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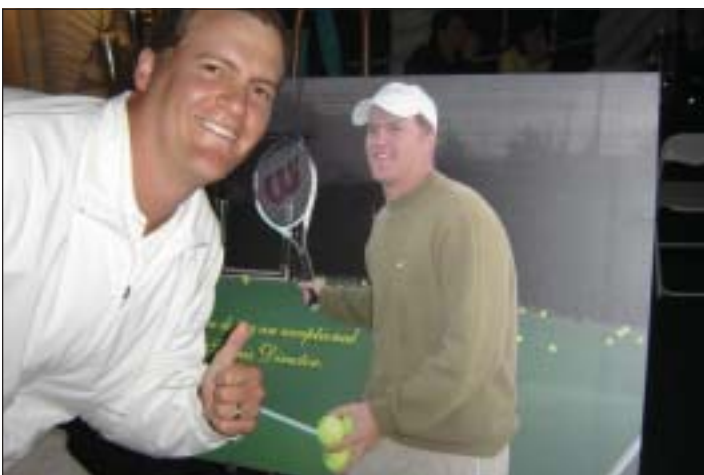
## Plans for Phase III are becoming more defined!

The club is busy with socials, tennis tournaments, and activity in the fitness room and at the pool. The owners, managers and staff are constantly trying to improve your experience at the club with new programs for children and adults. The plans for the third phase are continuing and are becoming more defined every day. We hope to finalize plans over the next couple of months and go to the city for building permits.

Meanwhile, as you can see, we are already making improvements with the build out of the

loggia. Our goal is to make that area the “heart” of the club with members meeting after a tennis match, workout or just relief from the hot sun on the pool deck. We are purchasing new furniture to compliment the new area.

Our hope is that the club looks better and better every month and every year. By making these improvements it shows how committed we to have the best tennis, fitness, swim and social club in the Santa Clarita Valley.



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## A Word from the General Manager

We just completed our Club Singles Championships and the tennis was excellent. The thing that struck me most was not that the competition and level of tennis was superb, which I had expected, but how friendly everyone was during this highly competitive event. It was another example of what a great group of members we have. Congratulations to all who played and I hope you enjoyed it as much as I enjoyed watching.



Desi McBride

Summer is right around the corner and I know you are all making plans to keep you children busy and provide them with great experiences. Please keep in mind that we are offering two wonderful summer camps here at The Paseo Club. We will offer an all day Sports Camp with a variety of sports and activities. This camp will run from 8:00 am to 5:00 pm on Monday through Friday, and extended care is available from 5:00 pm to 6:00 pm. We will also offer a Tennis Camp during the week from 11:00 am to 4:00 pm. Extended care options are also available for Tennis Camp. To review our flyer go to [www.thepaseoclub.com](http://www.thepaseoclub.com) and click on the link for Summer Camp.

### Here are a few announcements which may be of interest to you:

- We have a lifeguard on duty every weekend from 11:00 am – 3:00 pm. We will extend those hours when school is out to 11:00 am to 6:00 pm every day.
- Don't miss our Cinco de Mayo Mexican Feast. We will have a tennis drill from 7:00 pm to 8:00 pm followed by a Mexican feast, music, and of course, Margaritas!
- Mark you calendars for our Memorial Day Pool Party on May 30<sup>th</sup>. It will be a blast for the whole family.

### Below are a few facility updates:

- The Loggia is being extended and when completed will be an area that we can enclose and heat if need be, or open up and enjoy when the weather is beautiful. It should be completed this month and will provide a much needed area protected from the elements.
- Our tennis courts are being repaired and most of the work is completed. Court 4 will have to be completely resurfaced, and there are a few adjustments left to make on the other courts, but they are looking much better.
- Our pool heater issues have been addressed and we have had our gas meter replaced to ensure that we are getting enough gas to supply our heaters.
- We are working with a pool company to install lap lane hooks and a lap lane and that should be completed this month.

See you soon! Desi McBride, General Manager and Owner

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## Membership & Events

The club is starting to heat up on the social front. We had a **Spring Fling** and **Going away party** for our former tennis director, **Darren Miller**. I will miss Darren at the Paseo Club with his innovative ideas and strong opinions. He will be working at Sherwood Country Club in Westlake Village for **Top Seed**.



Steve McAvoy

The member referral program for the month of May and June is the **Summer Beach** package that includes his and her beach bikes, snorkels for the kids and many other beach items. If you refer a friend that takes a tour during the month you receive a ticket to the raffle. If your friend joins the club then you receive **another ticket!!!**

The social calendar for the month of May kicks off on May 6<sup>th</sup> with the **Cinco De Mayo social**, then on the 27<sup>th</sup> we have a member/guest social. On **Memorial Day, May 30<sup>th</sup>** we are having a major pool bash with a bouncer, DJ, water balloon toss and many other activities for the kids. The event is **FREE** for you family **excluding** the food and drinks. We are anticipating a large crowd so we will have different stations set up around the pool area and will be serving your favorite orders.

Sincerely,

Stephen McAvoy, Marketing Director and Owner

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# The Paseo Club's Tennis Program



Brad Sceney

Dear Members, I would like to take this opportunity to introduce myself for those of you who do not know me. My name is Brad Sceney and I have been with The Paseo Club since February 2004. I am excited about my new position of Tennis Director and thrive on the challenges of growing the tennis department. I would also like to thank former Tennis Director Darren Miller for establishing the tennis department where he has left me with a fantastic foundation to build from. Here at The Paseo Club, we wish him well over at Sherwood Country club and know that he will be back to visit us from time to time.

The tennis department is a busy place to be right now. We just concluded the 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Paseo Club Pro/Am event presented by Coffee-Mate. We had a superb day of tennis, with the eventual winners being Joey Buslon partnered by Troy Budgen. Our winners of the consolation event were Ted Sykes, partnered by Quinn Borchard. The club was lucky enough to have some tour professionals in attendance and we thank all of those that participated.

We also just concluded the Club Singles Championships. We had a great turn out and we look forward to making the Club Championship events a key part of The Paseo Club tennis department. Then winners were as follows: Men's 3.5 —**Claude Frisch**, Men's 4.0 - **Paul Orszag** and **Scott Campos** are in the finals, Men's 4.5 —**Joe Lawandus**, Women's 3.5 **Ami Belcher**, Women's 4.0 —**Linda Sivertsen**, Women's 4.5 —**Paola Almeida**. Thank you to all those that participated and picked up valuable points as part of the Paseo Slam.

Our upcoming events in May include, a Mothers Day Drill on Monday May 9<sup>th</sup>. This is to celebrate all of our wonderful moms here at the club and give them a fun day of tennis to remember. Also we have our 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Premier America Championships over the middle 2 weekends of May. You must be a USTA member to participate in this event but will draw some great players from Southern California.

We are also gearing up for a great summer camp. Applications are now out. Remember to sign up early to guarantee your spot. It's going to be warm, but it's going to be a ton of fun in the sun! If you need more information on these events, or any other tennis events here at The Paseo Club please feel free to drop on by.

Yours truly, **Brad Sceney**, Director of Tennis

## Fitness Center

Hi Paseo Members. It's almost bathing suit weather, are you ready?

Well, we have 3 new trainers in the Fitness Center. Come in and get to know them. They are Michelle and Brett Heneise and Clare Brown-Tapia. They have all been well received from the membership and come highly recommended from our own Shelley McKinney. We are very sorry to say goodbye to Shelley who has decided to retire from training after 20 years to be a stay at home wife and mother. We will miss you and wish you all of the best.



Jodi Stokes

### FITNESS/ACTIVITIES ANNOUNCEMENTS:

#### Operation Fit Kids

According to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, obesity levels in children have more than doubled in the last 10 years and more than 30% of America's youth are now considered overweight. More than 60% of today's kids are not participating in organized physical activity outside of school. The Paseo Club provides a convenient opportunity for children to be physically active on a regular basis. For all inquires call Jodi Stokes.

**Summer Sports Camp** - June 13 - August 12

**Boot Camp Teens** - Begins April 26th

**Boot Camp Jr** - Begins May 4th

**Afterschool Enrichment** - Until June 10th

### For Adults:

**12 Weeks to a Mini Triathlon** - Started April 11th.

Drop in today there is still time.

**Martial Arts and Self Defense** w/ Brett - coming in late May  
**Bridge** - Mondays at 12pm in the Activities Tent

We will be receiving 6 new pieces of cardio equipment in 2 weeks, we thank you for your patience.

Please be aware of the following policies:

There is a 30 minute limit on use of the cardio equipment. There is a sign up sheet available at the Fitness Desk to get on the waiting list when it is busy. Note that children under 14 (without a certification card issued by the Fitness Staff) must be accompanied by an adult through their workouts in the Fitness Center. This means that the adult must assist their child to ensure that they are working out safely. Playing around in the Fitness Center is not permitted. Any children who are not supervised will be asked to leave.

Thank you,

**Jodi Stokes**  
Fitness Director



# Calendar of Events

<p><b>May</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>6 Cinco de Mayo Social</li> <li>8 Mother's Day Brunch</li> <li>9 Mother's Day Drill</li> <li>14,15 &amp; 21,22 USTA Adult Tennis Tournament</li> <li>18 Golf Club Meets at TPC</li> <li>21 Taste of Valencia at Paseo – Local Restaurants</li> <li>21 Nutrition Lecture Tami Hulcher</li> <li>22 Circle of Hope – Lake Castaic – Walking for Hope 5k</li> <li>27 Member/Guest Social</li> <li>30 Memorial Day Pool Party</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>5-10 p.m.</li> <li>11am - 1pm</li> <li>9 - 2 p.m.</li> <li>TBD</li> <li>1pm</li> <li>11am</li> <li>8:30am</li> <li>7-10 p.m.</li> <li>12pm - 4pm</li> </ul>
<p><b>June</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>11 &amp; 12 Calcutta Tennis Tournament</li> <li>15 Boot Camp 5</li> <li>17 Golf &amp; Tennis Tournament</li> <li>19 Father's Day Brunch</li> <li>24 Member/Guest Social</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>All Day</li> <li>TBA</li> <li>All Day</li> <li>11am - 1pm</li> <li>7-10 p.m.</li> </ul>
<p><b>July</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>2 2nd annual Triathlon</li> <li>2 Breakfast at Wimbledon Tennis Social</li> <li>4 July 4th Bar B Que and Pool Party</li> <li>8 Dive In Movie Night</li> <li>9 Luau Party and Social</li> <li>15 Dive In Movie Night</li> <li>20 Paseo Club Golf Doubles Championships</li> <li>22 Member/Guest Social</li> <li>22 Dive In Movie Night</li> <li>23 Tour de France Spin Class</li> <li>29 Dive In Movie Night</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>8am</li> <li>9-12 p.m.</li> <li>12 - 7pm</li> <li>8:15pm</li> <li>5-10 p.m.</li> <li>8:15pm</li> <li>1pm</li> <li>7-10 p.m.</li> <li>8:15pm</li> <li>8:00am</li> <li>8:15pm</li> </ul>
<p><b>August</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>5 Dive In Movie Night</li> <li>6 &amp; 7 Adult/Junior Tennis Tournament</li> <li>9 thru 14 Mammoth Open Road Trip</li> <li>12 Dive In Movie Night</li> <li>17 Golf Club Meets at TPC</li> <li>22 Back to School Fitness Fiesta</li> <li>26 Member/Guest Social</li> <li>27 &amp; 28 VCJTA Tennis Tournament</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>8:15pm</li> <li>All Day</li> <li>All Day</li> <li>8:15pm</li> <li>1pm</li> <li>8:30-11:30am</li> <li>7-10 p.m.</li> <li>TBD</li> </ul>
<p><b>September</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>5 Labor Day Bar B Que and Pool Party</li> <li>9 Third Annual Back to School Bash</li> <li>10 1/2 Marathon Training</li> <li>10 US Open Tennis Social &amp; BBQ</li> <li>16 Member/Guest Social</li> <li>21 Paseo Club Golf Club Singles Championships (Net and Gross)</li> <li>24 Member Appreciation Night</li> <li>24 &amp; 25 Adult Club Doubles Championships</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>12pm - 4pm</li> <li>8am</li> <li>All Day</li> <li>7-10 p.m.</li> <li>12pm</li> <li>All Day</li> </ul>

## Junior Development

Hello Everyone! I am happy to say that we have not had any rain in the past few weeks and therefore our after school tennis clinics are picking up again. We are still looking to fill out our Friday Challenger and Tournament Training levels from 4:30-6:00 so if you are interested, please sign up at the front desk. As far as cancellations or reschedules go, please contact me for any changes.



Katy Sceney

The Saturday Junior Challenge was attempted on April 9th, but the windy conditions made it difficult to complete. The next Saturday Junior Challenge will be held May 7th and anyone interested can sign up with Ellian. We are still offering the "Friends Play Free" day pass until April 29th. If anyone wants to bring a friend to the after school tennis clinics, please let me know and we can get a pass for them. This is a great way for anyone who is not a member to try the clinic and see if it something they want to sign up for.

Summer is right around the corner and we are already promoting our summer tennis camp. The camp hours will be from 11:00-4:00 Monday through Friday and is offered to kids between the ages of 5-16. Please sign up at the front desk with your scheduled days or ask one of the tennis pros for any additional information. Parents, if you sign up one child, the second one is 20% off, so please do not miss this great deal! I hope everyone is doing well and I look forward to seeing you on the courts!

Keep up the hard work!

Katy Sceney, Director of Junior Development

## The Paseo Club Café

Dear Members,

This past month at the cafe has been wonderful. I have had the opportunity to do birthday and cocktail parties for 16 club families. As the weather keeps getting nicer we get busier and busier at the cafe. We have hired quite a bit of staff to take care of you this summer.



Alisa Powell

I have spent a great deal of time and energy in improving the overall taste of the food and the operation of the Café. Going forward, **my focus will be on developing a consistently high level of service** here at The Café. Our goal is to make wonderful, fresh, homemade food for you and your families in a timely and friendly manner. We have a lot of great things planned for the summer to help you enjoy your visits to The Paseo Club:

- We will offer Barbeques on weekends.
- We will offer wonderful Brunches twice a month.
- We will have a snack shack available at the pool during very busy times to help speed up service.

A fun addition to our new menu is Happy Hour! We have a happy hour menu available everyday from 4-6 PM. We have included favorites like ultimate nachos and healthy alternatives like spinach dip with veggies. And of course we have great deals on all of our beers, wines, and champagne.

I can't wait to see you all around the pool & at happy hour!

Alisa Powell, Food and Beverage Manager

## Employee Spotlight

Jennifer Baggaley is our employee spotlight of the month! Jennifer has been working in Kid's Corner since the day we opened. She has an amazing way with children and is always coming up with creative ideas for the kids. In addition to working in Kid's Corner, she also teaches the Fit Tots class on Thursday mornings here at the Club. Jennifer also works outside of The Paseo Club in a home for the mentally challenged. She hopes to become a teacher for the mentally challenged in the future.



We are very lucky to have Jennifer on our staff. Her experience with children and her enthusiastic personality have really made our Kid's Corner a great place. Please join us in congratulating Jennifer on being our employee spotlight of the month!

## Member Spotlight

This month The Paseo Club would like to spotlight the Presley family. Steve, Pam, Katie and Nick are all very active members here at the club and rarely a day goes by where we do not see their presence. Pam plays in the ladies leagues and was also a member of The Paseo Club's 5.5 State Championship team. Steve was our proud sponsor to the 2nd Annual Pro Am presented by Coffee-Mate, along with playing in leagues and ladder matches.



Katie and Nick, although heavily involved in many sports, still find time to keep up with their tennis by participating in the junior tennis academy. The Presleys are one the friendliest families you would ever meet and they exemplify what The Paseo Club is all about - "bringing the family together". We are proud to have them as members of The Paseo Club and look forward to their continued presence here at The Club.

# The Paseo Club *"Bringing the Family Together"*

