

## Donna Conkling

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To All. as presented at the Village Board ZOOM meeting tonight.  
Let's get the Middle School Tennis Courts open for doubles for our youth and parents as soon as possible. The summer has already started.

We look forward to your response in working together for the benefit of our residents .

Bob Harrison , Director

Scarsdale Summer Youth Tennis League

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To: editor@scarsdalenews.com <editor@scarsdalenews.com>  
Sent: Tue, Jun 23, 2020 6:22 pm  
Subject: Letter To The Editor

To the Editor :

Alert Tennis Players, both youth and adults. you may now play doubles on some of the Scarsdale's 26 Tennis Courts Tennis is really the only sport that can be enjoyed now under the restrictions of the coronavirus . Tennis is a great lifetime sport that can be played in singles or doubles at any age and enjoyed by families for fun and exercise.

We encourage our youth and adults to sign up on line with our Rec Department or call the office now open at 722-1160 to purchase your tennis permit at a bargain reduced rate for this season. Our tennis courts are now well managed by our Village Tennis attendants

We are concerned that the Middle School Tennis Courts are restricted to singles play " only " now even though the six courts are separated to use only three courts for social distancing. We strongly urge the Rec Department and Village Board to allow doubles play on the Middle School Tennis Courts . We are willing to fund the cost of nets to separate the courts for doubles play as seen at indoor tennis facilities. The indicated cost of the nets is about \$ 1,000 per court .

For history for our younger residents , in 1983 and 1984 we lead the effort to SAVE the then called Junior High Tennis Courts by raising a \$ 25,000 gift to the Village of Scarsdale to restore the Tennis Courts

for equal usage by youth and adults on weekends and youth tennis leagues . We have run the Scarsdale

Summer Youth Tennis League as a volunteer for 35 years with over 1,800 youth tennis players over the years . We may

not be able to run the five week Youth League this summer because of the coronavirus .

We urge our youth and adults to email the mayor and Rec Dept. at [mayor@scarsdale.com](mailto:mayor@scarsdale.com) to allow doubles play for families and all at the Middle School Tennis Courts now for the summer. Contact us at 914 725-0962 or by email at [proscars@aol.com](mailto:proscars@aol.com) with any questions or comments.

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