

THE NEW YORK TABLE TENNIS LEAGUE

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Editorial League

Hi All, we are almost in the middle of our competition; Passaic is still leading the tournament. The league is also growing as organization; Delegates are taking decisions and representing their teams. This is an important part of the league; Training of new directors, representatives and players about how the leagues works. The key in the process of having a long-term competition is having the capability of replace any director and representatives and working as a team. Since this competition has no other goal than the promotion of Table Tennis among clubs, the league itself has no owner. All people involved are volunteers and in case of receiving sponsorship, the resources will be used for prizes and league related expenses. So far we have two sponsors: DSP Cup, which promised us to give us the Cup and medals, and ActVBA, which is providing the email service to send massive emails with the newsletter. We are still looking for a Sponsor to give three airfare tickets for Vegas to the winner (for the US Nationals).

Mauricio

Editorial de la Liga

Hola a todos, estamos casi en la mitad de la competencia. El club de Passaic aun lidera el torneo. La liga esta creciendo en cuanto a organizacion. Los delegados estan tomando decisiones y representando a sus clubes. Una parte importante de la liga es el entrenamiento de directores, delegados y jugadores sobre como la liga funciona. Esta es la clave para tener una competencia que perdure en el tiempo, ser capaces de reemplazar directores y representantes y ser capaces de trabajar como un equipo. Como la liga no tiene otro fin que promover el tennis de mesa entre los clubes, la liga en si no tiene un dueño. Todos los involucrados son voluntarios y en el caso de recibir aportes, estos seran utilizados en premios y gastos de la liga. Actualmente tenemos DSP cup que entregara premios en la clausura y Actvba que provee el servicio de emails masivos con el noticiero de la liga. Todavia estamos buscando un esponsor que nos de tres tickets aereos a las Vegas para que el equipo vencedor pueda ir al campeonato nacional.

Mauricio



The New York Table Tennis League in USATT Magazine

In the Club Issue 2009, our league has finally an article. So now all USATT members have information about the Club League in NY, and how they can start their own league at local level. Without doubt the creation of Club Leagues at regional level and then national level will be an important part of the development of Table Tennis in US. Finally leagues are going to be the base to the creation of Professional Leagues, and that will be the final step to reach the highest world level.

One of the most important concepts in leagues is "Brand Value", which is totally underestimated in Table Tennis now, but it is the base for increasing the retention of players, loyalty and attracts potential sponsors. In the corporate world, companies are investing huge amounts in order to increase the retention of their customers, even in the Professional Sport World; clubs have spent years increasing the loyalty of their members. The reason is very simple one dollar spent in retention is more profitable than a dollar spent in marketing to attract new members. So if you are a club owner, you should think seriously about this kind of savings. And answer some questions such as: Why members are migrating to other clubs?, this is a tricky question, especially in New York, where all clubs have similar rates.

If you are not USATT member you are on time to pay the membership and receive the Club Issue with more information about clubs in US. More information at <http://www.usatt.org/>



David Pilard



Alvaro Robles



City College Team
(Ming, Zi, Rajesh, Allan)

Results from Other Club Leagues around the world

The French league will start on 9/22/09 with 10 teams in the strongest division, and will finish on 01/06/10. One of the teams in the Pro A men is: ANGERS VAILLANTE SPORT and one of its players is David Pilard (Picture), more information at:

<http://www.fft.com/sportif/sportif.htm>

The German League: Have 10 teams in the Bundesliga Herren Nord, some of the teams are : TTC Schwalbe Bergneustadt , BV Borussia Dortmund, TTC GW Bad Hamm and TTC Hagen. More information at : <http://www.megaspin.net/links/surf.asp?siteid=203>

The League of Spain: Similar to the other leagues have many divisions, the strongest is the Superdivision (Super Division) , all players in this division are professionals, making a living of playing table tennis. The player in the picture (below Pilard) is Alvaro Robles, one of the best junior players in Spain; he will be playing in the Superdivision with Wang Wei. Robles is in the 58th place in the World Ranking under 18 years old, this is going to be a great opportunity for him of playing with old and more experienced players. Of course that is what we need around here!!!!

http://www.rfetm.com/?pagina=noticiasub.php&id_subcategoria=1

The Chilean League: Is not a professional league but it has many divisions, so far the three first positions are:

	Honor Division	1 Division	2 Division	3 Division	4 Division
1	U de Chile A	Pontificia U A Quinta Nor. A	Stgo Boston B	Cerro Navia D	Quinta Normal F
2	La Cisterna A La Pintana A	Providencia U Central A	Ramsay B Est. Central A	Est. Central B	AFP Habitat Liceo Maipu A
3	El Bosque A San Bernardo A	Stgo Boston A Talagante	La Pintana B	Pontificia U B	San Bdo I

More information at :

<http://www.regionaltenisdemesa.cl/>

City College vs. NYTTF

Allan Alva from the city college won two matches against Alex and Wei from NYTTF. Beginner players Zi and Ming from the city college played good matches against Wei, Alex and Robert Cheng, however they were unable to win their matches. Allan Alva, the current lead player and coach at the city college has projected that the students from the city college will play at a much higher level in next year's league. This year is the first time that the newly formed city college club participates in this event and we appreciate the opportunity to play against clubs all over New York. We believe that this is a great learning experience for us and we are training hard in order to perform better next year.

Videos in Youtube

http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1bOkcv_sZ5A

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=UY2RKhNjEOs>

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=jSXoVUy3AtU>

Search videos in youtube using key words : "NYTTL 2009" or "new york table tennis league", also look for name of players.

Change in Delegate

Brownsville Strikers have changed representative, the new delegates are: John Duncan (718-600-9014) and Leroy King SOCA_BUDDY@YAHOO.COM, Mike have moved out of New York, so Good Luck Mike, we hope to have you in the League soon.

Next Matches on Friday July 24

NYTTF	Host	vs	DA	Guest	7/24/2009	Friday	7:30 PM
CC	Host(*)	vs	BxSt	Guest	7/24/2009	Friday	7:30 PM
PS	Host	vs	ITTC	Guest	7/24/2009	Friday	7:30 PM

Positions at 07-18-09

- 1 .- PS : Passaic (40 points)
- 2.- NYTTF : New York Table Tennis Foundation (39 points)
- 3.- ITTC : International Table Tennis Club (36 points)
- 3.- DA : Dominican Association (31 points)
- 4.- CC : City College (27 points)
- 5.- BxSt : Brownsville Strikers (14 points)



Remember wearing the club T-Shirt and use the Score Sheet to write down all results, sets, scores, everything. As you see the league results are very close.

Locations :

(*) City College will host its match at NYTTF located 384 Broadway; Lower Level, New York, NY. Contact: Robert Chen 646-772-2922

nyttfoundation@yahoo.com

Passaic : PTTC, 1-3 Monroe St. Passaic NJ 07055

Last Results

NYTTF Beat CC 5-2

Passaic Beat DA 5-0

ITTC beat BxSt 5-0 (wo)

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