

May 2024

BLACKHEATH SQUASH

NEWS & UPDATES

BLACKHEATH SQUASH TEAM NEWS



Blackheath first team won their last two games of the season - beating Tunbridge Wells and Park Langley - to pip Bexley to second spot! This means Blackheath 1 came second in division 4 and secured "back to back" promotions.....Well done lads!

The other great news is that Rowan Moss is now captain of the new Blackheath Team 2 (supported by vice-captain Mylo Scurr). Good luck to Rowan and Mylo for taking this on, you have all our support!

With the summer season of team squash kicking off soon, we are looking into procuring Blackheath Squash branded T-shirts for the team members and, since we are getting a rather good deal, we thought we would extend this opportunity to all members. Orders need to be placed soon! Cost is £8. More details on the website: https://irp.cdn-website.com/e512eb91/files/uploaded/Club_Tee_Shirt_Offer.pdf

The first team have also been on a trip to Budapest (hosted by long term club member Gabor) to play a friendly at [City Squash Club](#). Here's some photos of their trip. We hope to host the Hungarian team at Blackheath next year.



LIGHTS & WINDOWS

A polite request – If you open any windows please ensure that you close them when leaving – and don't forget to turn off the court lights when your booking has ended.



MEMBERSHIP RULES & BOOKING RULES

Blackheath Squash Club membership rules and other policy documents are available to view and download on the clubs website:

<https://www.blackheathsquashclub.com/policies>

Details about the booking policy at the club can be found on the MyCourts booking system.

2024 TOURNAMENT UPDATE

Entry/Registration Closed

Tournament

[2024 Doubles Tournament](#)

[2024 Ladies Singles Tournament](#)

[2024 Racketball Tournament](#)

[2024 Singles Tournament](#)

[Over 45's 2024 Singles Tournament](#)

[Over 60's 2024 Singles Tournament](#)

This year's tournaments are well under way. Good luck to all members that have entered one of the tournaments this year! You can view progress on the [MyCourts booking system](#). A quick reminder that you can also see details of previous finalists going back to 1952 on our website:

www.blackheathsquashclub.com/tournaments.

If you didn't make it through the first round of the Singles Tournament you will be entered into the Plate competition and details will follow at some point soon. A quick reminder that if you are still in the main Singles tournament your Second-round matches need to be played by the 5th May and Third-round matches by the 26th May 2024.

The date of Finals Night, which is a great opportunity to mix with other members and enjoy watching some great squash, will be confirmed in a future newsletter.



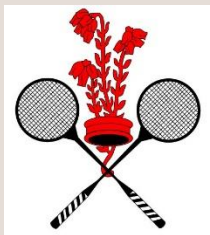
The player with the most improved ranking in March was Isaac Priestley whose Squash Levels ranking improved by 11.3%. Nice squash! Seventeen people saw their level improve, and we also saw an increase in the number of players with a ranking.

Over sixty-eight members at Blackheath have now linked their league results from the [MyCourts](#) system to [SquashLevels](#). [SquashLevels](#) is very simple to set up and a great way to track your progress. If you have any questions or need help with [SquashLevels](#) please let us know: info@blackheathsquashclub.com

EYE PROTECTION



A quick reminder that it is mandatory for ALL players under the age of eighteen to wear eye protection when playing on the courts at Blackheath Squash Club!



BOX LEAGUES

The current round of Box leagues is due to finish on the 19th May 2024.

Don't forget, if you are not currently in the boxes and would like to enter the next round, due to start soon after, then drop an email to:

blackheathboxleague@gmail.com

and indicate what level of ability you think you are (beginner, intermediate, advanced).

Enjoy your squash!