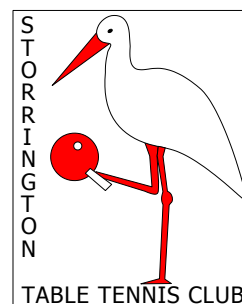


Storrington Table Tennis Club

News Letter Autumn Term 2014



Autumn Term Session Times/Dates/Fees

For the Autumn Term we will be running our normal sessions.

Playing fees will be as follows:

£3.00 Members **Junior** club sessions.

£4.50 Non-members **Junior** club sessions

£26.00 Members For **Junior** Sessions for the whole of the Autumn Term (approximately 12 weeks at £3.00 would be £33). To take advantage of this offer the money would have to be paid by the 18th September.

£4.50 Members **Adult** club sessions (Adult sessions do not stop for school holidays, only bank holidays when the leisure centre is closed).

£6.00 Non Members **Adult** club sessions

Details of the membership and Table Tennis England fees can be found on the separate Membership Letter which can be found on the club website

http://www.storrington-tabletennis.co.uk/Information/2014_2015%20Membership%20Letter.pdf

Note in addition to the club fees there will be the entrance fee to the leisure centre for non-leisure centre members.

Session	Day	Session Time	Start Date	End Date
Junior Beginners & Improvers	Thursday	5:00-5:55	11 th September	23 rd October
Junior Intermediate & Advanced	Thursday	6:00-6:55	11 th September	23 rd October
HALF TERM				
Junior Beginners & Improvers	Thursday	5:00-5:55	6 th November	27 th November
Junior Intermediate & Advanced	Thursday	6:00-6:55	6 th November	27 th November
Adult	Monday	8:30 – 10:00	8 th September	8 th December

The junior club will be taking off the whole of December this is because of Christmas school events which tend to reduce attendance dramatically and Storrington late night Christmas shopping event that we expect to be on the 4th of December.

Club News

This autumn we are running offering a 10 week Learn-2-Play Table Tennis course for non-member beginners for £50 to increase the number of people playing table tennis and to encourage new members. It will start in October. So if you know anybody that might be interested please let them know:-

<http://www.storrington-tabletennis.co.uk/NewsLetters/learn2play%20poster.pdf>

We are trying to get Waryoba into Rydon to run an after school club on a Wednesday. The signs are looking positive but we haven't had the final confirmation from the school as yet.

This year the club has managed to field a team in the Central Horsham League which is run on a Friday night at Colyers College in Horsham so good luck to the team (Keith Anderson, James Anderson, Toby Anderson and Alex Colenutt). We will keep you posted on progress via the club website.

Club Plans

After the AGM we still have a vacancy on the committee for the Adult Club officer so if you are interested can you please contact a member of the committee.

The new committee is Ian Talmadge (Chairman & Head Coach), Heather Luxford (Club Secretary), Dick Scott-Kerr (Treasurer), Keith Anderson (Welfare Office) & Alex Colenutt (Junior Club Officer).

Table Tennis Information

(New information will be in italics)

Clothing

Suitable clothing should consist of a short sleeved shirt and either shorts or a skirt. A track suit is acceptable for training and for keeping warm when active. All clothing should not be too tight which, restricts movement or too loose which, gets in the way of playing strokes. The players' clothing should allow good visibility of the table tennis ball and should therefore not be orange or white. Shoes should provide good grip on the floor and be light, flexible, have good support around the heel and instep. Trainers are not recommended because they have inflexible soles and the heels are too high. This risks damage to a player's ankle. Any shoes that are used have to have non marking soles so as not to damage the hall floor.

The club sells Navy blue Fruit Of The Loom polo shirts with the club logo in the following sizes

- 7-8 (128 cm) £7.50
- 9-11 (140 cm) £7.50
- 12-13 (152cm) £7.50
- 14-15 (164cm) £8.50
- *Adult (S 35/37")* £12.50
- *Adult (M 38/40")* £12.50
- *Adult (L 41")* £12.50
- *Adult (XL 44/46")* £12.50
- *Adult (XXL 47/49")* £12.50



Equipment

The club provides table tennis bats etc. for its players to use during sessions. If a player would like their own bats etc. they will be able to purchase them through the club (we hope to get reasonable deals from specialist suppliers). The club would not recommend buying bats from ordinary sports shops without taking specialist advice first. Bats can be expensive and getting the wrong bat/rubbers could make it a waste of money.

Sources of Table Tennis information on the Web

The Table Tennis England official web site.

www.tabletennisengland.co.uk

The International Table Tennis Federation (this site contains the up to date laws of table tennis)

www.ittf.com

European Table Tennis Union

www.ettu.org

North Sussex Table Tennis (Horsham Table Tennis Central League)

<http://www.northsussextabletennis.com/>

Horsham Table Tennis Club

www.horshamtabletennisclub.co.uk/

Club Contact Information

Any messages, queries or questions about the club can be left with Chanctonbury Sport and Leisure centre.

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