

A photograph of two young children, a boy and a girl, smiling and looking towards the camera. They are positioned in front of a tennis net, which is visible as a grid pattern in the background. The boy is on the left, wearing a brown shirt, and the girl is on the right, wearing a blue shirt. The overall tone is warm and positive.

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**WINTER 2007/2008
JUNIOR COMPETITION GUIDE
FOR PLAYERS AGED **TEN** AND UNDER**

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INTRODUCTION

Welcome to the Oxfordshire and Berkshire Lawn Tennis Associations' guide to events and tournaments for juniors aged ten and under taking place this winter.

In line with the Blueprint for British Tennis we have put together a programme of events that will follow the National Competition Framework (please see further information later on in this guide). These include individual, team and league events for all children aged ten and under.

For more information on Ariel Mini Tennis please visit www.minitennis.com

AGE GROUPS

These are the age groups for Winter 2007/08, based on a player's age during 2008:

Page No.s		Age Group	Players born in
Pages 12-13	Green	Players aged 10	1998/99
Pages 10-11	Orange	Players aged 8/9	1999/00/01
Pages 8 - 9	Red	Players aged 8 & under	2000 or later

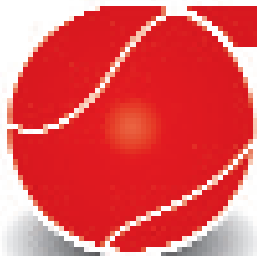
Because all of the under ten events such as the mini tennis circuit and the Ariel County Tournaments will culminate in finals taking place in the next calendar year all competitions will be based on the 2008 age groups

This guide primarily concerns itself with tournaments for players born in 1998 or later.

To enter any of the events listed in this brochure, other than the Indoor Ariel County Tournaments, please use the generic entry form at the back of this guide.

To download the entry form for the Indoor Ariel County Tournaments please visit www.lta.org.uk/ArielCountyTournaments

National Competition Framework



FOR PLAYERS AGED 8 & UNDER

Ball: RED (sponge indoor, felt outdoor)
Court: 12m x 6m (across a court)
Net height: 80cm
Where:

- Within the club, Locally, Within the county

Recommended racket size: 43cm - 58cm (17" – 23")

Competition Formats:

- Team
- Round Robin, Matchplay
- Match tie break to 10 points
- 1- 3 hours



FOR PLAYERS AGED 8/9

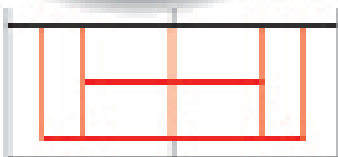
Ball: ORANGE
Court: 18m x 6.5m
Net height: 80cm (at the middle of the net)
Where:

- Within the club, Locally, Within the county, Regionally

Recommended racket size: 58cm - 63cm (23" – 25")

Competition Formats:

- Team and Individual
- Round Robin, Matchplay
- Best of 3 tie breaks, 1 short set
- 2-4 hours



The LTA have consulted extensively with the tennis community about the direction in which to move British Tennis forward. The result, the Blueprint for British Tennis, recognised the need for a straight forward, high quality competitive framework that gives juniors the stimulus they need to get on and stay on the winning pathway. This framework will ensure the right competition is provided to the right players at the right time, giving clear guidance to coaches and players about when to move through the red, orange, and green stages of mini tennis. This will ensure players have access to high quality competition and the opportunity to be the best that they can!

There will be a phasing - in process of the age groups over a 2 year period

Year 1 - Age in 2007/2008	Year 2 - Age in 2008/2009
8&U (00 or later)	8&U (01 or later)
9, 8, 7 (99/00/01)	9, 8, (00/01 only)
10, 9 (98/99)	10, (99 only)
11, 10 (97/98)	11+ (98 or over)

THE PREFERRED COMPETITION FORMATS MAY VARY DEPENDING ON 'WHERE' THE COMPETITION TAKES PLACE E.G. GREEN BALL COMPETITION WITHIN THE CLUB MAY BE 1-3 HOURS BUT 2 DAYS AT NATIONAL LEVEL

WHY?

- Players will be able to compete on a scaled down court that is appropriate to their size, strength and ability
- Players will be able to develop tactical awareness from an early age while learning good technical skills
- Players will be able to develop competitive and mental skills to help them progress their tennis
- Players will be able to progress to full tennis in a system that is appropriate to their developmental needs
- Players will be able to compete under the same conditions which will allow effective talent ID to take place

WHATS NEXT?

- All players competing in the framework will be registered with the LTA enabling regular communication and monitoring
- A simple and easy to understand method of recording results
- A simple and easy to understand 'player measurement system' based on results
- A simple and easy to use resource pack for competition organisers, to include a recommended calendar of competition, grading ideas and online access to competition tools

FOR PLAYERS AGED 10

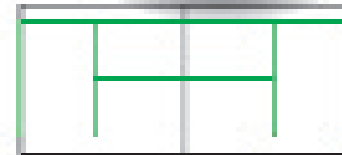
Ball: GREEN
Court: Full
Net height: Full
Where:

- Within the club, Locally,
- Within the county, Regionally, Nationally

Recommended racket size: 63cm - 66cm (25"-26")

Competition Formats:

- Team and Individual
- Compass, Round Robin, Matchplay
- 1 short set, Best of 3 short sets (optional match tie break to 10 points)
- 1 or 2 days



FOR PLAYERS AGED 11 & OVER

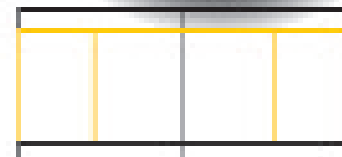
Ball: YELLOW
Court: Full
Net height: Full
Where:

- Within the club, Locally,
- Within the county, Regionally, Nationally

Recommended racket size: Full size when physically ready (27")

Competition Formats:

- Team and Individual
- Compass, Round Robin, Matchplay
- Best of 3 short sets, Best of 3 full sets (optional match tie break to 10 points)
- 1 or 2 days





FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS:

GENERAL:

When does the competition framework take effect?

The framework will take effect from 1st September 2007, so you can expect competitions from this date to be organised according to the new framework in terms of age group, ball and court. There will be a phasing-in process for age groups over 2 years so that players aren't forced back a year e.g. a 7 year old in year 1 can compete with an orange ball but not in year 2 and a 10 year old in year 1 can compete with a yellow ball but not in year 2.

Do other countries operate a similar system?

Similar systems operate in a number of major tennis playing nations. In France and Belgium the structure for 10&U competition has been in place for a number of years with great success. It is also widely recognised that to have players competing at the right age, with the right ball and on the right sized court has a huge benefit on the technical, tactical, mental and physical development of their game.

Why can 8 year olds play in red and orange ball competitions?

It is less clear when a player should progress from red to orange than it is from orange to green ball competition as it depends on when they started playing. A player that starts red ball competition at 6 may be ready to move to orange ball at 8 rather than 9. Once in orange ball competition this difference is not as relevant.

PLAYERS AND PARENTS:

How will players benefit from this new framework?

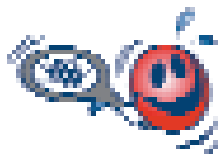
Players will have access to well organised, meaningful and fun competition, which is consistent across Great Britain. They will have the opportunity to regularly compete against players of the same age in an environment which will develop their game technically, tactically, mentally and physically. They will also be able to build their own player profile and see their results online.

How will parents benefit from this?

In addition to parents knowing their children will be playing in well organised, meaningful and fun competition they will also know when, where and how long each competition will last, allowing for more convenient planning. Players and parents will receive better communication and support through the talent ID and coach network

How do I know what age group to play in?

Currently a player's eligibility to compete is based on the year in which they are born, e.g. from 1st September 07 a player born in 1998 is eligible for 10&U age group competition. Various options are open to all sports to determine whether a player is eligible to compete in a given age group, however, there is no firm evidence which proves the argument one way or another. As a result, there will be no change to the current age eligibility rule, the LTA will continue to keep a close eye on changes in tennis and in other sports in order to ensure all players have access to appropriate competition.





Will any players be allowed to 'play up' an age group?

All players are expected to compete in their own age group, 'playing up' is only allowed in exceptional cases when players are issued with a passport to 'play up' as well as in their own age group. There will be conditions in place for this:

- If a player has exhausted the competition opportunities in their own age group category
- If a player has a track record which proves they have no appropriate competition within their own category
- A passport to play may be approved by the Head of Talent Management in conjunction with the relevant Talent Performance Manager for the area and will be communicated to the National Competitions Department and local competition organisers

What happens for 11 and 12 year olds?

We realise that with more competition taking place for 10&U's there need to be appropriate competition for these players when they move into 11/12&U competition. With this in mind we are looking to:

- Provide more competition opportunities at all grades for 11 and 12 year olds
- Ensure players are fully communicated with so they know where to go to get appropriate competition after they progress from green ball competition
- By registering all players earlier, the LTA can better monitor participation numbers by age group to ensure appropriate competition provision.

COACHES:

How will coaches benefit from this?

Coaches will be supported by a competition framework which will have a huge impact on the technical, tactical, mental and physical development of their players. They will be able to see their players develop through a simple and consistent structure which measures their performances against other players on an equal playing field within their peer group.

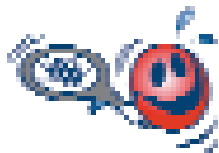
Should coaches progress players through red, orange and green in line with the competition framework?

Yes. Coaches are advised to use the appropriate ball and court size at the relevant ages as recommended in the competition framework.

COMPETITION ORGANISERS:

How will competition organisers benefit from this?

Competition organisers will have an easy to understand and consistent framework to deliver. They will be provided with support packages to help organise meaningful and fun competitions in which formats and scoring are consistent throughout British Tennis.



RED BALL EVENTS FOR PLAYERS BORN IN 2000 OR LATER

Code	Date	Start Time	Club	Venue Address	Organiser	Closing Date	Entry To	Cheques To
BERR01	7 Oct	10.00am	Wellington College Sports Club	Wellington College Sports Club Dukes Ride, Crowthorne, Berks RG14 7PT	Liz Fidler 01344 442444 or 07766 025197	30 Sep	Dukes Ride Crowthorne Berks RG14 7PT	WCE
OXFR01	21 Oct	9.00am	Witney LTC	West Witney Sports & Social Club, Old Burford Road, Witney, Oxon, OX29 0NB	Debbie Ashton 01993 772672	14 Oct	89 Burford Road, Witney, Oxon, OX28 6DR	Witney LTC
BERR02	25 Oct	12.00pm	Slough Tennis Centre	Slough Tennis Centre, Salt Hill Park Bath Road, Slough, Berks, SL3 7RR	Ashley Johnson 01753 875587 k.roche@sloughleisure.co.uk	18 Oct	Mini Tennis Competitions Slough Tennis Centre, Salt Hill Park, Bath Road, Slough, Berks, SL3 7RR	Slough Community Leisure
BERR03	3 Nov	9.30am	Herschel Sports	Herschel Sports Herschel Grammar School, Whitby Road, Slough SL1 3BW	Ashley Johnson 01753 875587 k.roche@sloughleisure.co.uk	27 Oct	Mini Tennis Competitions, Slough Tennis Centre, Salt Hill Park, Bath Road, Slough, Berks, SL3 7RR	Slough Community Leisure
BERR04	4 Nov	11.00am	GDT @ Caversham LTC	Caversham Tennis Club Queensborough Drive, Caversham Reading RG4 7JA	GDT coaching team 0118 375 8324 info@gdttennis.co.uk	28 Oct	Caversham Tennis Club Queensborough Drive Caversham, Reading RG4 7JA	GDT
BERR05	24 Nov	1.00pm	Windsor Tennis Club	Windsor Tennis Club Maidenhead Road Windsor, Berks, SL4 5EY	Avril Hewlett 07980 266356	17 Nov	Windsor Tennis Club Maidenhead Road Windsor Berks SL4 5EY	Windsor Tennis Coaching
BERR06	1 Dec	9.30am	Herschel Sports	Herschel Sports Herschel Grammar School, Whitby Road, Slough SL1 3BW	Ashley Johnson 01753 875587 k.roche@sloughleisure.co.uk	24 Nov	Mini Tennis Competitions, Slough Tennis Centre, Salt Hill Park, Bath Road, Slough, Berks, SL3 7RR	Slough Community Leisure
OXFR02	2 Dec	2.00pm	White Horse Leisure & Tennis Centre	White Horse Leisure & Tennis Centre, Audlett Drive, Abingdon, Oxon, OX14 3PJ	Amanda King 01235 540700	25 Nov	White Horse Leisure & Tennis Centre, Audlett Drive, Abingdon, Oxon, OX14 3PJ	WHLTC
BERR07	23 Dec	3.30pm	Woodford Park Leisure Centre	Woodford Park Leisure Centre Haddon Drive, Woodley RG5 4LY	Selena Coburn 0118 969 3015	16 Dec	Reading Community Tennis C/O Berkshire LTA, Woodford Park, Haddon Drive, Woodley, Reading, Berks RG5 4LY	Reading Community Tennis



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BERR08	9 Dec	10.00am	Wellington College Sports Club	Wellington College Sports Club Dukes Ride, Crowthorne, Berks RG14 7PT	Liz Fidler 01344 442444 or 07766 025197	2 Dec	Dukes Ride Crowthorne Berks RG14 7PT	WCE
BERR09	20 Dec	12.00pm	Slough Tennis Centre	Slough Tennis Centre, Salt Hill Park Bath Road, Slough, Berks, SL3 7RR	Ashley Johnson 01753 875587 k.roche@sloughleisure.co.uk	13 Dec	Mini Tennis Competitions Slough Tennis Centre, Salt Hill Park, Bath Road, Slough, Berks, SL3 7RR	Slough Community Leisure
BERR10	2 Feb	9.30am	Herschel Sports	Herschel Sports Herschel Grammar School, Whitby Road, Slough SL1 3BW	Ashley Johnson 01753 875587 k.roche@sloughleisure.co.uk	26 Jan	Mini Tennis Competitions, Slough Tennis Centre, Salt Hill Park, Bath Road, Slough, Berks, SL3 7RR	Slough Community Leisure
BERR11	3 Feb	10.00am	Woodford Park Leisure Centre	Woodford Park Leisure Centre Haddon Drive, Woodley RG5 4LY	Selena Coburn 0118 969 3015	27 Jan	Reading Community Tennis C/O Berkshire LTA, Woodford Park, Haddon Drive, Woodley, Reading, Berks RG5 4LY	Reading Community Tennis
BERR12	9 Feb	1.00pm	Windsor Tennis Club	Windsor Tennis Club Maidenhead Road Windsor Berks SL4 5EY	Avril Hewlett 07980 266356	2 Feb	Windsor Tennis Club Maidenhead Road Windsor Berks SL4 5EY	Windsor Tennis Coaching
OXFR03	17 Feb	9.00am	Witney LTC	West Witney Sports & Social Club, Old Burford Road, Witney, Oxon, OX29 0NB	Debbie Ashton 01993 772672	10 Feb	89 Burford Road, Witney, Oxon, OX28 6DR	Witney LTC
BERR13	21 Feb	12.00pm	Slough Tennis Centre	Slough Tennis Centre, Salt Hill Park Bath Road, Slough, Berks, SL3 7RR	Ashley Johnson 01753 875587 k.roche@sloughleisure.co.uk	14 Feb	Mini Tennis Competitions Slough Tennis Centre, Salt Hill Park, Bath Road, Slough, Berks, SL3 7RR	Slough Community Leisure
OXFR04	24 Feb	2.00pm	White Horse Leisure & Tennis Centre	White Horse Leisure & Tennis Centre, Audlett Drive, Abingdon, Oxon, OX14 3PJ	Amanda King 01235 540700	17 Feb	White Horse Leisure & Tennis Centre, Audlett Drive, Abingdon, Oxon, OX14 3PJ	WHLTC
BERR14	1 Mar	9.30am	Herschel Sports	Herschel Sports Herschel Grammar School, Whitby Road, Slough SL1 3BW	Ashley Johnson 01753 875587 k.roche@sloughleisure.co.uk	23 Feb	Mini Tennis Competitions Slough Tennis Centre, Salt Hill Park, Bath Road, Slough, Berks, SL3 7RR	Slough Community Leisure
BERR15	15 Mar	1.00pm	Windsor Tennis Club	Windsor Tennis Club Maidenhead Road Windsor Berks SL4 5EY	Avril Hewlett 07980 266356	8 Mar	Windsor Tennis Club Maidenhead Road Windsor Berks SL4 5EY	Windsor Tennis Coaching



ORANGE BALL EVENTS FOR PLAYERS BORN IN 1999/2000 OR 2001

Code	Date	Start Time	Club	Venue Address	Organiser	Closing Date	Entry To	Cheques To
OXFO01	21 Oct	9.00am	Witney LTC	West Witney Sports & Social Club, Old Burford Road, Witney, Oxon, OX29 0NB	Debbie Ashton 01993 772672	14 Oct	89 Burford Road, Witney, Oxon, OX28 6DR	Witney LTC
OXFO05	24 Oct	10.00am	Oxford Sports LTC	Oxford Sports LTC, North Hinksey, Village End, Oxford	Melanie Riste 01865 848658	17 Oct	PO Box 320, Kidlington, OX5 9AA	Oxford Sports
BERO02	25 Oct	2.30pm	Slough Tennis Centre	Slough Tennis Centre, Salt Hill Park Bath Road, Slough, Berks, SL3 7RR	Ashley Johnson 01753 875587 k.roche@sloughleisure.co.uk	18 Oct	Mini Tennis Competitions Slough Tennis Centre, Salt Hill Park, Bath Road, Slough, Berks, SL3 7RR	Slough Community Leisure
BERO03	3 Nov	9.45am	Herschel Sports	Herschel Sports, Herschel Grammar School, Whitby Road, Slough SL1 3BW	Ashley Johnson 01753 875587 k.roche@sloughleisure.co.uk	27 Oct	Mini Tennis Competitions Slough Tennis Centre, Salt Hill Park, Bath Road, Slough, Berks, SL3 7RR	Slough Community Leisure
BERO04	17 Nov	1.30pm	Bradfield Tennis Centre	Bradfield Sports Complex, Bradfield Near Reading Berks RG7 6BZ	Lucy Taylor 0118 964 4608	10 Nov	Bradfield Sports Complex Bradfield, Near Reading Berks RG7 6BZ	BC Developments
OXFO02	18 Nov	2.00pm	White Horse Leisure & Tennis Centre	White Horse Leisure & Tennis Centre, Audlett Drive, Abingdon, Oxon, OX14 3PJ	Amanda King 01235 540700	11 Nov	White Horse Leisure & Tennis Centre, Audlett Drive, Abingdon, Oxon, OX14 3PJ	WHLTC
BERO05	24 Nov	3.00pm	Windsor Tennis Club	Windsor Tennis Club Maidenhead Road Windsor Berks SL4 5EY	Avril Hewlett 07980 266356	17 Nov	Windsor Tennis Club Maidenhead Road, Windsor, Berks SL4 5EY	Windsor Tennis Coaching
BERO06	25 Nov	11.00am	GDT @ Caversham LTC	Caversham Tennis Club Queensborough Drive, Caversham Reading RG4 7JA	GDT coaching team 0118 375 8324 info@gdttennis.co.uk	18 Nov	GDT Mini Tennis Competitions Caversham Tennis Club, Queensborough Drive, Caversham, Reading RG4 7JA	GDT
BERO07	1 Dec	9.45am	Herschel Sports	Herschel Sports Herschel Grammar School, Whitby Road, Slough SL1 3BW	Ashley Johnson 01753 875587 k.roche@sloughleisure.co.uk	24 Nov	Mini Tennis Competitions Slough Tennis Centre, Salt Hill Park, Bath Road, Slough, Berks, SL3 7RR	Slough Community Leisure
BERO08	1 Dec	2.00pm	Wellington College Sports Club	Wellington College Sports Club Dukes Ride, Crowthorne Berks RG14 7PT	Liz Fidler 01344 442444 or 07766 025197	24 Nov	Dukes Ride Crowthorne, Berks RG14 7PT	WCE
BERO09	15 Dec	1.30pm	Bradfield Tennis Centre	Bradfield Sports Complex Bradfield, Near Reading Berks RG7 6BZ	Lucy Taylor 0118 964 4608	8 Dec	Bradfield Sports Complex Bradfield, Near Reading Berks RG7 6BZ	BC Developments

Further dates are available for Oxford Sports, please contact them direct for more information



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BERO10	20 Dec	2.30pm	Slough Tennis Centre	Slough Tennis Centre, Salt Hill Park Bath Road, Slough, Berks, SL3 7RR	Ashley Johnson 01753 875587 k.roche@sloughleisure.co.uk	13 Dec	Mini Tennis Competitions Slough Tennis Centre, Salt Hill Park, Bath Road, Slough, Berks, SL3 7RR	Slough Community Leisure
BERO11	21 Dec	1.00pm	Maidenhead LTC	Maidenhead LTC, 79 All Saints Avenue, Maidenhead, Berks SL6 6LY	Nigel Mann 07941 094274 Nigel.mann@virgin.net	14 Dec	1 The Grove, Parkfield Latimer, Bucks HP5 1UE	Maidenhead LTC
BERO12	12 Jan	1.30pm	Bradfield Tennis Centre	Bradfield Sports Complex Bradfield, Near Reading Berks RG7 6BZ	Lucy Taylor 0118 964 4608	5 Jan	Bradfield Sports Complex Bradfield, Near Reading Berks RG7 6BZ	BC Developments
BERO13	2 Feb	9.45am	Herschel Sports	Herschel Sports Herschel Grammar School, Whitby Road, Slough SL1 3BW	Ashley Johnson 01753 875587 k.roche@sloughleisure.co.uk	26 Jan	Mini Tennis Competitions Slough Tennis Centre, Salt Hill Park, Bath Road, Slough, Berks, SL3 7RR	Slough Community Leisure
BERO14	9 Feb	3.00pm	Windsor Tennis Club	Windsor Tennis Club Maidenhead Road, Windsor Berks SL4 5EY	Avril Hewlett 07980 266356	2 Feb	Windsor Tennis Club Maidenhead Road Windsor Berks SL4 5EY	Windsor tennis Coaching
OXFO03	17 Feb	11.00am	Witney LTC	West Witney Sports & Social Club, Old Burford Road, Witney, Oxon, OX29 0NB	Debbie Ashton 01993 772672	10 Feb	89 Burford Road, Witney, Oxon, OX28 6DR	Witney LTC
BERO15	21 Feb	2.30pm	Slough Tennis Centre	Slough Tennis Centre, Salt Hill Park Bath Road, Slough, Berks, SL3 7RR	Ashley Johnson 01753 875587 k.roche@sloughleisure.co.uk	14 Feb	Mini Tennis Competitions Slough Tennis Centre, Salt Hill Park, Bath Road, Slough, Berks, SL3 7RR	Slough Community Leisure
BERO16	25 Feb	1.00pm	Maidenhead LTC	Maidenhead LTC 79 All Saints Avenue, Maidenhead, Berks, SL6 6LY	Nigel Mann 07941 094274 Nigel.mann@virgin.net	18 Feb	1 The Grove, Parkfield Latimer, Bucks HP5 1UE	Maidenhead LTC
BERO17	1 Mar	9.45am	Herschel Sports	Herschel Sports Herschel Grammar School, Whitby Road, Slough SL1 3BW	Ashley Johnson 01753 875587 k.roche@sloughleisure.co.uk	23 Feb	Mini Tennis Competitions Slough Tennis Centre, Salt Hill Park, Bath Road, Slough, Berks, SL3 7RR	Slough Community Leisure
OXFO04	9 Mar	2.00pm	White Horse Leisure & Tennis Centre	White Horse Leisure & Tennis Centre, Audlett Drive, Abingdon, Oxon, OX14 3PJ	Amanda King 01235 540700	2 Mar	White Horse Leisure & Tennis Centre, Audlett Drive, Abingdon, Oxon, OX14 3PJ	WHLTC
BERO18	15 Mar	3.00pm	Windsor Tennis Club	Windsor Tennis Club Maidenhead Road, Windsor, Berks SL4 5EY	Avril Hewlett 07980 266356	8 Mar	Windsor Tennis Club Maidenhead Road, Windsor Berks SL4 5EY	Windsor tennis Coaching



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OXFG08	24 Oct	10.00am	Oxford Sports LTC	Oxford Sports LTC, North Hinksey, Village End, Oxford	Melanie Riste 01865 848658	17 Oct	PO Box 320, Kidlington, OX5 9AA	Oxford Sports
BERG01	26 Oct	12.00pm	Slough Tennis Centre	Slough Tennis Centre, Salt Hill Park Bath Road, Slough, Berks, SL3 7RR	Ashley Johnson 01753 875587 k.roche@sloughleisure.co.uk	19 Oct	Mini Tennis Competitions Slough Tennis Centre, Salt Hill Park, Bath Road, Slough, Berks, SL3 7RR	Slough Community Leisure
BERG02	3 Nov	12.00pm	Herschel Sports	Herschel Sports Herschel Grammar School, Whitby Road, Slough SL1 3BW	Ashley Johnson 01753 875587 k.roche@sloughleisure.co.uk	28 Oct	Mini Tennis Competitions Slough Tennis Centre, Salt Hill Park, Bath Road, Slough, Berks, SL3 7RR	Slough Community Leisure
OXFG01	4 Nov	TBC	Oxford Sports LTC	Oxford Sports LTC, North Hinksey, Village End, Oxford	Melanie Riste 01865 848658	25 Oct	PO Box 320, Kidlington, OX5 9AA	Oxford Sports
BERG03	11 Nov	1.00pm	Wellington College Sports Club	Wellington College Sports Club Dukes Ride, Crowthorne Berks RG14 7PT	Liz Fidler 01344 442444 Or 07766 025197	4 Nov	Dukes Ride Crowthorne, Berks RG14 7PT	WCE
OXFG03	11 Nov	2.00pm	White Horse Leisure & Tennis Centre	White Horse Leisure & Tennis Centre, Audlett Drive, Abingdon, Oxon, OX14 3PJ	Amanda King 01235 540700	4 Nov	White Horse Leisure & Tennis Centre, Audlett Drive, Abingdon, Oxon, OX14 3PJ	WHLTC
BERG04	17 Nov	4.00pm	Bradfield Tennis Centre	Bradfield Sports Complex, Bradfield, Near Reading Berks RG7 6BZ	Lucy Taylor 0118 964 4608	10 Nov	Bradfield Sports Complex Bradfield, Near Reading Berks RG7 6BZ	BC Developments
OXFG09	18 Nov	TBC	North Oxford LTC	North Oxford LTC, Banbury Road North Sports Ground, Oxford, OX2 8EG	Alison Jackson 01865 848658	10 Nov	Sandstock House, Woodside, Frilford Heath, Abingdon, Oxon, OX13 5QG	North Oxford LTC
OXFG04	25 Nov	9.00am	Witney LTC	West Witney Sports & Social Club, Old Burford Road, Witney, Oxon, OX29 0NB	Debbie Ashton 01993 772672	18 Nov	89 Burford Road, Witney, Oxon, OX28 6DR	Witney LTC
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GREEN BALL EVENTS FOR PLAYERS BORN IN 1998 or 1999

Code	Date	Start Time	Club	Venue Address	Organiser	Closing Date	Entry To	Cheques To
BERG08	21 Dec	12.00pm	Slough Tennis Centre	Slough Tennis Centre, Salt Hill Park Bath Road, Slough, Berks, SL3 7RR	Ashley Johnson 01753 875587 k.roche@sloughleisure.co.uk	14 Dec	Mini Tennis Competitions Slough Tennis Centre, Salt Hill Park, Bath Road, Slough, Berks, SL3 7RR	Slough Community Leisure
BERG09	21 Dec	1.00pm	Maidenhead LTC	Maidenhead LTC 79 All Saints Avenue, Maidenhead, Berks, SL6 6LY	Nigel Mann 07941 094274 Nigel.mann@virgin.net	14 Dec	1 The Grove, Parkfield Latimer, Bucks HP5 1UE	Maidenhead LTC
BERG10	12 Jan	4.00pm	Bradfield Tennis Centre	Bradfield Sports Complex Bradfield, Near Reading Berks RG7 6BZ	Lucy Taylor 0118 964 4608	5 Jan	Bradfield Sports Complex Bradfield, Near Reading Berks RG7 6BZ	BC Developments
BERG11	2 Feb	12.00pm	Herschel Sports	Herschel Sports Herschel Grammar School, Whitby Road, Slough SL1 3BW	Ashley Johnson 01753 875587 k.roche@sloughleisure.co.uk	26 Jan	Mini Tennis Competitions Slough Tennis Centre, Salt Hill Park, Bath Road, Slough, Berks, SL3 7RR	Slough Community Leisure
BERG12	22 Feb	12.00pm	Slough Tennis Centre	Slough Tennis Centre, Salt Hill Park Bath Road, Slough, Berks, SL3 7RR	Ashley Johnson 01753 875587 k.roche@sloughleisure.co.uk	15 Feb	Mini Tennis Competitions Slough Tennis Centre, Salt Hill Park, Bath Road, Slough, Berks, SL3 7RR	Slough Community Leisure
OXF061	24 Feb	TBC	Oxford Sports LTC	Oxford Sports LTC, North Hinksey, Village End, Oxford	Melanie Riste 01865 848658	14 Feb	PO Box 320, Kidlington, OX5 9AA	Oxford Sports
BERG13	25 Feb	1.00pm	Maidenhead LTC	Maidenhead LTC 79 All Saints Avenue, Maidenhead, Berks, SL6 6LY	Nigel Mann 07941 094274 Nigel.mann@virgin.net	18 Feb	1 The Grove Parkfield, Latimer Bucks HP5 1UE	Maidenhead LTC
BERG14	1 Mar	12.00pm	Herschel Sports	Herschel Sports Herschel Grammar School, Whitby Road, Slough SL1 3BW	Ashley Johnson 01753 875587 k.roche@sloughleisure.co.uk	24 Feb	Mini Tennis Competitions Slough Tennis Centre, Salt Hill Park, Bath Road, Slough, Berks, SL3 7RR	Slough Community Leisure
OXFG06	2 Mar	1.30pm	Hook Norton LTC	Hook Norton LTC, The Playing Field, The Bourne, Hook Norton, Oxon	Matt Hill 07939 500898	24 Feb	107 Winchester Close, Banbury, Oxon, OX16 4FU	Hook Norton LTC
OXF060	2 Mar	TBC	White Horse Leisure & Tennis Centre	White Horse Leisure & Tennis Centre, Audlett drive, Abingdon, Oxon, OX14 3PJ	Amanda King 01235 540700	22 Feb	White Horse Leisure & Tennis Centre, Audlett drive, Abingdon, Oxon, OX14 3PJ	WHLTC
OXFG07	16 Mar	2.00pm	White Horse Leisure & Tennis Centre	White Horse Leisure & Tennis Centre, Audlett Drive, Abingdon, Oxon, OX14 3PJ	Amanda King 01235 540700	9 Mar	White Horse Leisure & Tennis Centre, Audlett Drive, Abingdon, Oxon, OX14 3PJ	WHLTC

Further dates are available for Oxford Sports, please contact them direct for more information



ORANGE BALL INDOOR ARIEL COUNTY TOURNAMENTS FOR PLAYERS BORN IN 1999/2000 OR 2001

Code	Tournament	Date	Entry and Contact Information	Closing Date	Age Group & Gender
BERO19	Ariel County Tournament (Bisham Abbey)	25 Nov	Mem Aldridge - 0118 969 3015 Berkshire LTA, Woodford Park, Haddon Drive, Woodley, Reading, Berks, RG5 4LY	16 Nov	Boys & Girls born in 1999
OXFO05	Ariel County Tournament (White Horse Leisure & Tennis Centre)	12 Jan	Nick Tonks - 07801 240094 Oxfordshire LTA, White Horse Leisure & Tennis Centre, Audlett Drive, Abingdon, OX14 3PJ	4 Jan	Boys & Girls born in 1999
BERO20	Ariel County Tournament (Bisham Abbey)	27 Jan	Mem Aldridge - 0118 969 3015 Berkshire LTA, Woodford Park, Haddon Drive, Woodley, Reading, Berks, RG5 4LY	18 Jan	Boys & Girls born in 1999
OXFO06	Ariel County Tournament (White Horse Leisure & Tennis Centre)	16 Feb	Nick Tonks - 07801 240094 Oxfordshire LTA, White Horse Leisure & Tennis Centre, Audlett Drive, Abingdon, OX14 3PJ	7 Feb	Boys & Girls born in 1999

GREEN BALL INDOOR ARIEL COUNTY TOURNAMENTS FOR PLAYERS BORN IN 1998 AND 1999

Code	Tournament	Date	Entry and Contact Information	Closing Date	Age Group & Gender
BER901	Ariel County Tournament (Bisham Abbey)	24 Nov	Mem Aldridge - 0118 969 3015 Berkshire LTA, Woodford Park, Haddon Drive, Woodley, Reading Berks RG5 4LY	2 Nov	Boys born in 1998 and 1999
BER902	Ariel County Tournament (Bradfield Indoor Tennis Centre)	19 Jan	Mem Aldridge - 0118 969 3015 Berkshire LTA, Woodford Park, Haddon Drive, Woodley, Reading Berks RG5 4LY	7 Dec	Girls born in 1998 and 1999
BER903	Ariel County Tournament (Bradfield Indoor Tennis Centre)	16 Feb	Mem Aldridge - 0118 969 3015 Berkshire LTA, Woodford Park, Haddon Drive, Woodley, Reading Berks RG5 4LY	25 Jan	Boys born in 1998 and 1999
BER904	Ariel County Tournament (Bradfield Indoor Tennis Centre)	8 Mar	Mem Aldridge - 0118 969 3015 Berkshire LTA, Woodford Park, Haddon Drive, Woodley, Reading Berks RG5 4LY	22 Feb	Girls born in 1998 and 1999

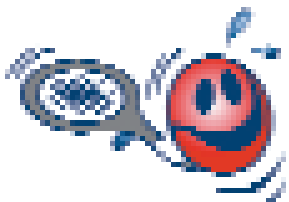




GREEN BALL CHAMPIONS RACE

The Thames Valley Tennis Champions Race gives players the chance to compete in matches during the winter months. It is open to players born in 1998 or 1999. There are only limited places in each draw so players who were born or live in Berkshire or Oxfordshire will be given priority. All events will predominantly be played indoors at Bisham Abbey and players competing in the events will accumulate points for winning matches with the highest scoring being invited to the finals. For more details or an application form please contact either the Berkshire LTA office on 0118 969 3015 or the Oxfordshire LTA office on 01235 540800.

Date	Time	Code
Sunday 7th October	2.00-6.30	CR1
Sunday 4th November	2.00-6.30	CR2
Sunday 2nd December	2.00-6.30	CR3
Sunday 6th January (Player Plus)	2.00-6.30	CR3
Sunday 3rd February (Grand Final) Invitation Only	2.00-6.30	CRF



OXFORDSHIRE AND BERKSHIRE CLUBS MINI TENNIS AND GRADE 6 EVENTS

entry form

WINTER 2007/2008

Name of player:	Home no.
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Male / Female	Date of Birth	Mob. no.
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Address:

Postcode:

Email Address:

Does your child have any medical condition the organiser should be aware of? (eg asthma, allergy etc.)

Please enter details of the event you wish to enter:

CODE	VENUE	DATE	ENTRY FEE

Declaration

I have read and understood the rules and an adult will be present with the child throughout the event.

SIGNED _____

parent/ guardian

Please send this **completed form** together with a cheque for **payment** payable to See 'cheque to' column on programme.

- Please use a separate entry form for each event entered (even if on the same day or time)
- All events are £6.00 for mini tennis red and orange and £8.00 for mini tennis green
- Confirmation of entry will be sent by email. However, if you would prefer to receive notification by post please enclose a SAE envelope
- For information about the specific event entered please contact the event organiser
- For information about the events in general please contact the Oxfordshire LTA office on 01235 540800 or the Berkshire LTA office on 0118 969 3015