi Porter

2002 Robert Saxton 2014 Christy Johnson

2002 Dell Loy Hansen 2015 Hillary Redd

2003 Max Miller 2016 Ron Bachman

2003 Bruce Haines 2017 Brad Lowe

2004 Don Wayne Nelson 2018 Marce Miles

2005 Charlene Peterson 2019 Josh Michelson

2006 Ernest Oriente 2020 Liz Warner

2007 Brad Ferreira 2021 Chuck Bennorth

USTA UTAH FAMILY OF THE YEAR AWARD WINNERS

Established in 2007 this award is presented annually to the family within the Utah district who has exemplified the benefits of tennis as family recreational sport and has contributed to the tennis community in a significant way.



2021 Family of the Year Rideout Family

2008 Sweet Family

2009 Kempin Family

2010 Pearce Family

2011 Toli Family

2012 Owen Family

2013 Vandecasteele Family

2014 Marchant Family 2015

Hafen Family

2016

Bullard Family

2017

Robb-Wilcox Family

2018

Tullis Family

2019

Rico Family

2020

Lewis Family

2021

Rideout Family

USTA UTAH CAPTAIN OF THE YEAR AWARD WINNERS

This award is given to recognize the outstanding individual efforts of a league team captain in going above and beyond to serve their team/s.



Valecia Warner



Chris White

2013 2016 LaNece Andreason & Jon Penman
Jackie Grant Corrine Nasella

2014 2017 2020 Chris Anderson & Lynn Woodbury Darren Nelson Jake Johnson

2015 Doug Fowkes & Kristen Siddoway 2018 2018 Chris White Valecia Warner

AWARD HISTORY

Organization of the Year

Established in 2007 this award is presented annually in recognition of the services rendered by a USTA Organization member in the State of Utah and for their support to the Utah Tennis Association in helping grow tennis participation at all levels. USTA Organization must be a member in good standing and has made a significant contribution to the tennis community in an effort to help promote and develop the sport of tennis in the Utah District.

2007	Liberty Park Tennis Center
2008	Park City Racquet Club
2009	Salt Lake Swim & Tennis Club
2010	Sports Academy
2011	Cottonwood Heights Recreation
2012	Eagleridge Swim & Tennis Club
2013	Sports Mall
2014	Coach Mike's at Liberty Park
2016	Bloomington Country Club
2018	George S Eccles Tennis Center
2019	Red Ledges Tennis Center

Diversity and Inclusion

Initiated in 2015, this award will be given to honor an individual in the Utah District who has made a significant contribution to multicultural populations and communities in the Utah District through tennis.

2015	Ben Platt
2016	Lauren Swapp
2018	Tennis & Tutoring
2019	Granger Girls High School Tennis Team

10 & Under Youth Ambassador

This award is given to recognize the outstanding individual efforts of a coach, parent, Community Tennis Association (CTA), or other organization that is helping to build 10 and Under youth tennis.

2015	Alissa Owen
2016	Mike White
2018	Winnie Rawstorne
2019	David Archer

PAST USTA UTAH PRESIDENTS

1960-1962 Jack Fairclough

1963 Harry James

1964 Hyrum Cannon

1965 Dale Robbins

1966-1967 Lee Hammel

1968-1969 Jack Morris

1970-1972 George H. Johnson

1973-1975 Reed Gordon

1976 Jack Morris

1977 Ernie Smith

1978 John Stephens

1979 Janet Dowse

1980 Lee Hammel

1981-1982 Shirley Tanner

1983 Myron Walker

1984-1985 Bob Ruthstein

1986 Patti Kelly

1987 Warren Rawlins

1988-1989 Jim Haig

1990 Jeff Jensen

1991-1992 Marilyn Wallen

1993-1994 Gale Volkman

1995-1996 Bruce Cummings

1997-1998 Jean Greenwood

1999-2002 Steve Hard

2003-2004 Jean Greenwood

2005-2006 Don Sorensen

2007-2009 Ken Harris

2009-2011 Mike Cooper

2011-2012 Ric Hammond

2013-2014 Marce Miles

2015-2016 Charlene Peterson

2017 - Present Brad Ferreira

