

OXFORD COLLEGE
Division of Physical Education
PE 122 Beginning/Advanced Beginning Tennis

Dr. Greer - Fall 1992

Class Activity Schedule

Classes from August 24 to the following cover Chapters 1 & 2 from text Tennis Anyone? by Gould (history and hitting the ball: forehand, backhand, serving, volley, with practice techniques) the USTA Skill Test, and pre-class warmups and stretching.

September

Mon	Sept 14	Serve practice; return of serve practice; directional hitting; ground strokes; 4-point singles games and traditional scoring and rules (p 35-41)
Wed	Sept 16	same as above; count positioning after hitting the ball; explanation of wall and serve tests
Fri	Sept 18	Introduce volley & lob (p20-22; 30-33), drills; play singles games
Mon	Sept 21	Wall Test #1 (forehand & backhand); practice for serve test
Wed	Sept 23	Serve Test #1
Fri	Sept 25	Review net play; drills; singles play with traditional scoring
Mon	Sept 28	Review all strokes; introduce basic singles strategy (p 35-41)
Wed	Sept 30	Singles play (the warm-up)

October

Fri	Oct 2	Class singles tournament (grade assigned)
Mon	Oct 5	Mid-term written quiz - taken on the courts; singles play
Wed	Oct 7	Class singles tournament (grade assigned) Mid-term reports due in Seney Hall
Fri	Oct 9	Class singles tournament (grade assigned)
Mon	Oct 12	MIDTERM BREAK - NO CLASS
Wed	Oct 14	Complete singles class tournament (grade assigned)
Fri	Oct 16	Review directional hitting; cross-count, down-the-line; introduce spin (top and back) p23-25 28-31
Mon	Oct 19	Wall Test #2 Attend <u>the evening</u> F.I.P.S.E. lecture (required)
Wed	Oct 21	Meet in the gym for discussion of F.I.P.S.E. lecture (look on bulletin board for directions)
Fri	Oct 23	Serve Test #2
Mon	Oct 26	Introduction to Doubles play (p37, 59-63) drills
Wed	Oct 28	Doubles drill and play
Fri	Oct 30	Class doubles tournament (grade assigned)

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November

Mon	Nov	2	Class doubles tournament (grade assigned)
Wed	Nov	4	Class doubles tournament (grade assigned)
Fri	Nov	6	Mixed doubles play and video taping in class
Mon	Nov	9	Same as above/analysis
Wed	Nov	11	Wall Test #3
Fri	Nov	13	Serve Test #3
			U.S.T.A. Skill Test check-off due by 2 P.M.
			All extra credit due/match scores due by 2 P.M.
Mon	Nov	16	Open play in class; make-up tests for rain delays and/or illness
Wed	Nov	18	Video tape analysis - individual
Fri	Nov	20	Review - mezzanine or courts; Chapters 1 & 2, 4-6, 8 and glossary
Mon	Nov	23	Watch match play - video/Classroom 8
			THANKSGIVING HOLIDAYS!

December

Wed	Dec	2	OPEN - TBA
Fri	Dec	4	Written Final Exam at classtime - on mezzanine

NO TESTS OR TOURNAMENT PLAY CAN BE MADE UP BECAUSE OF AN ABSENCE, EXCEPT IN CASE OF ILLNESS!

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EVALUATION

A. Exams

- 20% Written Final Exam
- 50% Wall/Serve Tests
- 20% Game Play in class (Tournament Play)
- 10% Other Tests (practical & written)

B. Extra Credit

1. Reading articles: 5 = 1 point; turn in on index cards
2. Video tapes: 1 hr. = 1 point; turn in on index cards
3. Match Observation: 1 hr. = 1 point; turn in on index cards
4. Turn in four (4) drills, documented and explained. Get drill sheets from Dr. Greer = 1 point.

MAXIMUM EXTRA CREDIT = 5 POINTS

Deadline: Friday, November 13, 1992 by 2 P.M.

C. Outside Class

1. You are required to play 1 singles match and 1 doubles match. Scores must be turned in on index cards by the above deadline. Failure to complete this assignment is a -2 points from the final grade.
2. Intramural Tournament play may fulfill C-1.

D. Help Sessions

Monday 6-7 P.M.
Wednesday 2-3 P.M.; 4:30-5:30 P.M.
Thursday 3-4 P.M.; 6-7 P.M.
On mezzanine in gymnasium in case of bad weather

E. Tennis Club

See Marty Brandon, Recreation Office

CLASS ATTENDANCE POLICY

M W F classes: 3 unexcused absences

Cuts beyond this: -2 points each from the final grade.

ILLNESS: Go to the infirmary or come to class and receive an alternate assignment.

EMERGENCIES: See Dr. Greer or call 784-8354 before class time.
(Also refer to hand-out, General Information).

TEXTBOOK

Gould, Dick: Tennis Anyone Mayfield Publishing Co. Palo Alto, CA, 1985.

Oxford College Library: Video tapes; Tennis Periodicals, Books, References

Dr. Greer's Personal Library: Video tapes, books, articles on loan, upon request.

MATCH OBSERVATION

Live professional tennis matches and TV matches may be used for viewing. (Minimum viewing time: 1 hour; see B: EXTRA CREDIT)

Be sure to refer to the materials given to you during class time and to the text whenever you have questions on rules and regulations of tennis, as well as strategy for singles and doubles play.