

# OUT!

## Welcome

We issue OUT! every few weeks through the season with quarterly Newsletters reporting on broader issues & subjects. Copies are posted on the web site, [www.eardisleytennis.co.uk](http://www.eardisleytennis.co.uk), & in the clubhouse.



### A REMINDER

***The Wimbledon ticket ballot will be held on Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup>. April, club night at the clubhouse, 6.30pm.***

See eligibility conditions & how to enter in **OUT! Issue No 2.**



### EMMA'S TOP TIPS

**Early preparation** when receiving the ball is crucial; be it from serve or rally. Watch your opponent carefully. Once the ball leaves their racket start to prepare for the shot. Bounce on your feet so that you are ready to adjust your stance. Bring your racket back before the ball's upon you & watch it right through to contact. The choice of follow through shot is yours but, if you are prepared, you should be able to make it.



### COMPETITION - WIN A TUBE OF BALLS!

This is an Alphameric puzzle put together by our own puzzle nut Mike Hawthorne.

You'll need to solve the following puzzle:

$$\begin{array}{r}
 \text{EMMA} \\
 \text{ADAM} + \\
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 = \text{BOWEN}
 \end{array}$$

There are ten digits, 0 – 9,  
Each letter represents a digit,  
The same letter is the same digit,  
Different letters mean different digits.

**First correct result,** e-mailed to [peter@eardisleytennis.co.uk](mailto:peter@eardisleytennis.co.uk) will win a tube of 4 Dunlop All Court tennis balls.



### COURT ETIQUETTE & PLAY RULES

One of our members was asking about the rules associated with foot faulting. A foot fault should be called if any of the following happen **BEFORE** the ball is struck:

- The feet touch the ground inside the baseline,
- The feet touch the wrong side of the centre mark, or
- The feet touch the wrong side of an imaginary extension of the sideline.

A foot fault is the same as a fault on serve. **Do you foot fault?** Get someone to check it out. If in doubt stand a good way behind the base line.



### RESULTS

The Easter holiday, junior activities and tournaments sessions were a great success with 19 players attending within all three sessions. Summer holiday courses will be published soon so keep a look out to book your place. Steve



### HOUSEKEEPING STUFF

**Subs are now OVERDUE!**

If you haven't already we would really like to see you re-join our club. On the 1<sup>st</sup>. May the access codes will change and, unfortunately, if you haven't re-joined you will not be able to get onto the courts!

Membership forms are available on line at our web site: [www.eardisleytennis.co.uk](http://www.eardisleytennis.co.uk) You'll need to fill one in for **EVERY** person joining.

### Sainsbury's Active Kids Vouchers.

As a Club Mark accredited club we are able to collect these vouchers. If you have any you're not giving to your local school there is a collection box in the club house. Thank you.