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To All,

So we have just received another 4 inches of snow, and I'm beginning to forget what the color red looks like. So it must be time to brush of the winter whites and get ready for an exciting new season on, yes, **RED** clay.

There's so much to do by the time we open in early April and so much goes on during these winter months. As you know we have updated our By-Laws at the annual meeting. We have two exciting new chairpersons, Tom Edwards who will be the grounds chair and Robin Bohan who will be our membership chair. Our new marketing committee is hard at work. It will be fun to watch us grow, not only in membership but also in visibility in the local communities and the greater communities that we have not as yet reached.

On the horizon for this summer is our first U.S.T.A. doubles tournament. Don't forget to join the U.S.T.A. so you will be able to participate in June. It should be a great deal of fun. Remember we will also need a wealth of volunteers to make this work, so if you'd like to help please contact Art Fredman, judyart18@aol.com.

Our social committee is also planning some new events. In addition to movie nights and heavy hitters, and Friday round robins, we are looking at a singles night (for singles on the courts) a singles night (for singles to get together, perhaps open it up to guests who are also single.) a mixed doubles event and other new and different things. The world as they say is our playground and we are looking forward to another exciting summer. The more we do the more we need volunteers from our membership to make it happen. If you would like to work on the social committee please contact Robin Bohan, rbohan@optonline.net.

We also need new people to help on the membership committee, in order to grow we have to get the word out there and again we need members who are willing to give a hand. If you have an interest please contact Robin Bohan at the above email address. I HOPE TO KEEP HER VERY BUSY WITH ALL OF OUR NEW MEMBERS.

If you thought we keep quiet during the winter, know that what goes on behind the scenes is what keeps us fresh and new for the coming season. We would love to have you as part of that energy.

See you on the courts,
sharon