

Dear Community Partner,

Youth Tennis San Diego (YTSD) is excited to announce our Annual Gala on **Saturday**, **October 11**, **2025**! This year's theme, "Wimbledon Chic," celebrates the elegance of tennis and honors the legacy of Wimbledon and the Barnes Tennis Center—two institutions that have shaped our sport and community. The evening also marks **70+ years** since YTSD was founded and **30 years** of leadership at Barnes. Join us in celebrating this legacy while supporting a future where all youth can access tennis and education.

As a 501(c)(3) nonprofit, YTSD provides the **Kathy Chabot Willette After School Tennis** program and free or reduced-cost, year-round opportunities supporting youth development through tennis and education. Our goal: ensure every child has a chance to thrive.

In 2024, YTSD—owner of Barnes Tennis Center and home to the **Steve Adamson Tennis Academy—served over 3,000 youth**, not including tournament participants.

Total Participants: 3,000+

• Free/Reduced-Cost Participants: 1,330+

Programs Delivered: 50+

These numbers span all seasons at local parks, schools, and Barnes. Our free **wheelchair tennis program**, led by nationally recognized coaches, keeps the game inclusive and accessible.

Barnes is also home to:

- 25 tennis courts 19 pickleball courts 7 padel courts
- The Inspire360 Digital Lab, where youth blend sport and learning

With 50+ coaches citywide, we're building a strong pipeline of mentorship and opportunity.

We invite you to donate an item to our Gala auction and help expand access for youth across San Diego.

Thank you for supporting San Diego youth.

Sincerely,

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Annual Gala Donation Form

October 11th, 2025

Donor Information: Name: _____Organization: ____ Email Address: _____Phone Number: ____ Address: ____ Donor Details: Iteam Name: ____ Description: _____ Estimated Value: ____ Additional Information: (Please provide any additional information about the donation, such as restrictions on its use or special instructions for handling the item)

All donations will be recognized through our event website and onsite event. Thank you for your generous donation to Youth Tennis San Diego. Your contribution will help support our mission and make a meaningful impact in our community. To donate, please mail your contribution or contact me to arrange alternative delivery.

If mailing, please send to:



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