

Tennis Time

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Introduction

People's Courts is a high performance tennis development center designated by Tennis Canada and Tennis BC for players that are looking to compete at the local, provincial, national or international level.

We strive for excellence, and we cater to a wide range of levels from Beginner to High Performance.

Now after completing a fun and successful 27 summer camps, along with incredible provincial and national junior achievements, we look forward to the new season.

U12 Junior Nationals

The U12 BC team won the bronze medal at the 2007 Outdoor Canadian Junior Nationals in Mont-Tremblant, QC.

People's Courts Tennis Academy is proud to have Tim Portnov and Mark Nguyen as players, along with Dimitri Penchev as the Head Coach, and Shayan Mirhosseini as the Assistant Head Coach representing the U12 BC team.

Tim is nationally ranked #10.

People's Courts



Tennis Academy



We welcome all members, juniors, and tennis fans to participate in academy events and programs.



Junior Achievement



August 25 - 31

Coquitlam Junior Open Tennis

Dana Radivojevic: Finalist U12 Girls Singles

Vivian Tsui: Winner U14/16 Girls Singles

August 20 - 23

Richmond Junior Open Champions

**(Socrates-
Bousbouras:)** Finalist U14 Boys Singles
Winner U12 Boys Singles

July 21 - 25

Bob Putnam Junior Futures
Tsawwassen Tennis Club, Delta

Boys' 14 Singles - Round Robin

Gary Ho 4-1; 4-1 Connor Lukas
Gary Ho 4-2; 5-3 Lars Bornemann
Jeffrey Ho 4-1; 4-0 Joshua MacNeil
Jeffrey Ho 4-0; 5-3 Peng Chang

July 16 - 20

76th Stanley Park Open Junior Champions

Girls' 18 Singles - Finals
Katie Brien 6-2; 6-2 **Alejandra Enderica**

Boys' 12 Doubles - Finals
Fought/Raw 1-6; 6-3; 6-4 **Nguyen/Portnov**

Girls' 12 Singles Challenger - Finals
Dana Radivojevic 6-2; 6-4 Luna Crawford

July 3 - 6

BC Junior Hardcourts Challenger

Boys' 12 Singles - Finals
Jeffrey Ho 6-3; 7-5 Harman Gosal

Boys' 10 Singles - Finals
Neel Phaterpekar 6-3; 5-7; 2-1 Ret (inj)
Benjamin Sigouin

July 3 - 6

BC Junior Provincial Championships

Boys' 12 Singles - Finals
Kieran Edwards 6-4; 6-1 **Tim Portnov**

Girls' 14 Singles - Finals
Alejandra Enderica 6-1; 6-0 Maria-Luiza Robu

Girls' 14 Doubles - Finals
Alejandra Enderica/Shoemaker 6-3; 6-0

June 29 - July 2

2007 City of Victoria Open Tennis

Boys' 12 Singles - Finals
Kieran Edwards 6-2; 6-2 **Tim Portnov**

Boys' 12 Doubles - Finals
Guay/**Gary Ho** 7-6; 6-1 Kerfoot/Lim

Boys' 10 Doubles - Finals
Chiu/Sigouin 6-1; 6-3 **Neel/Kiran Phaterpekar**



... age 7, high performance development student, training for Wimbledon 2017! Look out for **Jared**.

Coaching News



College Tennis Seminar, August 17-19

After years of assisting many tennis players from around the world to play college tennis in the US, TransWorld Sports Services teamed up with People's Courts Tennis Academy in order to create great opportunities for all motivated Canadian and BC junior tennis players to receive all it requires (including professional tennis training), to qualify for college tennis. Bill Riddle the PTR/USPTA Tennis Professional and Cumberland University Head Tennis Coach, gave a presentation including both on and off court evaluations.

Professional Tennis Registry, August 18-19

Tennis Essentials & Certification Workshop

People's Courts Academy took the initiative and invited PTR to host their first tennis workshop in BC. With members in 126 countries, PTR's goal is to educate, certify and service tennis teachers and coaches around the world in order to expand our beloved game. Academy coaches Khalid Ahmed, Reza Nazari and Hassan Askari were among participants.

Player to Watch

Vivian Tsui joined our academy in 2004

School: Archbishop Carney Secondary

Favourite stroke: Forehand

Favourite player: Roger Federer

Favourite fruit: Durian and Mango

Vivian in 2009: ITF junior rank

Future goals/dreams: WTA pro tour and
NCAA

Additional comments: Special thanks to
my parents



Aug 25, Coquitlam Open Junior Championship U14 Singles – Winner

Aug 25, Coquitlam Open Junior Championship U16 Singles – Winner

Aug 20, Richmond Open Junior Championship U14 Singles – Winner

Aug 14, Hazelmere Junior Classic Championship U16 Singles - Winner

Aug 5, Bally Tennis Junior - Federal Way, WA U14 Singles – Winner

July 6, BC Junior Provincial – West Vancouver, Sportsmanship Award
and U14 Doubles Finalist

Hollyburn Classic Tourney

People's Courts Tennis Academy Junior Team participated in the Odlum Brown Junior Vancouver Open, progressive level (U8, U10, and U12) team tennis event which took place at Hollyburn on Sunday, July 29.

Our team consisted of:
Jeffrey and Gary Ho, Mathew

Leggat, Danica Radivojevic,
Mathew Hatina, Leroy Chen,

Alex Micsoniu, Christa Gavril,
Justin Chou, Hanson Lee,

Victoria Kehler, Andrea Gu,
Jacob Keys, Dean Hosinu, and

Zackary Amakal, under the

supervision of Steven keys,
Hassan Askari, and Shayan
Mirhosseini.



Great team unity and support contributed to an unforgettable day of fun and impressive achievements.

Our team took home 7 medals. Winners included, Andrea and Zackary in U8, Alex and Hanson in U10, and Gary, Jeffrey and Danica in U12.

Compliments of Coach K

Life is too short ... Get married to sports

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