

WHAT

Help us create indoor public tennis by Fall, 2010!

ACE-IT, with the support of Aspen City Council and the Aspen Recreation Department, is working to create a year-round public tennis facility at the Aspen Golf and Tennis Center.

The first priority is to seasonally enclose several clay courts to be ready for Fall 2010

Eventually, we will work toward adding two additional indoor hard courts in a permanent structure to create a first class, year-round facility.

- Affordable programs for every age, interest and level from the beginner to the nationally ranked competitor
- court rental at affordable prices
- a community facility where everyone, regardless of club affiliation, can play together



WHY

Tennis is the fastest growing traditional sport in America. Sixty to seventy children per day regularly participate in current Aspen public summer tennis programs.

Boys' and girls' high school teams had over 60 participants last year. Most of these children and young adults have no place to play in the winter. Please support our youth!

There are over 250 active USTA players in the valley, and in our on-going survey, nearly 300 valley residents have voiced the need for an indoor facility to date.

A year-round public facility is a much needed city amenity for both the community and guests.

Other resorts such as Park City, Steamboat and Breckenridge have successful year-round programs. Steamboat recently increased their indoor courts from four to six.



How

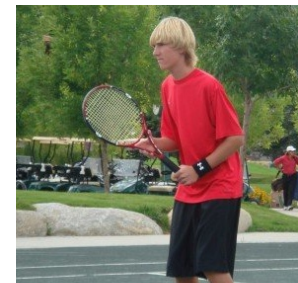
To open this year, immediate action is needed. All construction funds must be privately raised. A four court bubble can be completed for \$650K. Time is critical. We need your support now! Please contact us to get involved or to make a donation.

Tax deductible donations of any size should be made to:
City of Aspen, ACE-IT

Mail to:
City of Aspen, ACE-IT Fund
130 South Galena Street
Aspen, CO 81611
Attention: Finance Department

Include a return address to receive an acknowledgment for tax purposes. Funds will be returned if the facility is not built.

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"My siblings and I grew up playing on public courts, so I know first hand how important this facility is to the community. This project is long overdue, and it will help tennis grow and players develop. Please join me in supporting ACE-IT."

--Clare Evert-Shane
Roaring Fork Valley resident



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