



**Hardie Family Award for Junior Sportsmanship of the Year**

This award is presented to a junior player who best exemplifies the finest qualities of sportsmanship and the finest traditions of the great sportsmen of tennis past and present.

**Adult Tournament of the Year\***

This award is presented to the USTA sanctioned tournament that exceeds expectations with regards to tournament organization, play, hospitality and facility amenities.

**Dr. Robert Bunn Community Tennis Association of the Year \***

Recognizes strong leadership, outstanding program offerings, volunteer recruitment and community relationships by a CTA while developing the growth of tennis.

**Junior Tournament of the Year\***

Presented to the USTA sanctioned junior tournament that best demonstrates the USTA standards of organizing and conducting a sanctioned junior event.

**Local League Coordinator of the Year\***

Presented to a local league coordinator who most contributed to the game of tennis by administering and promoting a USTA adult local league program.

**First Horizon Bank Tennis Professional of the Year \***

Presented to a tennis professional who demonstrates a significant contribution to the game of tennis through their promotion of USTA Tennis Programs and their support of the USTA Mission. All nominees must be either USPTA or USPTR members.

**James Kincaid Family Award for Family of the Year\***

Presented to a family that has been outstanding in its promotion of and participation in tennis.

**Janet Louer JTT Coordinator of the Year \***

Presented to an individual who delivers USTA Junior Team Tennis to their community and embodies the true meaning of having a positive impact on children.

**Mac MacDougal Tennis Official of the Year \***

Presented to the USTA certified tennis official who has made outstanding contributions to the cause of tennis through officiating in Georgia.

**Marc Kaplan Media Excellence Award \***

This award is presented to the individual or organization (written or broadcast) who has most contributed to the game of tennis by disseminating information about the sport to the public.

**Member Organization of the Year \***

Presented to a member organization to recognize outstanding service to the local community, to the organization members, and to the game of tennis.

**NJTL Chapter of the Year \***

Presented to an NJTL Chapter that has demonstrated extraordinary community leadership and excellence in youth tennis and educational programming.

**Special Tennis Event of the Year \***

This award is presented to a special tennis event (charitable or unique tennis event) that has been exemplary in the promotion and support of local tennis.

**Team Tennis Event of the Year\***

This award is presented to a special team tennis event for exemplary execution.

**Wheelchair Excellence Award\***

Presented to a wheelchair tennis player, program, volunteer or tournament that demonstrates outstanding community service, on-court ability, event organization and overall promotion of the sport.

**Al Parker Award for Junior Player of the Year**

The recipient of this award will be determined by the achievement of an exemplary win/loss record, ranking(s), and exhibition of high levels of sportsmanship. Only amateur players will be considered.

**Charles H. Cox, Jr. Award for Adult Player of the Year**

This award is based upon participation and results at USTA National, USTA Southern Sectionals, and USTA Georgia state league and/or tournament events. Sportsmanship will be a determining factor in the selection process.

### **Jerry Baskin Scholar Athlete of the Year**

This award is presented to a high school player who has demonstrated excellence in scholastic achievement, tennis accomplishments and other activities.

### **Kathleen and Cannon Carr Award for High School Coach of the Year**

Presented to a high school tennis coach who has developed an outstanding high school tennis program through his/her leadership, coaching and inspiration.

### **Randy Stephens Award for State Volunteer Service**

This award is presented to a key volunteer who has made significant contributions to USTA Georgia and/or one of its program services, working above and beyond the normal call of duty.

### **Richard C. Botsch Educational Merit Award \***

Recognizes an individual who has developed an outstanding tennis initiative, which provides leadership and inspiration in junior programming for schools, colleges, parks, and playgrounds and benefits the growth of tennis in Georgia.

### **Signature Tennis Courts Award for Tennis Director of the Year**

Presented to PTR and/or USPTA certified tennis professional who has demonstrated a high level of involvement with the profession and growth of tennis and makes significant contributions to USTA Georgia.

### **USTA League Female Captain of the Year**

Presented to a female captain of USTA Leagues in Georgia who has served at least two seasons in this capacity in the nominated year. Specific examples should be listed to distinguish and describe the captain's exemplary leadership ability, great enthusiasm for tennis, good organizational skills, dedication to achieving the goals of USTA Georgia.

### **USTA League Male Captain of the Year**

Presented to a male captain of USTA Leagues in Georgia who has served at least two seasons in this capacity in the nominated year. Specific examples should be listed to distinguish and describe the captain's exemplary leadership ability, great enthusiasm for tennis, good organizational skills, dedication to achieving the goals of USTA Georgia.

### **USTA Junior Team Tennis Captain of the Year**

Presented to a Georgia USTA Jr. Team Tennis Captain who has served as USTA Jr. Team Tennis captain for two seasons in the nominated year. Specific examples should be listed to distinguish and describe exemplary leadership ability, great enthusiasm for Jr. team tennis, good organizational skills, and a dedication to achieving the goals of USTA Georgia.

### **Adaptive**

Presented to an individual including an athlete, coach, volunteer or organization who demonstrates sustained commitment to enhancing and growing adaptive tennis programs for athletes with intellectual, physical and/or emotional disabilities. This person or organization is actively involved in adaptive programming, exhibiting dedication and courage, resulting in an outstanding contribution to adaptive tennis.

### **Outstanding Parks & Rec Department**

Presented to the Parks & Recreation Department that made the greatest impact in its community during the past year through programming, events & partnerships.