



Avon Tennis
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Newsletter

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A NOTE FROM AVON TENNIS

Avon Tennis x JorDan Sports – New Head Partnership for 2026

Avon Tennis is delighted to announce that we've teamed up with JorDan Sports as part of our new Head contract for 2026, replacing Babolat as our county ball and clothing partner.

JorDan Sports keeps things refreshingly simple — no retail shop, no flashy marketing — just two local club players supplying top-quality racket sports equipment at excellent prices.

By focusing exclusively on racket sports, they're able to specialise and offer unbeatable pricing on tour-level rackets, many of which are available to demo before you buy.

Exclusive Member Discount

As an Avon member, you'll receive:

- **10% off all products online**
- A promise to beat any better price you find elsewhere

Use discount code **avonplay10** at: www.jordansports.co.uk

Need advice, demo rackets, or something you can't see online? Simply get in touch using the details below — the team will be happy to assist.

Get in Touch

Email: jordansportsonline@gmail.com

WhatsApp/Call: +44 7999 199839

Website: www.jordansports.co.uk

Special Ball Rates for Avon Clubs

We're also pleased to share exclusive ball pricing for Avon clubs:

- **Head Tour or Head Tour XT (per dozen)** – £15
- **Head Trainer (6 dozen)** – £87
- **Red TIP (4 dozen)** – £58
- **Orange TIP (6 dozen)** – £87
- **Green TIP (6 dozen)** – £87
- **Head Pro or Head Pro S Padel balls (6 dozen)** - £90

For larger orders:

Tennis: Head Tour and Head Tour XT reduce to **£14.75 per dozen** on any single order of more than 12 dozen balls (any colour).

Padel: Head Pro or Head Pro S reduce to **£80 per box (6 dozen)** with any purchase of more than one box.

Full details of the County Kit will be announced soon — we're just putting the finishing touches on some exciting updates!

CLUBS & VENUES



 **Thursday 12 March 2026**

 **10am - 12pm**

 **Rocket Padel, Bristol, BS4 4EB**

Everyone welcome

Stay and play Padel from 12.30 - 1.30pm

EMAIL NOW TO BOOK
YOUR PLACE:

clubs@avontennis.org.uk

NEXT COFFEE & CHAT COMING UP

The subject is '**getting your club/venue/park ready for the summer!**' The agenda will include the following:

1. Marketing & visibility on your local community
2. Retention of members
3. Attracting new players/members
4. Increasing weekly play and participation
5. Opening your doors to new groups in your community

Julie Jones - LTA Delivery Manager for Avon & Wiltshire is joining us so we can share LTA news, their vision for 2026 moving forwards and any new products to support everyone in Avon.

To book your place email Mandy on clubs@avontennis.org.uk, we look forward to hearing from you and sharing a Hot Cross Bun.

Come along, celebrate success and be part of the best night of the year — we'd love to see you at our BNO!

Click below to book ↓↓↓↓↓↓

[BNO BOOKING FORM](#)

COACHES

Avon Coaches Free CPD Event

Join us on Friday 27th March from 9:00am - 1.30pm at Coombe Dingle

Coaching Doubles: From Club Members to Grand Slams

- 2-hour on-court session featuring doubles drills and progressions used from club level to the pro tours
- 1-hour off-court Q&A

Guest Coach: David Collins

We're delighted to welcome **David Collins** — five-time Grand Slam winning and Olympic Gold medal-winning coach, ATP & WTA Tour coach, and Head Professional at St George's Hill TC. You can apply for **3 CPD credits via LTA Independent Learning** for the main three hours of the event.

An inspiring and practical morning of learning and networking — we hope you can join us!

Sign up NOW for this free event (funded by Avon Tennis) using this link:

<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/avon-coach-network-event-march-2026-tickets-1983480150524?aff=oddtcreator>

JUNIOR PERFORMANCE



Good luck to our 9U squads

First up, our **9U teams** head to **Taunton this weekend**, kicking off an exciting run of County Cup action. Stay tuned to social media to see how they get on.

OPEN COURT

Celebrating Success: Pete Caseley

Please join us in congratulating **Pete Caseley** on being named **Access Sports Coach of the Year** — a fantastic and richly deserved achievement!

Pete travelled to London last week to attend the awards and fundraising evening, where he proudly collected his award.

Through his passion and commitment, Pete works tirelessly to make tennis accessible to **EVERYbody**, and has built a thriving, inclusive programme at Sodbury Tennis Club that continues to make a real difference in the community.

Huge congratulations, Pete.



Saltford Walking Tennis Tournament

Saltford tennis club recently hosted a fantastic 90-minute Walking Tennis Tournament, bringing together 15 players from their Walking Tennis and Parkinson's sessions for a fun, inclusive, and competitive morning on court.

The event followed an Aussie Doubles format, with players randomly assigned a new partner each round. This ensured plenty of variety, teamwork, and the opportunity for everyone to play alongside different members of the group. Each round consisted of a 15-minute timed tiebreak, keeping matches fast-paced, engaging, and accessible for all abilities. After every round, scores were recorded, with individual totals accumulated across the tournament to determine the overall champion. The format created a brilliant balance of friendly competition and social connection, with plenty of close contests and great rallies throughout.

At the end of an exciting morning, Fiona was crowned the Walking Tennis Champion for the third time — a fantastic achievement and a testament to her consistency and competitive spirit!

A huge well done to all 15 participants for their enthusiasm, sportsmanship, and support of one another. Events like this perfectly highlight the inclusive, community-focused spirit of Saltford's Walking Tennis programme, and we're already looking forward to the next one



IMPORTANT DATES

- * 8 March - Ignite Women and Girls Multisport Festival, Hengrove Leisure Park
- * 12 March 2026 - Coffee & Chat, Rocket Padel
- * 21 March 2026 - Big Night Out
- * 12 April - Avon Spring Tournament, David Lloyd Long Ashton

2026 - NEW FEATURE

AVON TENNIS TIP OF THE MONTH

Footwork First!

We all know how important consistency is — but **how** you get to the ball is just as crucial as **how** you hit it. Good footwork means you're in position earlier, balanced, and ready to hit your best shot every time. Footwork helps you react faster, reduce unforced errors, and **play smarter, not harder**.

[Click here for the video tip from Patrick Mouratoglou](#)

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