

February 18th, 2025 USTA League Day for 55+ Report and Scores

The 55+ 7.0 USTA Team lost 2 : 1 to Windstar on Naples Bay



First, a big thank you to Ramona & Joe Buono for coming out to root the team on today!!! They were courtside for every single point and did a great job keeping our courts 2 & 3 motivated. We'll start with our winning

Court 3: Pictured below:

Kurt & Wolfgang 6-2 6-2.

They were the first to finish their match and got to watch plenty of the other two courts. I'll be the first to admit that I didn't watch much of their match because I was just hoping that Kurt's back wouldn't go out and that his knee would maintain. I get plenty of quality viewing time watching the man limp around the Falling Waters tennis court and the condo! Let it be said that he survived and seems no worse for the wear. I really should donate his body to science ... but apparently you have to wait til they die ... time will tell ;)

Court 2: was Jim and Gerd Sohns. 6-2 3-6 0-1 (7-10) Wow! They were really far behind in the tiebreak ... 1-8 ... 2-9 and then they started coming back but not enough. One of the highlights of their match was when a ball careened off of Jim's racket and then Gerd's head. Ramona was laughing her butt off. No damage was done.

Court 1: Dave Sousa & Gilbert had a fabulous match. WOW! 5-7 4-6 was the end score. They played against one opponent who was a 4.0 but was granted his appeal to move back to a 3.5 and the other guy came in as a self-rated 3.0. Mr. Self-Rated 3.0 only played one other match this season and won 6-1 6-1 against undefeated Isles of Collier on court 1. That guy was pretty terrific. I can't wait til 3/1 comes around to see if any of our self-rated opponents get bumped up and disqualified ... Kurt says I have to let that go but it rankles me and that's that. What happened with Wolfgang a couple years ago was an innocent mistake on my part. Who knew that he was so committed and disciplined to his rehab, not to mention being bionic? Anyway, I'll keep you up to date on what happens to some of these other fellows ...




Next week, we are at Longshore Lake for an 11:30 match. I know Frank is out due to the Master Meeting and there's a good chance Kurt may be too although I am not positive. As far as I know, everyone else is available.

Andy, I expect you to play on 3/4. If by some chance you are arriving earlier, you'll let me know.

Next week's partnerships will be published by Thursday pm. Peace Out!
Captain Diana

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2/18/2025 11:30 AM		Date Match Played: 2/18/2025		2/18/2025	
	Home Team		Visiting Team	3 rd Set Tie-break	
1# Doubles 11:30 am	David Sousa Gilbert Moo Completed	Vs.	David DeCamp William Stanhope 	7-5 6-4	
2# Doubles 11:30 am	Jim Manos Gerhard Sohns Completed	Vs.	Mark Goebel David Mattox 	2-6 6-3 1-0	
3# Doubles 11:30 am	Kurt Schwammle Wolfgang Koester 	Vs.	Brian Fitzpatrick Theo Loughrey	6-2 6-2	

TEAM SUMMARY TEAM STANDING DATED 02-18-2025

Team Name	Wins*	Losses	Indiv. Wins	Indiv. Losses	Sets Won	Sets Lost	Games Won	Games Lost	* Games Won %
Isles Of Collier / C.Young	6	0	13	5	28	14	181	156	53.71%
Longshore Lake / Mintz	5	1	14	4	28	10	197	136	59.16%
Heritage Bay / VanKleeck	4	2	13	5	28	12	191	113	62.83%
Windstar on Naples Bay / Fitzpatrick	3	3	7	11	17	26	128	177	39.59%
Naples YMCA / Heckert	2	4	6	12	13	26	138	185	42.72%
Cambier / Packo	1	5	7	11	20	23	160	169	50.47%
Players Club - Jeffries	0	6	3	15	10	33	140	199	41.30%