

#### Date: Wednesday, July 2 – Monday, July 7, 2014

(Please plan your departure no earlier than 6:00pm on Monday, July 7 as this is the rain date.)

Sites: Morgan Run Club & Resort 5690 Cancha de Golf Rancho Santa Fe, CA 92091 (858) 756-2471 Rancho Santa Fe Tennis Club 5829 Via de la Cumbre Rancho Santa Fe, CA 92067 (858) 756-4459 Lomas Santa Fe Country Club 1505 Lomas Santa Fe Drive Solana Beach, CA 92075 (858) 755-6768

\* Please note: There will be other sites used for the tournament. They will all be fairly close to Morgan Run. **Please rent a car if you don't have transportation.** A map to all sites is located on a tab on the top of the tournament home page and copy will be included in player backpack received at check-in.

Tournament Director: Rick Workman (727) 510-4303 rick1workman@gmail.com

Tournament Coordinator: Eran Salu eran@littlemosocal.com

Asst. Tournament Coordinator: Derek Miller <u>derek@littlemosocal.com</u>

**Entry Fee**: \$210 per player. Fee includes singles, doubles, mixed doubles, and online registration fees. Entry fee is non-refundable after Wednesday, June 18. Registration is online: www.mcbtennis.org. Click on Tournaments and scroll to the "Little Mo" Internationals –California (fireworks icon). The entry fee covers the cost of the courts, balls, tournament director/site director fees, umpires, t-shirts, trophies, player party, etc. (A portion of the fee also comes back to the foundation to further junior tennis development.)

**Deadline for singles entries**: Saturday, June 21 at 12:00 pm midnight (Eastern). First 32 players per division will be accepted. Additional players will be listed as alternates in order of entry receipt.

<u>Eligibility</u>	12 & under:	Players born in 2002
	11 & under:	Players born in 2003
	10 & under:	Players born in 2004
	9 & under:	Players born in 2005
	8 & under:	Players born in 2006 and 2007

\*Players must present a copy of their <u>birth certificate or passport</u> at player check-in to be included in the tournament.

**Events**: Boys and Girls 12 & under, 11 & under, 10 & under, 9 & under, and 8 & under. Singles, doubles and mixed doubles matches for all divisions with yellow ball. For ages 8, 9 and 10, there is a choice for players to play with green dot ball or yellow ball in singles, doubles and mixed doubles. (For doubles/mixed doubles, yellow ball and green dot players may need to be combined depending on number of entries.)

Players are limited to one singles, one doubles and one mixed doubles event.

\*Info on signing up for doubles and mixed doubles will be sent after June 22. Doubles and mixed doubles is only guaranteed if find your own partner and he/she is registered in singles.

## Format /Draw Size

Singles (32 draw) in each division: Boys & Girls 8, 9, 10, 11 & 12 with First Match Loser Consolation. All entries will be based on *first come, first served* through online registration. The first 32 players to register in each division will be accepted. (An alternate list will begin after the first 32 places have been filled.) All matches will be played on a full 78' hard courts. Players are guaranteed at least 2 matches in singles. Scoring for all Singles age divisions: Best two out of three tie-break sets with a 10 point match tie-break in lieu of a third set for main draw singles and first match loser consolation. Regular scoring. 5 min. warm-up.

**Doubles in each division: Boys and Girls 8, 9, 10, 11 & 12** - Single Elimination. All matches will be played on full 78' hard courts. If you know someone that you would like to have as a partner, please contact them to make sure they are registered in singles. Players must play doubles with someone in the same singles division and only players who are entered in singles can sign up for doubles. Doubles is not guaranteed unless you have a partner. Scoring: Best two out of three tie-break sets with a 10 point match tie-break in lieu of a third set. Regular scoring. 5 min. warmup.

<u>Mixed Doubles</u> in each division: Boys and Girls 8, 9, 10, 11 & 12 - Single Elimination. All matches will be played on full 78' hard courts. If you know someone that you would like to have as a partner, please contact them to make sure they are registered in singles. For mixed doubles, players may play with someone older or younger but will need to play in the division of the older player. Mixed doubles is not guaranteed unless you have a partner. Scoring: 8 game pro set with a 7 point tie-break at 8 all.

**Doubles/Mixed Doubles Updated Info**: We hope you are planning to play doubles and mixed doubles so you will meet more players. There is no charge to play doubles and/or mixed doubles. Registration for doubles and/or mixed doubles is **<u>BY EMAIL</u>** only (not online). To register, please email Eran Salu at eran@jalequity.com no later than Friday, June 27 at 5:00 pm Eastern time with the following information:

- 1. Your Name and Age Division in Singles
- 2. Your Partner's Name in Doubles (You and your partner must both be in the same Singles division in order to be partners.)
- 3. Your Partner's Name in Mixed Doubles and Age Division desired. (In Mixed Doubles, you are allowed to play with someone older or younger but you must play in the division of the older player.)

If you are *"looking for a partner"* for doubles and/or mixed doubles, Eran will help put you in contact with other players who are also looking to play doubles and mixed. Please email him your name, age division in singles, email address, phone #, and whether you are looking for partner in doubles and/or mixed doubles. He will do his best to find a partner for you. The players in the tournament are now listed on the tournament home page: <u>http://www.usptaplayer.com/tournaments/538/</u> and click on the age division.

**Seeding Info**: Please email any seeding information (important wins, ranking info, etc.) to Rick Workman (Tournament Director) no later than Monday, June 23: <u>rick1workman@gmail.com</u>

**<u>Practice Courts</u>**: Available at Morgan Run on Tuesday, July 1 and Wednesday, July 2 from 8:00am – 9:00pm. Please sign-in at Pro Shop. First come, first served and players may need to share courts. Other practice court information during the tournament will be in the player booklet.

### Surface: Hard

**Ball**: Babolat (yellow ball) and Penn Control + (green low compression ball)

**Stringing**: \$15 with own string at Morgan Run and Lomas Santa Fe. Same day service available depending on time of day racquet delivered for stringing. (Rancho Santa Fe does not offer stringing.)

**Draws/Match time:** The draws/match times will be posted on Wednesday, July 2 after the opening ceremony. Info also posted on: <u>www.mcbtennis.org</u>. Click on Tournaments and the red 2014 "Little Mo" tournament button and click on the fireworks icon and the age division.

**Trophies**: Trophies will be awarded to main draw singles winners, runners-up and 3rd/4th place in each division and consolation winners and runners-up. In doubles and mixed doubles, trophies to winners and runners-up. Sportsmanship awards will also be given.

<u>**Tennis Attire**</u>: Please wear nice tennis clothes and shoes for your matches - colored clothing and shoes are accepted. Shirts with round necks and dri-fit are ok. For the opening ceremony on Wednesday, players need to wear all white (some color and small logos ok).

Hotels: Please click here: www.globaljbs.com/event/LittleMoCAInt

<u>Player Party</u>: A fun player party will be held at Boomer's on Thursday, July 3 from 6:30 – 8:30 pm. Boomer's has go-karts, rides, bumper boats, batting cages, games, mini golf, etc. MCB will pay the fee for all "Little Mo" players to play the games. Please check in at "Little Mo" table at Boomer's to receive your free pass. More info: <u>http://www.boomersparks.com/site/sandiego/attractions.html</u>.

**Food:** Available for purchase (cash/credit) at Morgan Run from 8:00am – 9:00pm

Parking: Available on a first come, first served basis.

<u>Player Gift Exchange</u>: It is a tradition with the "Little Mo" that players exchange a small gift with their first round opponent in singles. The gift should be \$10 or less (wrapped or in a gift bag) and represent your city or country. The gifts are exchanged before the players walk on court before their first match. Players always remember their gift from someone from another city or country.

<u>**T-shirt/Player backpack</u>**: All players will receive a "Little Mo" t-shirt and backpack with complimentary items from Babolat. The tournament program and booklet will be included.</u>

**<u>Referee:</u>** Karol Wise - ITF white badge <u>Email</u>: <u>cecil@earthlink.net</u> (561) 350-8868

**Tournament Chairman:** Carol Weyman <u>Email</u>: <u>cartennis@aol.com</u> (214) 754-7065 (MCB)

## **Schedule of Events**

Morgan Run, Rancho Santa Fe and Lomas Santa Fe have graciously allowed the "Little Mo" players to play at their beautiful clubs. We ask all of our guests to be respectful to the club members and the grounds. Please be sure to not leave any trash on the grounds. We appreciate your cooperation.

#### Wednesday, July 2

11:30 - 2:30 pm – Player Check-in at Morgan Run Resort clubhouse. It is mandatory all players check-in anytime between 11:30 – 2:30. At this time, you will show your birth certificate or passport to be included in the tournament. Also pick up your player backpack that contains important tournament information.

- Practice courts will be available beginning at 8:00 am until 9:00 pm.

Taylor Dent, former # 21 in the world (4 ATP titles) will be giving a "complimentary" clinic to all "Little Mo" players on court at Morgan Run. Please bring your racquet.

12:30 - 1:30pm - Ages 8, 9, and 10 1:45 - 2:45pm - Ages 11 & 12

- 2:45 3:30 pm Taylor Dent and Derek Miller will play a doubles exhibition with two former "Little Mo" players following the clinic.
- 3:45 pm Players line up for player parade for opening ceremony at Morgan Run. Opening ceremony is *mandatory*. Players: please wear<u>"all white" tennis clothes</u> for the ceremony (small logos OK). Please leave racquet bag with parent.
- 4:00 pm Players parade with their country flag. (Please bring a small country flag to carry during the parade.)
- 4:15 5:00 pm Opening Ceremony. *(Don't forget your camera.)* Important tournament information will be given to players and parents.
- 5:00pm Group photo by YourGameFace. (Will be available for purchase at booth.)

#### Thursday, July 3

- 8:00 am Matches begin and continue all day (gift exchange before first round match).
  (Players with "Byes" should go to the "Little Mo" booth to determine who they will exchange gifts.) Please check-in 15 minutes prior to your match. Matches will be played at Morgan Run, Rancho Santa Fe and Lomas Santa Fe. (Other sites will be used possibly for practice courts during tournament. Map will be in player booklet.)
- 6:30 8:30 pm Player Party at Boomer's go-karts, bumper boats, rides, batting cages, games.

## Friday, July 4 (Happy July 4<sup>th</sup> Holiday to the American players!)

8:00 am – Matches begin and continue all day.

#### Saturday, July 5

8:00 am – Matches begin and continue all day.

#### Sunday, July 6

8:00 am – Matches begin and continue all day.

### Monday, July 7 - Rain Date

Please plan your departure from the tournament no earlier than 6:00 pm on Monday, July 7.

The "Little Mo" tournament is named after Maureen "Little Mo" Connolly, who was the first woman to win the Grand Slam when she was only eighteen years old in 1953. She is still the youngest and only American woman to have accomplished this magnificent feat.

# "Mo Fun" in California

San Diego: Zoo, Sea World, LegoLand and the beautiful beaches

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#### San Diego

- Sea World <u>www.seaworld.com</u>
- Lego Land www.california.legoland.com
- San Diego Zoo www.sandiegozoo.org
- San Diego Zoo Safari Park www.sdzsafaripark.com
- Birch Aquarium at Scripps <u>www.aquarium.ucsd.edu</u>
- Living Coast Discovery Center www.thelivingcoast.org
- Reuben H Fleet Science Center www.rhfleet.org
- The New Children's Museum www.thinkplaycreate.org
- San Diego Air & Space Museum www.sandiegoairandspace.org
- San Diego Auto Museum www.sdautomuseum.prg
- San Diego Natural History Museum www.sdnhm.org
- Museum of Making Music <u>www.museumofmakingmusic.org</u>
- USS Midway Museum <u>www.midway.org</u>
- San Diego Museum of Art <u>www.sdmart.org</u>
- Skyzone Indoor Trampoline <u>www.skyzone.com/sandiego</u>
- The Adventure Center <u>www.supercooladventures.com</u>

#### Orange County / Los Angeles

- Disneyland <u>www.disneyland.disney.go.com</u>
- Disney's California Adventure <a href="http://www.disneyland.disney.go.com/destinations/disney-california-adveture">www.disneyland.disney.go.com/destinations/disney-california-adveture</a>
- Downtown Disney www.disneyland.disney.go.com/destinations/downtown-disney
- Knott's Berry Farm <u>www.knotts.com</u>
- Knott's Soak City <u>www.soakcityoc.com</u>
- Medieval Times <u>www.medievaltimes.com/buenapark.aspx</u>
- Pirates Dinner Adventure <u>www.piratesdinneradventureca.com</u>
- Orange County Zoo www.ocparks.com/zoo
- Santa Ana Zoo <u>www.santaanazoo.org</u>
- Discovery Science Center www.discoverycube.org
- Camelot Golfland www.golfland.com/anaheim
- Skyzone Indoor Trampoline <u>www.skyzone.com/anaheim</u>
- K1 Speed Irvine www.k1speed.com/irvine-location.html

