

Bearnsden LTC Awards Evening 2016

So you think you know Tennis??

Section A Wimbledon

1) Which William's sister has won the Wimbledon singles title more often?

- a) Venus b) **Serena** c) it's a tie

2) How long was the 6-4, 3-6, 6-7, 7-6, 70 - 68 epic final between John Isner and

Nicolas Mahut in 2010? a) 8h 13 min b) **11h 5 min** c) 13h 7 mins

Bonus - What seed was Isner a) 12 b) 7 c) **23**

3) To what precise length is the grass on Wimbledon courts mowed?

- a) 4 mm b) 6mm c) **8mm**

4) Who holds the record for the fastest-ever serve at Wimbledon?

- a) **Taylor Dent** b) Milos Raonic c) Samual Groth d) Greg Rudesci

Bonus – which one of these players has the fastest all time serve?

c Sam Groth

5) In which year did Cliff Richard turn a rain delay into an impromptu Centre Court concert?

- a) 1992 b) 1994 c) **1996** d) 2000

Section 2 Grand Slam / Majors

6) Which is the oldest of the Grand Slam major events?

- a) French Open b) **Wimbledon** c) Australian Open d) American Open

Bonus In which decade did the 4 events become designated Grand Slam Tournaments **1920's**

7) The main show court for the US Open is named after:

- a) **Arthur Ashe** b) Louis Armstrong c) Jimmy Connors

8) Which is the only Grand Slam event to play a tie-break in the deciding set?

- a) French b) Australian c) American

9) Fred Perry is in the top 20 of leading grand slam winners - what position does he occupy?

- a) 9 b) 12 c) 16

Bonus - how many grand slam majors did he win? a) 7 b) 8 c) 9

10) Who was the last female singles player to win all 4 grand slam majors in the same year?

- a) Martina Navratilova b) Billie Jean King c) Steffi Graf

Section 3 BLTC

11) BLTC used to be on Ledcamerroch Road - when did the club move to Jubilee Gardens?

- a) 1902 b) 1905 c) 1907

12) Court 4 was converted to artificial grass in 1987. When did the 3 main courts convert from blaes to artificial grass? a) 1984 b) 1994 c) 1998

Bonus - why else was 1987 an important year for the club. Centenary year

13) Derek McKay is streets ahead in wins of the Men's Singles Club Champs - which player was the next successful? a) James Dykes b) John Watson c) John James

Bonus - how many times has Derek won the men's singles? 18

14) The current BLTC membership is between

- a) 200-250 b) 250 - 300 c) over 300

Bonus : Mr and Mrs Jones and their 2 kids joined the club early in June 2016 - what was the fee?

Answer - £400

15) For 2 points - which two Bearsden players made it to the Doe Finals this year on Sat 6th August

Bogdan Fodor Kyle McKay

Section 4 Tennis rules and quirks

16) In a doubles match, the server hits the receiver's partner the serve - the serve does not touch the ground before it hits the receiver's partner - what happens?

- a) point goes to the receiving team. b) point goes to the serving team. c) point is replayed

17) In doubles, where is the receiver's partner allowed to stand at the start of a point / serve?

a) anywhere between the service line and the net b) anywhere on the court

c) anywhere on the non-receivers side of court,

18) In Wheelchair tennis - The Two Bounce Rule means the tennis player is allowed two bounces of the ball. The receiver must return the ball before it bounces a third time. The second bounce:

a) should be inside the court boundaries and beyond the service line

b) can be anywhere within the court boundaries c) can be inside or outside the court boundaries

19) Which female player has a fixation with bouncing the ball 5 times before the first serve and 2 times before the second?

a) Maria Sharapova b) Serena Williams c) Ana Ivanovic

Bonus: Which male player has reputation for bouncing the ball excessively before serving - especially at crucial points and once bounced the ball 29 times at a matchpoint serve?

Djokovic

20) Nadal is a fab player but also known as the most chronic underwear adjuster in tennis history. Which men's magazine recently questioned him (Sept 2016) on his wedgie picking habits

a) GQ b) Esquire c) Mens Health Magazine

Bonus - Which designer brand is Nadal currently an underwear global ambassador (model) for?

Tommy Hilfiger