



## November 2023 Newsletter

Our Website is

[www.lascruces.tennis](http://www.lascruces.tennis) or:

<https://playtennis.usta.com/lascrucestennisplayersassociation>

Check out this site for the latest announcements.

Also find us on Facebook - <https://www.facebook.com/groups/295356025790876/>

**Turkey Tournament** - Our annual Tournament will be this weekend, Thursday - Sunday. Good Luck to all players. Thank you, Jesus Baltazar for running this event.

### Annual Membership Dinner

Saturday, November 11

6:00 PM

Nora Loken's Home

2655 Camino Del Rey.

Phone: 575-649-0140.

Please note that University is not accessible from Mesilla and there are signs for construction

on University on the way to the turn to Nora's house. Through-traffic may proceed past the signs

### Board Elections

Two board members will be ending their terms on December 31. Thank you to Ed Frank and Dina Schlotterbeck for your 2 years of service to the board.

These are the 4 candidates who have been nominated by the committee for 2-year terms beginning January 2024:

Carol Shannon

Ellen Michnovicz

Frank Sage

Gloria DeMorrow

There is still time for other nominations. Please contact the person you are nominating first to be sure they are willing to serve if elected. You can also nominate yourself. Send names by email by November 12.

On or around November 20, the membership will receive an email ballot and instructions about voting.

## Renewing your Membership

Don't miss out on our events, newsletters and membership lists. You should be receiving a reminder to renew your membership to LCTPA for the next year. Memberships expire one year from when you joined and paid your dues. Paying online is the easiest. You may also pay with cash or check at one of our events, or mail in a check to LCTPA, PO Box 262, Las Cruces, NM 88004.

## Membership List

Attached is our most updated membership list. If you need to make corrections, send us an email. Also, please tell us your NTRP rating if you know it. This helps all of us in forming leagues, teams and match-ups.

## Scrambles

Our next scramble will be December 2 from 10 AM - Noon. Please RSVP if you plan to come. It will be holiday themed and include a lunch after play. All levels!

## Ball Machine

Contact us anytime you want to use the ball machine and we will make the arrangements.

## USTA News

Visit the Southern NM website for all the latest about being part of USTA competition.  
<http://www.southernnewmexico.usta.com/>

### LCTPA 2022 Board of Directors:

- Nora Loken - president
- Ed Frank - vice-president
- Ellen Michnovicz - secretary
- Carol Shannon - treasurer
- Bruce Begor
- Kerry Gallagher
- Loretta Reyes
- Dina Schlotterbeck
  
- Past president: Lori Allen

### Committees:

- Newsletter & Media- Ellen Michnovicz
- Junior Development - Judy Harlas
- Social and Events - Ed Begor
- Membership - Ed Frank
- City Liaison - Loretta Reyes
- Leagues and Ladders - Nora Loken, Ed Frank
- Memorial - Ed Frank
- Ball Machine - Brian Parks
- Junior tournament - Jesus Baltazar
- USTA Representative - Carol Shannon

See you on the courts!