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Woodfield Grove wins the Millennium Cup for the first time

Woodfield Grove Tennis Club won the Millennium Cup on Saturday for the first time in the thirteen year history of the competition, defeating Wigmore Lawn Tennis Club in the final, which was postponed for two weeks as a result of inclement weather.

The creators of the local team competition conceived to provide a friendly, competitive environment between members of the five local clubs of Streatham, south London, Woodfield Grove has never made it to the final before this year.

“To manage to win the Millennium Cup on the club’s first appearance in the final against such illustrious opponents as Wigmore, who have won the competition on three separate occasions, is quite a feat for us,” said Barbara Wancke, Vice Chairman of Woodfield Grove and the founder of the Millennium Cup.

“We now have to figure out how to best display the trophy in the clubhouse!”

The coveted Millennium Cup trophy, which was donated in 2001 by the three inaugural clubs, Telford Park, Wigmore and Woodfield Grove, is a beautiful crystal vase centrepiece measuring 215cm in height and 145mm in diameter set on a wooden base with a silver sleeve.

It has been won five times by Telford Park, and three times by Wigmore, while Grafton and Norbury Park have each won it twice. Now Woodfield Grove’s name is to added to the honours list of champion clubs engraved on the sleeve.

The idea behind the competition is to encourage new members into match play under friendly conditions and more experienced players, who already compete in the Surrey league, are discouraged from playing under a Standard of Play criteria devised by the Organising Committee on which representatives from each club serve.

ORGANISING COMMITTEE

Voting Members: Nigel Flay (Chairman - Norbury Park LTC), Peter Risdon (Referee), Sharon Goulds (Wigmore LTC), Juliet Griffiths (Telford Park LTC), Kenny Govan (Woodfield Grove TC) and Murray Sutton (Grafton LTC)
Alternates: Alex Kyle (Woodfield Grove TC), Sue Lovejoy (Norbury Park LTC), Alexandra McAdam Clark (Wigmore LTC), Marvyn Torres (Telford Park LTC), Liz Wickham (Grafton LTC) and Barbara Wancke - Admin

On Saturday, Wigmore took the opening match when Sharleen Hussey defeated Anna Thompson 6-2 6-3 in the Girls under 16s singles match.

Woodfield Grove levelled when Aiden Doyle and Jason Proctor saw off a spirited challenge from Wigmore's men's doubles team of Keen Chung and Leigh Singer, 6-3 2-6 6-3.

It took a long three-setter for the ladies doubles pairing of Esme Kyle and Aimee O'Hanlon to overcome Wigmore's Sharon Gould and Sue Jeffries, 7-6 0-6 7-6, to put Woodfield Grove up 2-1.

An unfortunate Wigmore no-show in the Men's Over 45s singles gave Mark Epton a walkover and Woodfield Grove a 3-1 lead, which was then converted to a 4-1 lead when Lenka Dohnalova had too much fire power for Nell Lindsell, winning 6-0 6-3.

The Ladies Over 40s singles produced an evenly-balanced contest between Woodfield Grove's Maggie Hodges and Anne Boucnik from Wigmore until the latter ran out of steam and retired to hand over victory, 7-5 3-6 3-0 retired.

With the outcome of the final already decided in Woodfield Grove's favour, Jason Proctor produced some excellent tennis to defeat Wigmore's Peter Lilley, 6-4 6-1, and extend the points scoreline.

Wigmore pulled back a point by winning the mixed doubles, when Alex McAdam Clark and Keem Chung convincingly beat Claire Lean and David Snook 6-3 6-3, but Woodfield Grove's Ben Thompson took the final point against Dylan Morley in a shortened Boys Under 16 singles match to give the club a resounding 7-2 victory.

The Millennium Cup trophy was presented to Alex Kyle, Captain of Woodfield Grove's team, by Murray Sutton, Chairman of Grafton Lawn Tennis Club.

"It's fantastic team effort to win this trophy," said Alex. "Despite the two conceded matches, the team came through some really tight contests and deserve the win."

Hosting the final for the first time, Woodfield Grove offered the teams and supporters a fine barbecue and tea throughout the afternoon.

"Congratulations to Woodfield Grove," said Murray. "It's really good to see them make the final for the first time and to win it!"

"It's been another closely contested competition this year and one that all the many participants from the five Streatham clubs have thoroughly enjoyed."

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Final Results of the 2013 Competition



Saturday 28 September, 2013

WOODFIELD GROVE TC DEFEATED WIGMORE LTC 7-2

At Woodfield Grove Tennis Club

Women's Singles: Lenka Dohnalova d Nell Lindsell 6-0 6-3; Men's Singles: Jason Proctor d Peter Lilley 6-4 6-1; Women's Over 40 Singles: Maggie Hodges d Anne Boucnik 7-5 3-6 3-0 Retired; Men's Over 45 Singles: Mark Epton d Luca Dogliotti W/O; Girl's Under 16 Singles: Anna Thompson lost to Sharleen Hussey 6-2 6-3; Boys Under 16 Singles: Ben Thompson d Dylan Morley 6-6 [12-10]; Women's Doubles: Aimee O'Hanlon & Esmee Kyle d Sharon Goulds & Sue Jeffries 7-6 0-6 7-6; Mixed Doubles: Claire Lean & David Snook lost to Alex McAdam Clark & Keem Ching 6-3 6-3; Men's Doubles: Aiden Doyle & Jason Proctor d Keem Chung & Leigh Singer 6-3 2-6 6-3.

Sunday 23 June 2013

NORBURY PARK LTC DEFEATED WOODFIELD GROVE TC 6-3

At Norbury Park Lawn Tennis Club

Women's Singles: Siobhan Thompson d Esme Kyle 6-0 6-1; Men's Singles: Phil Clark d Jason Proctor 7-6 6-1; Women's Over 45 Singles: Kate Hazelwood d Maggie Hodges 6-4 6-2; Men's Over 40 Singles: Terry McGranaghan d Alex Kyle 6-3 6-1; Girls Under 16 Singles: ?? lost to Anna Thompson W/O; Boys Under 16 Singles: Adam Bailey lost to Ben Thompson 6-0 6-1; Women's Doubles: Helen Mountain & Sue Lovejoy d Candice Kyle & Maggie Hodges 6-3 6-3; Men's Doubles: Dan Lockeretz & Tesh Jati d Joe Thompson & Aiden Doyle 6-1 6-4; Mixed Doubles: Tony & Anita Abell lost to Sam Bullock & Andrea Thompson 6-2 6-3.

Sunday 16 June 2013

NORBURY PARK LTC DEFEATED WIGMORE LTC 1-8

At Norbury Park Lawn Tennis Club

Women's Singles: Sue Lovejoy lost to Celia Edwards 6-2 6-2; Men's Singles: Phil Clark d Matt Simpson 6-3 6-4; Women's Over 45 Singles: Kate Hazelwood lost to Gill Mezey 6-3 4-6 6-4; Men's Over 40 Singles: Marek Strzelichowski lost to Luca Dogliotti 5-2 Retired [injured]; Girls Under 16 Singles: ?? lost to Minna Hainault W/O; Boys : Adam Bailey lost to Dylan Morley 6-0 6-1; Women's Doubles: Lisa Patient & Siobhan Thompson lost to Alex McAdam-Clark & Sharon Goulds 6-1 6-2; Men's Doubles: Matt Gordon & Khamsay Phommavongsa lost to David Shaw & Leigh Singer 6-2 6-4; Mixed Doubles: Helen Mountain & Terry McGranaghan lost to Heather Rayner & Keem Chung 7-5 6-3.

Sunday 2 June 2013

TELFORD PARK LTC DEFEATED GRAFTON LTC 7-2

At Telford Park Lawn Tennis Club

Women's Singles: Lou Young lost to Arisa Siong 6-0 7-5; Men's Singles: Alex Gummer d Tony Braimbridge 6-1 6-4; Women's Over 45 Singles: Hilary Lyle lost to Kath Bower 6-0 6-4; Men's Over 40 Singles: Simon Higgins d Murray Sutton 6-4 6-3; Girls Under 16 Singles: Bella Barber d Katie Diamond 6-0 6-2; Boys Under 16 Singles: Nick Pauwels d Ivan Barker 7-5 6-4; Women's Doubles: Sarah Mawby & Juliet Griffiths d Elizabeth End & Fiona Patterson 6-3 6-3; Men's Doubles: Bond Wong & Peter Gaspar d Matt Chandler & Mark Jones 6-0 6-0; Mixed Doubles: Sally Cole & Tim Loughhead d David Mozley & Julie Wilson 7-6 6-1

WIGMORE LTC LOST TO WOODFIELD GROVE TC 3-6

At Wigmore Lawn Tennis Club

Women's Singles: Celia Edwards lost to Lenka Dohnalova 6-3 4-6 6-2; Men's Singles: David Shaw d Antonio Torreno 6-2 6-4; Women's Over 45 Singles: Anne Morley-Fletcher d Maggie Hodges 7-5 6-3; Men's Over 40 Singles: Peter Lilley d David Snook 6-3 6-1; Girls Under 16 Singles: Sharleen Hussey d Anna Thompson 6-2 6-4; Boys Under 16 Singles: Dylan Morley lost to Ben Thompson 6-2 7-6 [12-10] * TB after reaching 8 games all; Women's Doubles: Alexandra McAdam-Clark & Sharon Goulds d Esme Kyle & Rachel Thompson 6-3 6-7 7-5; Men's Doubles: Keem Chung & Ben Davidson lost to Antonio Torreno & Aiden Doyle 6-4 6-3; Mixed Doubles: Heather Rayner & Peter Keeling d Carole Britton & Alex Kyle 6-3 6-7 [10-5].

Saturday 19 May 2013

TELFORD PARK LTC DEFEATED NORBURY PARK LTC

7-2

At Telford Park Lawn Tennis Club

Women's Singles: Lisa Finch d Siobhan Thompson 6-3 6-0; Men's Singles: Bond Wong lost to Phil Clarke 6-3 6-1; Women's Over 45 Singles: Juliet Richardson d Kate Hazelwood 6-4 6-7 6-2; Men's Over 40 Singles: David Maule lost to Marek Strzelichowski 6-3 6-1; Girls Under 16 Singles: Bella Barber d Acacia Duffy 6-2 6-1; Girls Under 16 Singles: W/O to TP; Boys Under 16 Singles: Ben Silverstein d Daniel Jacob-Ormsom 7-5 6-2; Women's Doubles: Juliet Griffiths & Lou Young d Helen Mountain & Annemarie O'Hara 6-0 6-1; Men's Doubles: Mike Ingram & James Finch d Matt Gordon & Khamsay Phommavongs 6-1 2-6 2-6 6-4; Mixed Doubles: John Lewis & Sally Cole d Tesh Jati & Lisa Patient 6-4 6-4.

Saturday 11 May 2013

WOODFIELD GROVE TC DEFEATED GRAFTON LTC

7-2

At Woodfield Grove Tennis Club

Women's Singles: Esme Kyle lost to Liz Wickham 6-1 6-1; Men's Singles: Piers Simcox d Tony Braimbridge 7-5 7-6; Women's Over 45 Singles: Maggie Hodges d Julie Wilson 4-6 6-2 6-2; Men's Over 40 Singles: David Snook d Murray Sutton 6-1 6-3; Girls Under 16 Singles: Anna Thompson d Katie Diamond 6-0 6-2; Boys Under 16 Singles: Ben Thompson d Ivan Barker 6-0 6-0; Women's Doubles: Rachel Thompson & Esme Kyle d Elizabeth End & Olivia Tsang 6-4 2-6 6-4; Men's Doubles: Neil Salmon & Roberto Savoia d Ben Prynne & Paul Flatters 6-2 7-5; Mixed Doubles: Alex & Candice Kyle lost to David Mozley & Mary Prickett 6-1 6-0.

Sunday 21 April 2013

GRAFTON LTC LOST TO WIGMORE LTC

3-6

At Grafton Lawn Tennis Club

Men's Singles: Tony Braimbridge d David Shaw 6-4 7-6; Women's Singles: Rachel Codd lost to Celia Edwards 3-6 6-1 6-1; Women's Over 40 Singles: Maureen Kenny lost to Gill Mezey 4-6 6-1 6-1; Men's Over 45 Singles: Murray Sutton lost to Neil Dowden 6-2 6-3; Girls Under 16 Singles: Katie Diamond lost to Sharleen Hussey 6-2 6-0; Boys Under 16 Singles: Ollie Cumming lost to Max Hamill 6-0 6-1; Women's Doubles: Mary Prickett & Julie Wilson d Sharon Goulds & Alexandra McAdam Clark 6-4 6-2; Men's Doubles: Paul Flatters & Ben Prynne d Peter Lilley & Ben Davidson 7-5 6-3; Mixed Doubles: Robert Baker & Liz Wickham lost to Keem Chung & Anne Boucnik 6-2 6-1.

Saturday 20 April 2013

TELFORD PARK LOST TO WOODFIELD GROVE TC

2-7

At Telford Park Lawn Tennis Club

Men's singles: Simon Gaysford d Piers Simcox 6-4 6-4; Women's Singles: Lou Young lost to Lenka Dohnalova 6-4 6-1; Women's Over 45 Singles: Rebecca Ruff lost to Mercedes Gonzalez Gallegos 6-1 6-1; Men's Over 40 Singles: Richard Povey lost to David Snook 7-5 6-3; Girls Under 16 Singles: Annie Griffiths lost to Anna Thompson 6-4 6-3; Boys Under 16 Singles: Ben Silverstein lost to Ben Thompson 6-0 6-2; Women's Doubles: Lisa Finch & Jo Prest lost to Lenka Dohnalova & Claire Lean 6-4 6-1; Men's Doubles: Jamie White & Will Denton lost to Neil Salmon & Roberto Savoia 7-6 6-2; Mixed Doubles: Mike Ingram & Hilary Lyle d Antonio Toreno & Candice Kyle 6-2 6-2.

Saturday 13 April 2013

GRAFTON LTC LOST TO NORBURY PARK LTC

3-6

At Grafton Lawn Tennis Club

Women's Singles: Arisa Siong d Colleen O'Sullivan 6-3 6-0; Men's Singles: Tony Braimbridge d James Richards 6-1 6-1; Women's Over 40 Singles: Monica Parrott d Sue Lovejoy 7-5 6-2; Men's 45: Murray Sutton lost to Joel Johnson 7-6 6-4; Girls Under 16 Singles: Katie Diamond d Acacia Duffy 6-2 6-4; Boys Under 16 Singles: Ivan Barker lost to Daniel Ormsom-Jacobs 7-5 3-6 7-9; Women's Doubles: Elizabeth End & Kath Bower d Lisa Patient & Anne-Marie O'Hara 6-2 7-5; Men's Doubles: Paul Flatters & Paul Denning lost to Matt Gordon & Khamsay Phommavongs 6-2 6-2; Mixed Doubles: Simon Kennedy & Sophie Oliver d Terry McGranaghan & Colleen O'Sullivan 7-6 7-6.

Saturday 7 April 2013
WIGMORE LTC DEFEATED TELFORD PARK LTC
At Wigmore Lawn Tennis Club

6-3

Women's Singles: Celia Edwards d Isabel White 7-6 3-6 6-0; Men's Singles: Dan Taylor lost to Simon Gaysford 2-6 7-6 6-3; Women's Over 45 Singles: Gill Mezey lost to Ailen Scott 6-0 6-1; Mens Vets : Peter Lilley d Mark Sinclair 6-2 6-0; Girls Under 16 Singles: Sharleen Hussey d Hattie Binney 6-0 6-0; Boys Under 16 Singles: Dylan Morley lost to Hamish Dick 6-0 4-6 6-1; Women's Doubles: Sharon Goulds & Sue Jeffries d Rebecca Ruff & Juliet Griffiths 7-6 6-2; Men's Doubles: David Shaw & Leigh Singer d Jamie White & Jamie Scott lost to 4-6 6-2 6-1; Mixed Doubles: Anne Boucnik & Keem Chung d. Lorraine Pereira & Steve Graham 6-2 6-4.

FINAL LEAGUE STANDINGS

2013 LEAGUE TABLE	Grafton LTC	Norbury Park LTC	Telford Park LTC	Wigmore LTC	Woodfield Grove TC	TOTAL POINTS
Grafton LTC		6	2	3	2	13
Norbury Park LTC	3		2	1	6	12
Telford Park LTC	7	7		3	2	19
Wigmore LTC	6	8	6		3	23
Woodfield Grove TC	7	3	7	6		23

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