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ATA Newsletter

PLAY DAYS: Our next play day is set for **Saturday, March 15**th, **9:00** at the Pavilion courts, hosted by Janet and Joe Santackas.

Hosts for play days are needed. Remember, members who host can turn in receipts and be reimbursed for costs incurred, up to \$25. Contact Sintra or a board member if you would like to host a play day.

1 2 3 Tennis: This **6-week adult beginning tennis program** was completed the end of February. Ten new players joined this USTA sponsored program which ended with a little play day. Everyone enjoyed learning the game and players are excited about continuing to play. You might see these players out on the courts, so please offer encouragement to these beginners!



AHS spring tennis program is in full swing. Alamogordo Girls and Boys took FIRST place at the Alamogordo Quad on Feb 28/Mar 1 and came in first again on March 8. Way to go TIGERS!



Also, congratulations to ATA member Sintra Sampath for her league team's FIRST place win in the adult 40 & over category. They will compete in sectionals in June in Albuquerque.

It has been decided to have **ATA birthday dinners** every other month. The next dinner will be in April, so be on the lookout for the date/place. Thanks to Cathy Waggoner for organizing these dinners—a time to enjoy a dinner with other tennis players. Hope to see you there!

Southern NM Regional Scramble is set for May 10 in Alamogordo! USTA will be hosting this event which promises leveled play, t-shirts, prizes and lunch all for \$10! It will be held in Alamogordo, so that's even better! See the attachment below for more info and to sign up.

Have you noticed the new numbers on the courts, and a new wind screen? Thanks to Greg, John, and Rick for their time getting these mounted.

DATES FOR YOUR CALENDAR:

March 15: ATA Play Day, hosted by Janet and Joe Santackas

April. BD dinner

May 10 Southern NM Regional Scramble

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