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Play with the Pros! Three women and a pro play doubles and work on strategy.

Interclub Practice. Fast-paced drills, strategy and tactics.

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Interclub. Play other area clubs every Friday.

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Programs for men.

Play with the Pros! Three men and a pro play doubles and work on strategy.

Monday Night Singles. Match wits with another player at your level.

Interclub. Matches against other area clubs.

Seniors Interclub. For men 60 and over.

Programs for mixed company.

The Dawn Patrol. Get a jump on the day with plenty of exercise and fun.

Drill and Doubles. Fast-paced drills for an hour, then put it all into play for 30 minutes.

Mixed doubles. Events for all levels, often on Saturday nights, with food! So make it a party and come on out, with a partner or without!

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Frontenac Pro Doubles Invitational

An international
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for the best pros
in the St. Louis area.

April 25, 2009
6:00 pm
St. Louis, MO

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Tonight's format.

16 players ▼

8 teams, drawn
from a hat ▼

2 groups of

4 teams ▼

Round 1: Round robin.

In each group of 4 teams, each team plays 1 set against the other three. Sets use no-ad scoring, and at 5 games all, a regular tie-breaker.

Semifinals and Final.

Top two teams in each group advance to the semifinals. Teams will play a full set with normal scoring and a regular tie-breaker at 6 games all.

Tonight's prize-money breakdown.

This is a professional event. Tonight's players will win as follows:

Winner	\$2000
Finalist	\$1100
Third place	\$700
Fourth place	\$400

Meet the players in tonight's event.

Daniel Adalberti.

Daniel has been a top singles and doubles player in St. Louis for nine years. Partnering with Mateo Dalla Fontana, Daniel made it through the qualifying and up to the second round of the main draw in the \$30,000 Cleveland Racquet Club Men's Doubles Invitational in 2008. In 2005, he and Mateo were the #1 doubles players in the St. Louis area.

Daniel played his college tennis at McKendree University, where he played #1 singles and doubles all four years and won the MVP and 110% awards. Before that, he was a nationally ranked junior for five years in his native Argentina.

More recently, Daniel has taught alongside John Connors at Kings Point Racquet Club in Belleville, Illinois.

Greg Beers.

Born and raised in Toronto, Canada, former Satellite circuit player Greg Beers is now competing in national adult tournaments. In May 2008, Greg won three rounds of qualifying and drew Pat Cash in the first round of the main event; Greg lost 6-4 in the third set.

Greg plays in the Senior National circuit – and has, since 1998. He won singles and doubles Bronze Balls in the 30s Hard Courts in 1999; a Doubles Silver Ball in the 30s Hard Courts, 2000; a Doubles God Ball in the 35' hard Courts in 2006; a Doubles Silver Ball in the 40s Clay Courts in 2008.

Greg played his college tennis at Iowa State, at #2 singles and #1 doubles. Before college, from ages 16-18, Greg was ranked in the top 20 in Canada and the top ten in Ontario.

Jalal Chafai.

A member of Drury University's Athletic Hall of Fame since his 2005 nomination, Jalal played World Team Tennis for the Springfield Lasers in 2004 and held an ATP ranking of 537 in 2003. In

2002 and 2003, he played for Morocco's Davis Cup team.

In his playing days at Drury, he was the NCAA Division II Tennis Senior Player of the Year in 2001 and won an Inter-Collegiate Tennis Association "Player To Watch" award in 2000. The NCAA II named him their Tennis Rookie Player of the Year in 1999.

Before college, Jalal was the Moroccan National Champion in the under-16 division in 1996 and the under-14 division in 1994.

Wynn Criswell.

Born in Westerville, Ohio, near Columbus, Wynn was the National Junior College champion at first singles at Vincennes University.

In 1993 and 1994, as a Missouri State University player, he qualified for the NCAA National Championships.

In 1999 and 2000, he was ranked #39 in the United States, marking the third straight year he was in the top 50 in the country.

In singles, Wynn has wins over Sandon Stolle, Michael Russell and Paul Goldstein. In doubles, he has wins over Bob and Mike Bryan (currently ranked #1 in doubles in the world); Jonathan Elrich and Andy Ram (now top ten in the world in doubles); Peter Pala (finalist at the French Open in 2001) and James Blake (now top ten in the world overall).

Wynn has reached the finals of 17 Satellite events – three in singles and 14 in doubles.

In 1998, he played both the Australian Open and the US Open qualifiers.

Now in St. Louis since 2003, Wynn teaches at The Club in Chesterfield. He's also the tennis director at Meadowbrook Country Club. St. Louis Magazine voted him Tennis Pro of the Year in 2007.

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Mike Doyle.

With partner Shawn Walburn, Mike is the current #1 Doubles player at the Missouri Valley Saint Louis District. The two won five Men's Open Doubles tournaments during the 2008 season. Mike also won the 2008 St. Louis Adult Player of the Year award.

Mike played his college tennis at Washington University, right here in St. Louis, where he played #1 and #2 singles and #1 doubles and was ranked #14 in the country in doubles with his brother Patrick. As a senior, Mike beat some impressive opponents, including the #2, 3 and 6-ranked doubles teams in the country.

And while Mike's a doubles man, he also has wins over several nationally ranked singles opponents. At Wash. U. Mike's been a three-time Academic All-American and was ranked in the top ten in Georgia as a junior player, before college.

Mateo Dalla Fontana.

A native of Argentina, Mateo has been one of the top players in St. Louis for eight years.

With partner Daniel Adalberti, Mateo made it to the second round of the #30,000 Cleveland Racquet Club Men's Doubles Invitational in 2008. And in 2005, Mateo and Daniel were the #1 doubles team in St. Louis.

At McKendree University, he played #1 doubles and #2 singles and won both the MVP and 100% awards. And as a junior in Argentina, Mateo was nationally ranked for five straight years.

Now Mateo teaches at Frontenac Racquet Club, where he's been since 2002, and at Old Warson Country Club since 2003. He also runs the Frontenac summer program at John Burroughs School and is the chair of tonight's event.

Ken Flach.

A doubles specialist born in St. Louis, Ken was the world's #1 doubles player in 1985. Over his career he won a total of 36 ATP doubles championships, including 4 Grand Slam Men's titles (2 Wimbledon and 2 US Open) and 2 Grand Slam Mixed titles (1 Wimbledon and 1 French Open.)

With partner Robert Seguso, he won the Men's Doubles gold medal at the 1988 Olympic Games in Seoul, Korea, and on the US Davis Cup team from 1985-1991, Ken amassed an 11-2 record. In 1985, he also was part of the US squad that won the World Team Cup.

Since retiring from the tour, Ken has been coaching, taking Vanderbilt University to its first-ever NCAA tournament berth in 1999. And he's played in Seniors events, winning the Wimbledon 35-and-over Men's Doubles title in 1999 and 2000.

Billy Gluck.

One of the most gifted players in St. Louis, Billy is a former top-ten national, international and collegiate-ranked player.

He played three years professionally on the ATP Tour and has eight years of teaching experience, coaching high-level district, sectional and collegiate-ranked players.

For the last three years, Billy has been teaching and coaching some of the best juniors in the area at the Miller Tennis Academy.

Stefan Kruger

Born in South Africa, Stefan is a doubles specialist who played on the ATP Tour for nine years and was ranked in the top 30 in the world in doubles. He reached the Wimbledon semifinals in doubles in 1990; his best singles ATP ranking was #277. As a junior, Stefan made the Wimbledon final in 1984.

Stefan played his college tennis at Southern Methodist University in Dallas, where he was an All-American in singles and doubles.

Now the Head Pro at Frontenac Racquet Club since 1999, Stefan has also been the Head Pro at Westwood Country Club since 2004.

Kevin Lackey.

Originally from St. Louis, Kevin and partner Karim Madatali finished the 2006 season as the #1 doubles players in the Missouri Valley St. Louis District.

Kevin played his college tennis at NCAA Division I school Furman University, where he was a nationally ranked player. He was also a top junior player in the Missouri Valley Section.

Now Kevin teaches at Frontenac Racquet Club, where he's been since 2007; in the summers, he's a pro at Greenbriar Hills Country Club. He's also taught alongside Stan Smith at Sea Pines Racquet Club in Hilton Head, SC.

Karim Madatali.

Originally from Vancouver, Canada, Karim is now a top player in St. Louis. He and partner Kevin Lackey finished the 2006 season as the #1 doubles players in the Missouri Valley St. Louis District. In singles, the St. Louis District Tennis Association named him the Adult Player of the Year after he finished the 2005 season as the #1 singles player in the area.

As a junior in Canada, Karim earned several top-30 national rankings in singles and a Junior World ranking in doubles.

He played his college tennis at Maryville University, where he played #1 singles and doubles and earned First-Team All-Conference honors from the St. Louis Intercollegiate Athletic Conference in 1999.

Now a P1 USPTA Certified teaching pro, Karim's been a mainstay at Frontenac Racquet Club since 2002. He's also been the Director of Tennis at Westborough Country Club since 2005.

Altaf Merchant.

Born and raised in India, Altaf has 16 years teaching and coaching experience. He was a top-4 junior in his country from 1986-1991, including one national championship and two wins at the Indian Masters. He represented India in the Orange Bowl and got selected for the prestigious Amritraj Tennis Academy.

Altaf has wins over Leander Paes, now a top-5 doubles player in the world and the winner of many Grand Slams – and a 4-0 record in singles over Mahesh Bhupathi, also a top-5 player in the world, just like Paes.

A teaching pro at Frontenac for the last ten years, Altaf was the head pro at Westborough Country Club for four years.

Kenny Powell.

A native St. Louisan, Kenny was the top-ranked tennis player throughout his junior career. He was chosen to compete in the U.S. Olympic Festival and is a two-time Missouri State Tennis Champion.

In college, he played for Georgia Tech and the University of Kansas; at KU, Kenny was named to the Big 12 Commissioner's Honor Roll and the First Team All-Big 12 Conference. As Senior Co-Captain, he played #1 singles and doubles.

Today Kenny's been teaching and coaching many of St. Louis's top players for more than ten years.

Cameron Thomas.

A former professional Satellite tennis player, Cameron's been a teaching pro for over 20 years in the St. Louis metro area – and at the top of the St. Louis men's tennis rankings the whole time.

Currently coaching several Sectional, National and WTA players, he's a graduate of the tennis powerhouse Hampton University and is certified by the USPTA and USPTR. In the past, he's

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been the head coach at St. Louis University and taught tennis at Sumner High.

Steve Wall.

A St. Louisan from birth and through and through, Steve is a top player with 25 years of playing and teaching behind him and many more to go. For ten years he was the Assistant Director at the John Newcombe Tennis Academy in Texas, where he worked with future college champs as well as pro starts Leyton Hewitt and Mariana Lucic.

By day, Steve is the High Performance Director at Creve Coeur Racquet Club.

Terry Ward.

Born and raised in St. Louis, Terry played on the ATP Tour while he was still a student at the University of San Diego. His best Singles ranking was #394, in 1985; in Doubles, his best ranking was #343, in 1984.

Terry's been the manager and Head Tennis Pro at Frontenac Racquet Club since 2006. In the Summer, he's been the Head Pro at Old Warson Country Club for more than 20 years.

Terry also is the Head Coach of both the boys' and girls' tennis teams at John Burroughs School, where he's led at least one team in recent memory to state-level competition. He's also served on a variety of boards for the St. Louis District Association and the National USTA.



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Magnifico, Mateo!

Tonight's Tournament Chair is Frontenac's own Mateo Dalla Fontana.

Mateo conceived the idea for tonight and brought it to life with hard work, dedication and attention to a million details – and now is one of our 16 pros on the court.

Congratulations and thanks, Mateo, for creating a new St. Louis tennis tradition!