

Racqueteters

Next Meeting: Wednesday Sept. 23

at the home of Judy Olson

35 W. 20th Ave. #210, San Mateo, 94403

**A Lovely Day for Tennis and Lunch!
Join us Wednesday, Sept. 9 for the
Fall Member Tournament.**

Tennis Players
arrive at 8:30.
Matches will
begin promptly
at 9:00 AM. You
will be notified
of your court
assignment by
Sept. 2. Courts
are at Canada
or PCC.



Lunch will be
served after
tennis at the
Canada Vista
Club. Do not
arrive before
11:30. Doors will
be locked!

**Parking available in Lots 1 or 2.
Remember, Doors will be locked until 11:30!**

RACQUETEERS BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING

DATE: August 26, 2026

MEETING CALLED TO ORDER BY: Judy Olson - Time: 1:11

ATTENDING: Maureen Buck, Rosalind Chan, Judy Prothro, Judy Olson, Dianna Loy, Karen Wilmer, Diane Rogers, Lisa Bamford, Judy Renie

Absent: Becky Glikbarg

APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF JULY 14, 2026 Judy Prothro and Karen Wilmer

REPORTS:

TREASURER REPORT: Rosalind Chan

Beginning Balance: \$5265.92

Checks Total: \$2560.00

Ending Balance: \$7825.92

MEMBERSHIP: Becky Glikbarg:

New Racqueteer member opening: Judy John will be invited.

Stephanie O'Rourke is a new member sub

Janet Stamm and Nancy Katz have resigned

Susan Gibson's phone number is: 650-243-7135

WEEKLY PLAY: Dianna Loy

Fall Flight: 9/15-11/21

8 for Tuesday - scorekeeper Rosalind Chan 9/15, 9/22, continued by Trevlyn Williams

8 for Thursday - scorekeeper Carmen Keenan

6 for Saturday - scorekeeper Diane Julian

DISCUSS MEMBER TOURNAMENT ON 9/9/2026 - Lisa Bamford, Judy Renie

Doors will not open before 11:30 for luncheon. Courts are at Canada and PCC.

OLD BUSINESS:

UPDATE ON WEBMASTER: KAREN WILMER:

Discussion on Payment System

WIX platform: user friendly, cost will be approx. \$350.00/year plus transaction fees.

Motion was presented by Judy Prothro to include the WIX platform on our website. Dianna Loy seconded it.

Motion was presented by Judy Olson to change our domain name to: racquetteerstennis.com. Maureen Buck seconded it

ANNUAL MEETING/HOLIDAY PARTY UPDATE: KAREN WILMER

Wednesday 12/2, 2026 11:00 - 3:00 - Crystal Springs Fairview room

\$65.00/person

MEETING ADJOURNED 3:10 pm.

NEXT MEETING: WEDNESDAY, September 23, 2026 1:00 at Judy Olson's Home

Submitted by Judy Prothro. Secretary

Fall Tennis 9/15/26 - 11/21/26

Hi Ladies!

Just to reiterate-if you find a sub to play for you, if the SUB cannot play, it's up to the SUB to find their own replacement. The original player is not responsible for finding a sub for the sub! Subs are welcome to call any Board Member if they need assistance finding a sub.

Rules of play: Tues/Saturday players can have a 2 hour max if all agree. 3rd set can be NO-Ad.

Thurs players: If everyone agrees, the 3rd set can be NO-Ad. (if any dissension amongst the players, then a full 3rd will need to be played)

Please get your scores to the Scorekeepers the day of play, or at least within 24 hours!

First day of play will be Tuesday 9/15/26

SCOREKEEPER Tues: Roz Chan 9/15 and 9/22, then Trevlyn will take over 9/29 for the rest of the season.

Joy Adoorian Captain

Lori Bledsoe

Roz Chan

Judy Lipman

Judy Olson Captain (Txs for signing up to be the 8th player!)

Maureen Olson

Judy Renie

Trevlyn Williams

First day of play will be Thursday 9/17/26

SCOREKEEPER: Carmen Keenan

Carmen Keenan

Gulshan Bhatia

Mariam Waddell Captain

Becky Glikbarg (txs for signing up to be the 8th player!)

Dianna Loy Captain

Farah Chan

Janet Adams

Ana Akin

First day of play will be Saturday 9/19/26

SATURDAY Only 6 players so it will be a rotation. Diane Julien has graciously decided to be the Scorekeeper Txs!

Diane Julien Captain

Ana Akin

Lida Urbanek

Rosie Mok

the 2 players NOT playing the first Saturday 9/19

Judy Renie and Johanna Gelb

They will be rotated in.

Here is the link to see who has signed up to sub this upcoming FALL Flight.

<https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1E74Fv-dkcsxKD00fhaqflED3-AOJiBgEACsGC8wp3NY/edit?gid=0#gid=0>

questions? concerns? Please email me directly.

txs

dianna loy

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2026 Non-Member Subs	Revised 7/2026				
Name	Email	Tues	Thur	Sat	Cell
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Dawson, Laurel	laureldawson4754@gmail.com		X	X	650-773-6929
Gibson, Susan	sgibson@vivolor.com	X	X	X	650-243-7135
Gomery, Jane	smokiethecat@gmail.com		X	X	650-740-4648
Hills, Lisa	lisahills@me.com	X	X	X	650-704-4360
Hopkins, Sally	hopkinsmomof2@gmail.com	X	X	X	650-674-8094
John, Judy	judyjohn22@gmail.com	X	X	X	650-759-0144
Lambetecchio, Fran	cqafran@yahoo.com	X	X	X	650-346-1898
Lau, Mehri	mehrilau@aol.com		X	X	650-867-8819
Lyons, Joces	JocesLyons@gmail.com			X	408-406-4749
Melcher, Ingeborg	Ingeborgmelcher@yahoo.com		X		602-432-2304
ORourke, Stephanie	stephanieorourke@gmail.com	X	X	X	415-987-2814
					650-576-9997
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Welcome to our New Racqueteers!

Debra Boseck: I took a beginning tennis class in college and the coach told me that “Some people just aren’t meant to play tennis”, so that was the end of that! Fast forward a few decades when we moved back to California from Massachusetts in 2009. Eager to meet some people in the Bay Area, I talked my tennis-playing husband Gary into joining the San Carlos Tennis Club. I somehow got recruited for a beginners clinic and decided I would give tennis another try and have somehow overcome my inadequacies enough to love the game.

Gary and I are the proud parents of three amazing adult children and one adorable labradoodle as we wait (hope!) to be grandparents one day. After graduating from UC San Diego with an MS in Systems Engineering, I enjoyed a long career starting as a research scientist in the field of underwater acoustics and ending as a Director of Program Management in software delivery for VMWare.

I retired a couple of years ago and have enjoyed a renewed interest in sewing and pattern design when I’m not busy playing tennis, working out and traveling with my husband. I’m very excited to be part of the Racqueteers!

Anna Masslou: I caught the tennis bug during the pandemic, when my son's teacher had a cancellation, and I took the spot on the spur of the moment. I did track and field in school and rowing in college, but had no previous tennis experience beyond playing paddleball by the beach in Greece, where I grew up. Beach paddleball is mostly a collaborative racquet game where you try to rally for as long as possible. Sometimes I forget and try to play tennis the same way, so feel free to remind me if I get carried away! Since the pandemic, I've met a *wonderful* group of Racqueteers at PCC in Redwood City who took me under their wing, and now I look forward to being a Racqueteer myself. When I am not playing tennis, I watch my son's baseball games, like to sew, cook, and enjoy nature, music, reading, art, and a good cup of coffee.

Ana Akin: I was born in San Jose, Costa Rica and came to the United States when I was five years old. I was raised in San Francisco and later moved to Pacifica after I got married. My husband and I recently celebrated our 50th wedding anniversary. We have two grown sons, and each of them has two children.

After graduating from Notre Dame High School in San Francisco, I attended City College of San Francisco for two years and then transferred to the University of California, Berkeley, where I earned a bachelor's degree in Civil Engineering.

My husband and I actually met at Balboa Tennis Courts in San Francisco in 1974.

When we bought our home in Pacifica in 1978, we played tennis at the local high school, where we met people who were members of the Pacifica Tennis Club. We joined the club. Later, we also joined the San Carlos Tennis Club. Over the years, we have enjoyed participating in tournaments and traveling on the club's away trips.

Recently, my husband and I decided to join the Half Moon Bay Tennis Club and the Millbrae Racquet Club. We are both retired and especially enjoy playing during the week, although we still play on weekends when we can.

I heard about the Racqueteers and thought it sounded like a lot of fun, so I started subbing. It has been especially nice to play with people I already know from the other tennis clubs. I have really enjoyed meeting everyone and look forward to becoming more involved with the Racqueteers and participating in any way I can.

Tennis has been such a meaningful part of my life—not only because I love the game, but because it has brought so many wonderful people and friendships into my life.

Robin Tognetti: My first experience with tennis was at Club Sport in Pleasanton, CA back in 1993. Soon after, in 1994, I moved to Littleton, Colorado with my then-husband and our three daughters. A friend invited me out to play, and soon after, I joined a 2.5 team that made it all the way to Sectionals in our very first year and was hooked. It wasn't long before I stepped into the captain role, spending the next 20 years leading teams, creating lifelong friendships, and proudly serving as the driving force behind our matching tennis outfits. I returned to the Bay Area in 2013 and picked tennis back up at the very same ClubSport where I first fell in love with the game. It was there, right after a match, that I met my now-husband who I currently live with in San Mateo. While it took a moment to find my footing and build a new tennis community, I've since played on various USTA and PTL teams, serving as a co-captain in the PTL league for the past 7 years. Outside of tennis, I love baking for friends and family, traveling and cooking dinner with my husband most nights. Tennis has truly enriched my life on and off the court, keeping me balanced, grounded, and connected. I'm excited to join such an eclectic, warm, and dedicated group of women. I look forward to making new friends, and feel so honored to join the Racqueteers.

Marilyn Janisch: I grew up on a farm in South Dakota—and while it was a wonderful place to spend my childhood, I realized early on that I wasn't quite cut out for farm animals and yearned for city life! My journey eventually brought me to California, where I worked at Stanford University and Genentech before taking a leap of faith into entrepreneurship. Inspired by a magazine article, I used my savings to start a travel and luggage business. Decades later, our flagship store at Stanford Shopping Center is still going strong after 30+ years. Outside of work, my husband and I share our home with our favorite four-legged family member, our dog Bella. My tennis journey started with casual "wine and cheese" Friday night matches, but over the years—and through USTA league play—I've grown to love the more competitive side of the game. I'm excited to join the Racqueteers, sharpen my game, and meet new players!

Molly Underwood: I grew up in Stockton and played high school tennis. I attended Santa Clara University and have lived in the Bay Area ever since, first in San Francisco and then settling in San Mateo with my husband, Chris, where we raised our two children. I worked in financial services and took a break from both work and tennis while raising our family. Once my kids were in high school, I found my way back to tennis and have been playing USTA for the past 15 years, primarily out of Foster City Tennis Club. One of the highlights was being part of a team that made it all the way to Nationals last year — a pretty special experience and a lot of fun. I'm very happy now to play less USTA and more joyful tennis! Now retired, I enjoy spending time with family and friends and, of course, playing lots of tennis. I'm looking forward to meeting and playing with the Racqueteers!

Vicki Stern: I grew up in Bentonville, Arkansas. I earned a Master's degree in Speech-Language Pathology at the University of Arkansas and worked in various settings around the Northwest Arkansas area. I had vacationed in San Francisco and thought it would be a great place to live so I started a job search for speech therapists in the Bay Area. I was able to find a job so I moved to the Bay Area in September of 1989 which was just in time for the '89 earthquake! Two years later I met my husband at the Bay to Breakers race. We have two daughters, ages 31 and 30. I started playing tennis when my girls were in elementary school. My good friend asked me and some other moms to join her for a new beginners clinic that was starting at SCRA. That was approximately 25 years ago. Our group of beginners eventually started a USTA team. I have been playing on various teams and socially ever since. I am looking forward to having more tennis in my life and playing with the Racqueteers!



**The Racqueteers Holiday Party and Annual Meeting
will be Wednesday, December 2, 2026**