

# PNWTOA NEWS

**Pacific Northwest Tennis Officials Association**

**November, 2017**

## **2017 NATIONAL GRASSROOTS AWARD**

**CONGRATULATIONS** to **Julie Dorr** for this National award!

This award is given to a sectional official who has shown dedication in their section throughout their career. Julie has received the PNW Rookie and Official of the Year since becoming an official in 2006. She served as Vice President on the TOA Board of Directors from 2014-2017 and has been our Western Washington assignor since in 2010. An awards party date will be announced.

## **2017 SECTIONAL AWARD WINNERS!**

**~PERRY HINES OFFICIAL OF THE YEAR~**

*JULIE DORR*

**~MIKE ROBB ROOKIE OF THE YEAR~**

*KRISHNAN GOWRI*

-Officiating since 2016.

**There will be celebratory parties scheduled to present honorary plaques to our officials from the PNWTOA**

## **KRISTEN'S JACK STAYR AWARDS PARTY**



**October 11, 2017 at Buffalo Gap Saloon Portland, OR**  
Kristen☺, Roberta, Carl, Tony, Holly, Lisa, Denise and Mark.  
~Kristen's husband Alex took the picture~

### **OREGON ASSIGNOR**

Holly Weyhrach has been selected as Oregon's area assignor. Holly is dedicated to employing Oregon's officials. She has been diligent in reaching out to Oregon TD's on our behalf for equal employment opportunities. If you are an Oregon official and are not receiving solicits from Holly please contact her by email at:

[us4wa@yahoo](mailto:us4wa@yahoo).

### **2018 RE-CERTIFICATION DEADLINE FRIDAY NOV. 10**

To process your 2018 Certifications you will need to,

- Complete Learning Courses by Nov. 10,
- Record work records on NUCULA,
- Click the RE-certification Request button.
- Confirmation from USTA that they have received your Vision form. **Deadline to send Vision forms is DEC. 1, 2017**

**Correction to earlier notice: Reminder:** Events should not be entered into your work record until after you have worked them. If these events affect your 2018 certification level, you can submit a certification appeal beginning **January 1, 2018**.

### **2018 PNWTOA MEMBERSHIP DUES AND HOURLY RATE INCREASE**

Membership is open to all certified and prospective tennis officials.  
The membership year is January 1 to December 31. Dues: \$30 per year.

Membership is required to vote in Association elections and serve on the Board of Directors and Association committees. **Solicitations for USTA and ITA assignments will require Association membership.** Membership also includes the ability to post to the discussion blogs on the website and be notified of website updates.

**⇒Renewal for 2018 PNWTOA membership is due on Jan. 1, 2018⇐**

There are two ways to pay your dues now. By mail or by PayPal. Please go to [pnwtennisofficials.com](http://pnwtennisofficials.com) for mailing address or to pay by PayPal.

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**2018 Fee Schedule will be effective January 1, 2018**

Changes: \$18 per hr. for Roving assignments.

This Fee Schedule does not apply to ITA assignments. A full copy of the 2018 Fee Schedule will be posted on our website Dec. 1, 2017.

**2018 TRAINING WORKSHOPS**

The Chair and Roving Training Workshops held in Oct. proved to be very educational. Both classes were attended by beginning and experienced officials. The full day class gave an opportunity to cover many details and focus on a single discipline. Each official was given a handbook to take notes in during class and keep for future reference. Plans for scheduling next year’s Training Workshops: Roving-May in OR. Lines-Sept. Chair-Oct. in WA.

\*\*Once training workshops are confirmed a notice will go out from the Sectional Chair with instructions on how to register.

**2018 USTA/PNW Junior and Adult Sectionals**

Solicits for the Junior and Adult Sectionals will start in Jan. 2018. Julie Dorr will assign for the Washington events and Holly Weyhrach will assign for the Oregon events. Assignments to be filled for each Sectional event: Referee, Deputy Referee and roving officials.

**BUSINESS CARDS FOR RECRUITING**

Business cards have been made for PNWTOA officials to give to people you meet that are interested in becoming a tennis official. On the card is printed the PNWTOA website and email address, and an area for you to add your name and contact information if they have more questions. TOA BoD members in your area have cards to distribute to you. Otherwise they will be sent to a designated person in your area.



**I want to thank all of the past TOA Board members and the current TOA Board members of 2017 for 11 months of their full dedication to the Association and the TOA membership.**

Denise Alexander, President  
PNWTOA