

25 April 2011

Letter to Members

I write to remind Members that the cut off date for paying 2011 dues is fast approaching. I urge all to pay their dues by 1 May and to remember to include an additional 13% HST in their remittance. The Board encourages all to pay by cheque thus saving themselves another 2.5% administration fee imposed by the credit card companies.

Those of you who have passed by the Club this past week will recognize what fine shape the hard courts and the Clubhouse are in. Many thanks to Richard Aubin, Grounds Director, Peter Gonda, Treasurer, and our Manager, Dominique Faubert, who wrestled with the weather and the trades to have everything shipshape and operational as early as possible. The Clubhouse and courts are clear of winter debris and the cracks in Court 8 repaired.

I also commend to Members the fine technical assistance provided by one of our stalwart Members, John Lang, in setting up and reconfiguring our computer systems.

I would like to point out to Members that David Lang, working closely with Carlo Zambri at the Noble School, has put together an outstanding Junior Programme this year. A brochure has been prepared and will be distributed this week to all homes in Rockcliffe Park, New Edinburgh, Manor Park, and Lindenlea setting out the fees and the elements of the Programme. I encourage Members to enroll your children in the After School Programme and/or the Summer Camps.

As soon as the inclemency relents Chris Smith at Canada Courts will begin the spring preparation of the soft courts. I am confident that they will be playable by 10 May.

In closing I once again recommend to Members that they will profit by keeping in touch with Club events and personalities through our website: www.rockcliffetennis.ca

Best wishes

David Adam

President of the Board