

# C&G GLOUCESTERSHIRE JUNIOR CLOSED

This year's C&G County Closed took place from Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> August - Friday 31<sup>st</sup> August at East Glos Tennis Club and Well Place, Cheltenham Ladies College.

Gloucestershire saw a huge number of juniors take part this year with a total of 231 juniors competing. This is a huge increase from last year, and it was great to have so many juniors involved. Our biggest rise was in our under 9 events which increased from 18 participants to 53 this year. So a huge thank you to all who took part on and off the court to help get all these players involved.

As always we have many people to thank for making this event a huge success; our tennis committee made up of the parents of the players involved, our referee team led by Graeme Adams, our sponsors C&G, East Glos Club for accommodating this annual event, the county coaches and clubs for supporting this event and all the players and their families for supporting this event. Without whom, this tournament would not be possible. Special thanks also to Steve Evans who helped to publicise this event, by coming in every day to report the days matches and results for the Gloucestershire Citizen and Echo.

The week started at Well Place courts on Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> which kicked off our U8 and U9 event. It was a successful day and saw lots of new players come through and experience the county closed for the first time. It was a great opportunity to use the new courts at Well Place, and meet lots of new faces. Thank you to all the team who worked on this particularly hot and sunny day. I know a lot of work was put in to make sure that this tennis experience was a positive one for those just starting out.

Luckily the British Summer weather was with us and brought us dry weather each day. This really helped to ensure that matches were completed on time, although we did have a few lengthy matches which no one could predict.

Special awards were presented to the following:

For Fairplay the Wronski cup was presented to Lily Haycraft-Mee

For most improved performance over the past 12 months, the boys Edney Shield was presented to two winners Samuel Tullett and Jake Roberts

Along with these awards another set of awards was presented to the best few newcomers, this year a coaching voucher was awarded to the following:

Matthew Bell, Elsa Pool, Alice Livesey, Nicholas Hedworth and Miles Johnson-Manley

The overall winners and runners-up can be viewed below:

EVENT	WINNER	RUNNER UP
U8 BOYS SINGLES	TOM CARTER	CASPAR HART

U8 GIRLS SINGLES	ALICE LIVESEY	GEORGINA BARNES
U9 BOYS SINGLES	MILES JOHNSON-MANLEY	MATTHEW BELL
U9 GIRLS SINGLES	ELSA POOL	LARA FAIR
U10 BOYS SINGLES	BEN TEGG	SAMUEL TULLETT
U10 GIRLS SINGLES	JUDITH RICHARDS	OLIVIA HORN
U12 BOYS SINGLES	CHRIS MORROW	DUNCAN JAQUES
U12 GIRLS SINGLES	LILLIE OWEN	LAURA EALES
U14 BOYS SINGLES	DANIEL OMNES	JAKE ROBERTS
U14 GIRLS SINGLES	ALICIA BARNETT	SOPHIE BRAZELL
U16 BOYS SINGLES	RICHARD OWEN	OLIVER DUFFY
U16 GIRLS SINGLES	ELISHA HANDE	SARAH THOMAS
U18 BOY SINGLES	DAN SHINER	RICHARD OWEN
U18 GIRLS SINGLES	ELISHA HANDE	SARAH THOMAS

U10 BOYS DOUBLES	BEN TEGG & FINLAY MCLELLAN	BEN REID & CHRIS BELL
U10 GIRLS DOUBLES	JUDITH RICHARDS & OLIVIA HORN	PIPPA SPEED & ELLA MORA
U12 BOYS DOUBLES	CHRIS MORROW & MARK MORRIS	DUNCAN JAQUES & TOM HAGE
U12 GIRLS DOUBLES	LILLIE OWEN & LAURA EALES	MARY HARTLEY & RHIANA HANDE
U14 BOYS DOUBLES	DANIEL OMNES & ROBERT SIDWELL	JAKE ROBERTS & ALEX DUNCLIFFE
U14 GIRLS DOUBLES	ALICIA BARNETT & CHELSEA WARRINGTON	LAURA BEVAN & LILY HAYCRAFT-MEE
U16 BOYS DOUBLES	TOM BARTON & RICHARD OWEN	JOSEPH MILNTHORPE & DAVID REID
U16 GIRLS DOUBLES	BELLA HAYCARFT-MEE & ALICE STUART-GRUMBAR	BETHANY WEBB & KELLY MAGUIRE
U18 BOYS DOUBLES	RHYS TURNER & JAMES MORROW	OLIVER DUFFY & JAMES BARNETT
U18 GIRLS DOUBLES	LUCY MOIR & SARAH THOMAS	ELISHA HANDE & JESSICA COOK
BOYS U12 CONSOLATION	JACK STYMAN	

BOYS U14 CONSOLATION	CHRIS COLE	
BOYS U16 CONSOLATION	FREDDIE SPEED	
BOYS U18 CONSOLATION	KARL TURNER	
U12 GIRLS CONSOLATION	HARLEY FRANKLIN	
U14 GIRLS CONSOLATION	JENNY EALES	
U18 GIRLS CONSOLATION	JESSICA COOK	