



Amador Tennis Club

Argonaut Tennis Court Restoration 2010

WHO ARE WE?

- The Amador Tennis Club (ATC) is a public 501(c)(3) nonprofit corporation committed to promoting tennis as an enriching, healthy, lifelong sport to all people without discrimination.
- Membership is open to all, free of charge.
- A Community Tennis Association of the United States Tennis Association
- Local & visiting tennis enthusiasts of all ages



What does ATC do?

- Offers tennis programs and playing opportunities for players of all ages
- Collaborates with other entities to raise funds for facility improvement
- Supports high school tennis teams
- Sponsors and co-sponsors summer programs for youth
- Helps maintain public & school tennis facilities

Our Achievements

- Amador's Junior Team Tennis (JTT) program, 2006-PRESENT -- 166 children introduced to tennis (295 players during 6 seasons)
- Adult and junior tennis tournaments
- Helped secure "No Cut Coach" grants for Amador & Argonaut High Schools
- "Welcome Back to Tennis" events & parties
- Collaborative fundraising efforts with USTA and City of Jackson for Tennis in the Parks grants

Achievements, cont.

- 2000-2001: Initiated major capital improvement project -- the “Lighting of Argonaut” -- adding tournament quality lights to the tennis courts at Argonaut High School



- Total project funds raised = **\$46,000**

Our Current Project



- Restoration of four courts for Argonaut High School in June 2010
- Estimated cost = \$3500-\$5000 per court
 - Total = \$17,500 - \$20,000

The Need



Courts had major reconstruction in 1996 with \$20,000 in fundraising matched by \$20,000 from ACUSD

- Time, tennis, terrain & weather have continuously exerted an erosive effect



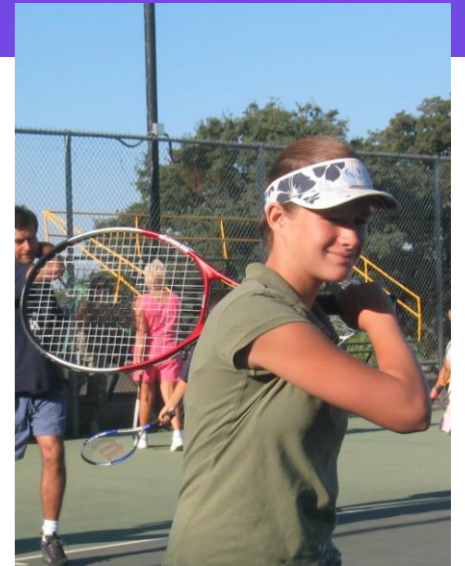
Who uses the courts?

- Adult recreational players
- Tennis teams
- Junior Team Tennis League matches
- Individuals and families playing & practicing



Allie's story

- Allie turned 13 & wasn't interested in sports or athletics
- Friends encouraged her to try tennis
- Attended a summer camp sponsored by ATC & City of Jackson (conducted on Argonaut High School courts)
- Fell in love with tennis, took lessons from local player-pro, practiced & participated 5 seasons in Junior Team Tennis
- Joined the Argonaut Tennis Team as a freshman & made varsity



Gio & Steven's Story



- ATC offered financial assistance for camps & Junior Team Tennis so they could get instruction—Argonaut Courts
- Received a grant from USTA for tournament play & equipment
- Enthusiastically participated in every possible tennis opportunity—Argonaut Courts
- Terrific players with good attitudes, the Argonaut Tennis Team is waiting for them... 😊

Proposed Funding

- ATC general fund
 - JTT general fund
- \$2200 seed funds
- Fundraising tournament, pledging the tennis team, tee shirt sales & additional activities
 - Donations from community tennis players, families & friends
 - Amador Co & Cities, Service Clubs, USTA
 - Grants

Why you should help...

- High School courts are used by the general public
 - JTT stats show 24% participation from Jackson & 29% from Lone
- Tennis promotes sports and physical fitness in youth and adults
 - The only equipment needed is shoes, racket, ball & partner
- Health benefits, social interaction...
 - 3 hours of moderate tennis will burn 1,397 calories
 - Improves flexibility, stamina, speed, strength & hand-eye coord.

How you can help...

- Download the donation form from the [ATC Website](#) and mail it in. Remember, your donation is **TAX DEDUCTIBLE!!**
- <http://www.amadortennisclub.org/atcreportfeb2010.pdf>



Our Goal Visualized



Help us turn this...



Into this...



Mission Accomplished

We want to see more of this...



A Winning Team competing on safe court surfaces!

People Playing & Having Fun

