



**2016 UNITED STATES vs. CANADA INVITATIONAL
SQUASH CHALLENGE MATCHES**

The University Club of New York

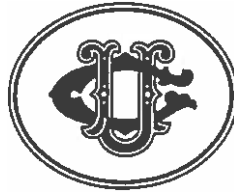
One West Fifty Fourth Street

New York, New York

April 14-17, 2016



WELCOME FROM THE UNIVERSITY CLUB



April 14, 2016

Dear Players and Spectators,

I am pleased to welcome you all to the 95th Lapham, Grant, Lawrence-Wilkins and Crawford matches celebrating an extraordinary history and friendship between the United States and Canada.

The University Club is honored to be this year's Headquarters for the event and we welcome travelers from over 14 of the United States and from across the vast wilderness that is Canada. We look forward to a showing of the highest level of spirited competitive camaraderie in these squash singles and doubles matches. While at the Club, we encourage all players and their guests to take full advantage of our Club's unique facilities.

Our local New York City squash participants wish to extend their welcome and hospitality for this event. While in New York City, we encourage visitors to explore and take advantage of many of the City's special attractions.

We wish you an especially fun-filled and eventful weekend. Good luck to all the participants!

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read 'Scott R. Fuller'. The signature is fluid and cursive, written in a professional style.

Scott R. Fuller,

Squash Racquets Committee, Chair



WELCOME FROM US SQUASH



April 5, 2016

Dear Competitors:

This great international event reminds us each year of a few special aspects of life, and features of the game of squash itself.

The first is the importance of friends in our lives and for our own happiness, and how squash cultivates some of our deepest and longest standing relationships.

Second we quickly recognize that squash allows men and women of all ages to enjoy the sport, together.

Finally, we experience squash's ability to build community, one relationship at a time, one club at a time, across nations and most remarkably in squash, between and among nations.

This competition underscores the truly special and unique relationship that the Canadian and U.S. squash communities share – an enduring camaraderie that strengthens from one generation to the next.

Ninety-five years of history makes this event one of the longest-running international competitions in any sport. Squash players should take pride in this fact.

As hosts this year, US Squash would like to acknowledge the hard work and commitment of the organizing committee, and thank the host clubs and their committees for their leadership in this event, and in the community.

We genuinely hope you enjoy the squash, revel in the competition, and most importantly, treasure each other's company as much as anything else.

Sincerely,

Kevin D. Klipstein
President & CEO

John A. Fry
Chairman of the Board



WELCOME FROM SQUASH CANADA



April 5th, 2016

The University Club
New York, New York

Dear Players, Patrons and Sponsors of the 2016 Lapham, Grant, Lawrence-Wilkins & Crawford Cup Matches:

On behalf Squash Canada congratulations on being named to your Canadian and USA Team for the 95th iteration of this illustrious squash rivalry between Canada and the United States. Squash Canada greatly respects and appreciates the remarkable enthusiasm and energy put in by all the Team Captains and especially the organizing committee to ensure this icon fixture is showcased at its best.

Thank you to our Canadian Jesters and US Squash who year after year have ensured that the rich history and traditions of the Lapham-Grant matches are upheld. Our sincere thanks to the University Club, New York Athletic Club, Racquet & Tennis Club, Union Club and their members for embracing this prestigious competition.

Thank you to all the Patrons and Sponsors, your generous support clearly makes the weekend a stellar experience for all.

Enjoy New York and may lifelong rivalries and friendships be forged.

Sincerely,

Ms. Lolly Gillen
Squash Canada President

Dan Wolfenden
Squash Canada Executive Director



WELCOME FROM THE US JESTERS



April 6, 2016

To all of the Players and sponsors of the 2016 Lapham, Grant, Lawrence-Wilkens and Crawford Cup Matches,

The United States Jesters congratulate all of you who have come to New York City to play and support the 95th edition of this great rivalry between the United States and Canada. Those selected should be very proud of the opportunity to represent their country in this competition. New York City is a vibrant city and we are hoping you take full advantage when not on court.

We would also like to thank the members of The University Club of New York, Union Club, Racquet & Tennis Club and the New York Athletic Club for allowing the tournament the use of their facilities over the weekend. These are some of the finest clubs in the country and it is a privilege to play our matches there.

Thanks especially to this year's organizing committee, whose hard work will insure a tremendous event for all of us to enjoy. We look very forward to a weekend of world class competition, great sportsmanship and friendship.

All the Best,

Peter R. Dunne
U.S. Jesters President



WELCOME FROM THE JESTERS CLUB OF CANADA

The Jesters Club (Canada)



April 6, 2016

The University Club
1, West 54th Street
New York, New York
United States of America
10019

Lapham-Grant, Crawford and Lawrence-Wilkins Matches

Dear Players,

These matches, beginning with the Lapham singles in 1922, represent 95 years of highly spirited competition, between two friendly nations, played to an equally high level of sportsmanship. The Jesters Club of Canada congratulates you on being selected to play for your respective country.

The organizing committee is to be thanked for the countless hours spent ironing out the logistics of hosting over two hundred squash players from across Canada and the United States and your Captains for the grey hairs gained as they came to realize their task of assembling a team was akin to herding cats.

An event of this calibre could not be held without The University Club, New York Athletic Club, Racquet & Tennis Club and the Union Club making their wonderful facilities available.

We acknowledge the importance of the generous support of the Sponsors and Patrons.

Have a memorable weekend in the Big Apple!

Yours truly,

Jon LeHeup
Chairman



WELCOME FROM THE CANADIAN CONSULATE GENERAL

Canadian Consulate General



Consulat Général du Canada

New York, April 10, 2016

Dear Players and Spectators,

It is a great pleasure to welcome you to the 94th Lapham Grant Tournament. The Lapham, Grant, Crawford and Lawrence-Wilkins matches are a great example of the enduring historical friendship between Canada and the United States.

The tradition of this tournament, where the two team captains cooperate to make sure that their teams are balanced, and that matches are played in an atmosphere of camaraderie, goodwill, and sportsmanship, is a great parallel to how Canada and the United States have managed their relationship over the past 200+ years.

Team Canada led the way in last year's Lapham-Grant matches, hosted in London, Ontario, and we look forward to a strong return by Team USA this year in New York City.

I note with interest that the last time this event was hosted in New York City, it was over 50 years ago. I could not think of a more exciting city for this competition.

The Consulate General of Canada wishes all the players best of luck, and a fun and eventful week-end.

Sincerely,

John F. Prato
Consul General of Canada



2016 LAPHAM GRANT HOST COMMITTEE

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Thomas M. Cregan
William S. "Liam" Culman, Lapham Grant Co-Captain
Scott R. Fuller, Event Co-Chair
Andrew A. Fink
Randy J. Goodleaf, Lapham Grant Co-Captain
Peter R. Lasusa, Jr., Event Co-Chair
Ann E. McGowan, Crawford Captain
Keith S. Merrill
Elise S. O'Connell
William P. "Will" Osnato
Dylan J. Patterson
Edward L. "Ed" Shugrue, III
Christopher B. "Kit" Tatum, Lawrence-Wilkins Co-Captain
John H. "Jack" Wyant, Lawrence-Wilkins Co-Captain

TOURNAMENT DIRECTOR – Andres Vargas, U.S. Squash

REGISTRATION DESK HOST THURSDAY TO SATURDAY - Valerie de Leon

VENUE DIRECTORS/GREETERS:

Jordan A. Greenberg	The University Club
Kevin J. Staples	Union Club
Will Newnham	Racquet & Tennis Club
Carter B. Robitaille	New York Athletic Club

WEEKEND PHOTOGRAPHER – Patricia S. "Trish" Metz, Beth A. Rasin and Jordan A. Greenberg

LOGO DESIGN – Randy J. Goodleaf, Anthony J. Viola and Kathryn Kenosian-Viola

THE UNIVERSITY CLUB STAFF EVENT COORDINATORS – Teresa Janniello and Brian Bennett

2016 OFFICIAL LAPHAM GRANT PROGRAM EDITORS – Evy Carroll and Randy Goodleaf



HISTORY

LAPHAM, GRANT, CRAWFORD, AND LAWRENCE-WILKINS MATCHES

The Lapham Cup matches for men's squash singles between the United States and Canada are believed to be one of the oldest amateur sporting events between two countries, having been played every year since 1922. In 1945 the Grant Trophy matches for men's doubles was inaugurated, followed by the Crawford Cup matches in 1999 and the Lawrence-Wilkins Trophy matches in 2001. These four events, held at the same time and venue each year, are hosted in alternate years by the United States and Canada. Beginning in 2000, all of the singles matches have been played using the international ball.

There are four trophies at stake in the annual competition: the Lapham Cup, donated by Henry Lapham of Brookline, Massachusetts; the Grant Trophy, donated by Alastair Grant of Montreal, Quebec; the Crawford Cup, donated by Bill Crawford in honor of his wife, Richenda in 1999; and the Lawrence-Wilkins Trophy, donated in 2001 by Edgar Bracht in honor of Barney Lawrence of Kitchener, Ontario and Howard Wilkins of the U.S. for the men's legends doubles (over age 65).

It is a tradition that the captains cooperate in making sure that their teams are balanced, and that matches are played in an atmosphere of camaraderie, goodwill, and sportsmanship. Matches are not refereed, and therefore the highest standards of fair play are essential among participants. The matches also provide an opportunity for representatives from both sides of the border to discuss squash development initiatives. This grand social event has many traditions, including the Captains' Reception, the black tie dinner-dance, the gift of a tie or scarf for all first-time participants, celebratory drinking from the Big Cup at Sunday's brunch and award ceremony, and of course, the Eric R. Finkelman Award for Questionable Behavior.

As Jim Zug reported in Squash Magazine in 2013, the Finkelman Award has been a highlight of the Lapham-Grant weekend since 1982. The weekend has always been known for off-court hijinks as much as for on-court play. The Finkelman started at the Lapham-Grant held in Cleveland. After the dinner-dance, a number of Canadians were carousing at their hotel and one of them, John Fuller, appeared at a late-night gathering in his wife's beautiful red (some remember pink) dress. The next morning Fuller managed to capture the deciding doubles match, which was punctuated by his mooning the crowd at its conclusion.

At the farewell luncheon, Herb Gross, the U.S. captain, gave Fuller an improvised trophy consisting of a soda bottle, a towel and a broken racquet as he read out an Associated Press article that appeared in the Cleveland Plain Dealer. "Student Hurt 'Mooning' in Bus" was the headline:

"NASHVILLE, Tenn. – Eric R. Finkelman, 25, a Vanderbilt University law student, fell from a bus returning home from a tour of a Jack Daniel's whiskey distillery in Lynchburg, Tenn. After he pressed his bare buttocks against a window and it popped open, police said. Finkelman, of New York City, was hospitalized in good condition yesterday. He suffered a head injury and a broken hand during the prank known as 'mooning.' Finkelman fell on to Interstate 65 south of Nashville late Friday night after pushing his naked rear end against the window of the commercial sightseeing bus, police said. The window was intended as an emergency exit and popped out easily."



HISTORY

Gross went home and crafted a bronze trophy to replace the original. The Finkelman is perhaps the most unusual trophy in squash. Over the years, people have received it for various party fouls, screw-ups, disorderly dancing, skinny-dipping, abandoning teammates, curious sleeping quarters, entertaining antics and/or general misbehavior.

Several decades ago, Stewart Brauns suggested that a good Lapham Grant team consisted of one-third good players, one-third poor players and one-third bon vivants. We have adapted that slightly this year to read one-third of the players who played in past Lapham Grant matches, one third good players and one third that have supported the event. We also selected our players based on their sportsmanship and expect that many will be in the running for the Finkelman Award. In order to make the most of the week-end, each player is guaranteed two matches, be they singles or doubles.

We are fortunate to have access to four New York City clubs with the Racquet and Tennis Club and New York Athletic Club hosting the Lapham and Grant Teams, the Union Club hosting the Lawrence Wilkins matches and The University Club hosting the Crawford matches. We will also have featured “cocktail hour” matches on Thursday (The University Club), Friday (Racquet & Tennis) and Saturday evening (The University Club).

There are over 100 doubles matches and near half as many singles matches scheduled this weekend. It is worth repeating that the matches are not refereed, the Lapham Grant is all about camaraderie, goodwill and sportsmanship!

The University Club of New York recently celebrated the Club's 150th Anniversary and will be celebrating the Squash Program's 100 year Anniversary in 2018. Their first doubles court was added in 1928 and was followed by the world's first doubles tournament (the Lockett Cup Invitational Doubles) in January 1929. The O'Reilly Pro-Am started in 1943 and is the oldest and most prestigious Pro-Am in the country and is one of the most prestigious events on the North American Professional Doubles circuit. The first Grant Cup matches were held at the Club in January 1945 with Team USA defeating Team Canada 10-1! Other notable events at the Club include hosting the inaugural U.S Open Squash tournament in 1954, the U.S National Doubles, U.S National Century Doubles and the World Doubles Championships in 2013.





















































PAST RESULTS

MATCH RESULTS TO DATE

	LAPHAM <i>1922-2015</i>	GRANT <i>1945-2015</i>	LAWRENCE-WILKINS <i>2001-2015</i>	CRAWFORD <i>1999-2015</i>
USA	53	31	6	5
CANADA	40	32	9	9
ENGLAND	1	-	-	-

RECENT LAPHAM-GRANT HISTORY

YEAR	VENUE	LAPHAM	GRANT	LAWRENCE-WILKINS	CRAWFORD
2004	San Francisco				
2005	Calgary				
2006	Los Angeles				
2007	Toronto				
2008	Wilmington				
2009	Montreal				
2010	Rye				
2011	Toronto				
2012	Atlanta				
2013	Vancouver				
2014	Merion				
2015	London				



SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

2016 UNITED STATES VS. CANADA SQUASH CHALLENGE MATCHES & PARTICIPANT SCHEDULE

Thursday, April 14th

Noon	Golf Tee Times Start at Noon	Century Golf Club (Separate advance registration and fees required)
4PM to 9PM	Registration/Information Desk Open	University Club, 10th Floor Court 3 "Lounge"
6PM to 8PM	Featured "Kick-off" Matches: Doubles and Singles	University Club, 10th Floor
7PM to 9PM	Informal Welcome Reception Wine, Beer and Snacks	University Club, 10th Floor

Friday, April 15th

9AM to 6:30PM	Registration/Information Desk Open	University Club, 10th Floor, Court 3 "Lounge"
8AM to 11AM	Breakfast Available - Sign Basis	University Club, Main Dining Room, 7th Floor
8AM to 11AM	Bagels, Coffee and Tea	University Club, 10th Floor, Court 3 "Lounge"
8AM	Regular Play Begins for All Divisions	All Venues (See posted match schedule for individual start times and location details.)
Noon to 3PM	Lunch Available- Sign Basis	University Club, Main, Dining Room, 7th Floor and Tap Room, 2nd Floor
5PM	Featured Matches: Lapham Singles and Grant Doubles	Racquet & Tennis Club, 4th Floor (Wine and Beer Available)
7PM to 9PM	Mandatory Team Meetings, National Anthems Team Introductions, Captains' Reception Cocktails and Heavy Hors D'oeuvres	Racquet & Tennis Club, 2nd Floor, South Lounge <i>(Dress: Jacket & Tie)</i>
9PM to 3AM	Informal Impromptu Activities	New York City



SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Saturday, April 16th

9AM to 4PM	Registration/Information Desk Open	University Club, 10th Floor, Court 3 “Lounge”
8AM to 6PM	Play Continues All Divisions	All Venues
7AM to 10:30AM	Breakfast Available – Sign Basis	University Club, Dwight Room, 1st Floor
8AM to 11AM	Bagels, Coffee and Tea	University Club, 10th Floor, Court 3 “Lounge”
NOON to 3PM	Lunch Available – Sign Basis	University Club, Tap Room, 2nd Floor <i>(Saturday Dress Code)</i>
12:45PM	Featured Grant Cup Doubles Match	Union Club, 6th Floor
5PM	Featured Crawford Cup Matches with Courtside Keg Beer, Wine and Light Snacks Available	University Club, 10th Floor
6PM	Featured Lawrence-Wilkins Match with Courtside Keg Beer, Wine and Light Snacks Available	University Club, 10th Floor
7PM	Formal Dinner Cocktails	University Club, Council Room, 7th Floor <i>(Dress: Black Tie)</i>
7:30PM	Team Photographs	University Club, Main Dining Room, 7th Floor
8PM	Welcome Toasts to the President and Queen Presentation of Roses	University Club, Main Dining Room, 7th Floor
8PM to Midnight	Formal Dinner Dance	University Club, Main Dining Room, 7th Floor
Midnight to 4AM	After-Party	Manhattan



SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Sunday, April 17th

8AM to 11AM	Play Finishes - All Divisions	All Venues
8:30AM	Featured Lawrence-Wilkins and Lapham Cup Matches	University Club Courts, 10th Floor
9:30AM	Featured Crawford Cup Match	University Club Courts, 10th Floor
10:30AM	Featured Grant Cup Match	University Club Courts, 10th Floor
11:30 to 1:30PM	Brunch	University Club, Main Dining Room, 7th Floor <i>(Dress: Jacket & Tie)</i>
HIGH NOON	First Timer Ties and Scarfs, Closing Awards Ceremony, Trophy Presentations with Champagne Toasts, Announcement of Next Year's Captains	
1:30PM	Final Goodbyes	





IMPORTANT INFORMATION FOR ALL PLAYERS & GUESTS

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INCIDENTAL CHARGES/SIGNING PRIVILEGES

For your convenience, at registration all participants (excluding registered overnight guests of the Club) will receive a temporary University Club number issued against their credit card (Visa/MasterCard/Amex) that will enable you to purchase/"sign" for incidental (not included with racquet fee) food, beverages and squash related supplies throughout the weekend at The University Club. Registered overnight guests at the Club will be able to utilize their assigned room number when using Club services and should show their room key at the Tournament Check-in Reception Desk when registering to play.

PLEASE NOTE: Your racquet "entry" fee covers the (i) Thursday night beer/wine/snack reception at The University Club, (ii) Friday morning bagels, coffee and tea in the 10th floor lounge, (iii) Friday night wine and beer at marquee match viewing at the Racquet & Tennis Club, (iv) Friday night open bar and "heavy" passed hors d'oeuvres reception at the Racquet & Tennis Club, (v) Saturday morning bagels, coffee and tea in the 10th floor lounge, (vi) the Saturday night open bar cocktail reception and formal dinner dance, (vii) Sunday Brunch (not including sign-basis alcohol which will be available pursuant to applicable law) at The University Club and (viii) beer from The University Club 10th floor tap throughout the weekend. Except as otherwise noted above, all other meals and beverages are the participant's responsibility with the "sign basis" offerings made available to you at The University Club throughout the weekend.

DRESS CODE AND OTHER HOUSE RULES OF HOST CLUBS

The four New York City clubs hosting this year's Lapham Grant Matches are each elegant and exclusive, yet very welcoming, and very enthusiastic about hosting these matches. We ask that all LG participants and guests strive to be aware of each club's house rules and other related policies that apply to everyone utilizing the respective facilities.

While there are subtle differences in the dress codes at each of the host clubs, overall, they are generally consistent and you cannot go wrong with the following:

- Gentleman members and guests are required to wear jackets, dress shirts and ties. Lady members and guests are required to wear clothing meeting similar standards; specifically, tailored clothing that otherwise conforms to this Rule, e.g. suits, dresses, or skirts and dress shirts or sweaters, or tailored pants with dress shirts and jackets, elegant sweaters or scarves of equivalent formality. Tailored pants paired with frilly/tailored/beaded tops may be worn without a jacket, sweater or scarf---**except for the athletic locker rooms, playing and spectating areas.**
- The following clothing is prohibited in the clubhouses at all times: jeans, designer denim apparel and other denim clothing, shorts, Capri, clam digger, and cargo pants, T-shirts, halter-topped sportswear and bare midriff tops, mini-skirts or dresses, workout or warm-up suits, sport, beach or thong sandals and sneakers or other athletic shoes.
- If you arrive in less formal "street" clothes (i.e. other than jacket and tie or comparable attire for women and not otherwise prohibited above) please use the available service elevator to access the locker rooms and courts.
- **Whites-only** on court except for designated team color coordinated court attire for the event.



IMPORTANT INFORMATION FOR ALL PLAYERS & GUESTS

Notwithstanding the above:

- On weekdays, members and guests checking into or out of guest rooms may pass through the lobby, to and from the elevator and the front door, wearing informal dress that includes no prohibited items, but after check-in and before check-out the balance of this Rule applies in full;
- On weekends and holidays, incoming and exiting members and guests may pass through the lobby or go to the Tap Room, Billiard Room, Television Room, a guest room or an athletic facility wearing informal dress that includes no prohibited items; and
- Jackets and ties are not required in the Tap Room on weekends. Ties are not required at breakfast on weekends.

Other important house and squash facility rule reminders:

- ***Use of cell phones, computers and other electronic devices is generally not permitted in the public areas of the club houses except in specifically designated areas as posted.***
- No tipping or gratuities for club staff are expected or permitted.
- Smoking is not permitted anywhere inside any of the host Clubhouses.
- U.S. Squash certified approved protective eyewear is required for all singles and doubles play at all times.

FACILITIES:

The changing lounges/locker rooms at each venue are of course available for participant use. We anticipate there may be some overcrowding and that everyone be considerate of regular members and fellow players to these circumstances. To help alleviate possible overcrowding and disruption to regular members please be aware:

- Hosts at each venue will assign each player to a designated booth, or as the case may be, locker.
- When you are not playing we ask that you leave your bags in designated areas away from the active changing areas.
- We strongly encourage all overnight room guests to leave their squash bags in their rooms (and even change/shower there) and invite your friends who are not staying at the Club to join you!

The University Club Pro Shop will be open from 10AM to 8PM on Thursday, 9AM to 8PM on Friday and 9AM to 6PM on Saturday. Purchases may be made using your assigned account numbers.

The Tournament Desk Phone number is: 212-572-3481 and the email address for Tournament Director Andres Vargas is: andres.vargas@ussquash.com

SPECIAL DISCOUNTED PARKING RATES NEARBY THE UNIVERSITY CLUB:

- A SUBSTANTIALLY DISCOUNTED PARKING RATE IS AVAILABLE AT THE ABM Garage, 17 East 54th St., Phone 212-308-3770, CONVENIENTLY LOCATED ON THE NORTH SIDE OF 54th STREET JUST EAST OF THE UNIVERSITY CLUB ENTRANCE ACROSS FIFTH AVENUE, BETWEEN FIFTH AND MADISON AVE. TO TAKE ADVANTAGE OF THE PARKING DISCOUNT YOU MUST HAVE YOUR GARAGE RECEIPT VALIDATED AT THE FRONT DESK OR SIDE ENTRANCE OF THE UNIVERISTY CLUB BEFORE PICKING UP YOUR CAR.





HOST VENUE INFORMATION

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All of the host clubs are in reasonable walking distance from each other with the longest estimated walk time between Clubs being 15 minutes or so.



The University Club of New York

1 W. 54th Street
New York, New York 10019
Phone: 212-572-3421 (Squash pro shop)
212-247-2100 (Main)

Head Squash Professional: Damien S. Mudge
Email: squash@universityclubny.org

This year's Tournament Headquarters is located on the northwest corner of 5th Avenue and 54th Street with the entrance on 54th Street. As you enter the club, the elevators to the courts are towards the back left. Registration, all courts, and the men's locker room, are on the 10th floor. The ladies' locker room is on the 11th floor via rear elevator or staircase from 10th Floor.



New York Athletic Club

180 Central Park South
New York, New York 10019
Phone: 212-767-7036

Head Squash Professional: Pat Canavan
Email: patc@nyac.org

Located at the corner of 59th Street and 7th Avenue facing Central Park with entrances on 59th and 58th streets. The ladies' locker room is on the 4th floor and the men's locker room is on the 5th floor. To get to the doubles court, take the elevator to the 20th floor. Turn right and take small elevator to the 21st floor, the doubles court will be on your right.



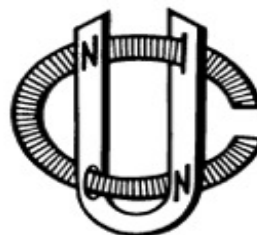
HOST VENUE INFORMATION



Racquet & Tennis Club
370 Park Avenue
New York, New York 10022
Phone: 212-308-5211

Head Squash Professional: Manek Mathur
Email: squash@rtcny.org

Entrance is located on Park Ave between 52nd and 53rd Street. Doubles court is on the 4th floor. Men's locker room is on the 3rd floor.



Union Club
101 East 69th Street
New York, New York 10021
Phone: 212-606-3410

Head Squash Professional: Jonny P. Smith
Email: jsmith@theunionclub.com

Entrance located on the northeast corner of 69th Street and Park Ave. Take the elevator to the 5th floor for the men's locker room and 5M for the ladies' locker room. The doubles court is a walk-up from the locker rooms and is on the 6th floor.



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IMPORTANT PLAYER REMINDERS

2016 UNITED STATES VS. CANADA INVITATIONAL SQUASH CHALLENGE MATCHES

VERY IMPORTANT PLAYER REMINDERS

- **MATCH SCHEDULE IS FOLLOW-ON:**

GIVEN THE LARGE NUMBER OF MATCHES WE HAVE SCHEDULED FOR YOU IT IS ESSENTIAL THAT ALL PLAYERS BE EARLY AND READY TO START PLAY IMMEDIATELY AFTER THE PRECEDING MATCH IS COMPLETED. ALL MATCHES ARE SCHEDULED AS "FOLLOW-ON" SO THAT AS SOON AS A MATCH IS COMPLETED, THE NEXT MATCH WILL COMMENCE. ACCORDINGLY MATCH TIMES ARE APPROXIMATE AND ALL PLAYERS SHOULD BE READY TO GET ON COURT AT LEAST 20 MINUTES BEFORE THEIR "SCHEDULED" MATCH TIME.

- **WARM-UP IS STRICTLY LIMITED TO FIVE MINUTES:**

THERE IS A LIMIT OF FIVE MINUTE WARM-UPS THAT WILL BE TIMED BY THE DESIGNATED VENUE MANAGERS.

- **PLEASE VOLUNTEER YOUR OWN STROKES:**

THE LAPHAM GRANT MATCHES HAVE A STRONG TRADITION OF SPORTSMANSHIP THAT INCLUDES SELF-REFEREEING. IN THIS SPIRIT IN PARTICULAR, *IF YOU HIT A BALL BACK AT YOURSELF PLEASE IMMEDIATELY OFFER THE STROKE TO YOUR OPPONENT(S) WITHOUT HAVING THEM ASK!*

- **PLEASE CHECK IN WITH VENUE MANAGERS AND REPORT COMPLETE GAME SCORES IMMEDIATELY:**

PLEASE BE SURE TO CHECK IN WITH THE DESIGNATED VENUE MANAGER WHEN YOU ARRIVE FOR YOUR MATCH, AND IMMEDIATELY UPON COMPLETION OF THE MATCH PLEASE CONFIRM THE GAME SCORES TO THEM SO THEY CAN BE ENTERED PROMPTLY IN OUR REAL TIME GAME SCORING SYSTEM.

- **PLEASE HELP LIMIT LOCKER ROOM OVERCROWDING/UTILIZE LOCK BOXES FOR YOUR VALUABLES:**

IN ORDER TO LESSEN LOCKER ROOM OVERCROWDING WE ENCOURAGE PLAYERS STAYING AT THE UNIVERSITY CLUB TO USE THEIR ROOMS TO CHANGE FOR MATCHES. IF YOU TRAVEL TO ANOTHER VENUE DRESSED TO PLAY, PLEASE USE THE DESIGNATED "SIDE ENTRANCE" THAT EACH CLUB HAS AVAILABLE FOR SUCH CASUAL ATTIRE. PLEASE BE SURE TO USE THE DESIGNATED LOCK BOXES FOR ALL OF YOUR VALUABLES.

- **PHOTOGRAPHS:**

THE TAKING OF PHOTOGRAPHS IS STRICTLY LIMITED BY EACH HOST CLUB'S HOUSE RULES. IN GENERAL PHOTOGRAPHS MAY ONLY BE TAKEN IN AND AROUND ON-COURT ACTIVITY. PHOTOGRAPHS IN ANY OF THE FORMAL ROOMS OF ANY OF THE HOSTS CLUBS ARE RESTRICTED AND SUBJECT TO SPECIAL LIMITED HOUSE COMMITTEE APPROVALS. WE HAVE DESIGNATED PHOTOGRAPHERS FOR THE WEEKEND COVERING ALL EVENTS AND MANY MATCHES. THE HOST COMMITTEE WILL MAKE THESE APPROVED PHOTOGRAPHS AVAILABLE TO ALL PARTICIPANTS AFTER THE EVENT. POSTING OF UNAPPROVED PHOTOS ON SOCIAL MEDIA IS PROHIBITED.

The Tournament Desk phone # is: [212-572-3481](tel:212-572-3481) and the email address for Tournament Director Andres Vargas is: andres.vargas@ussquash.com.



TEAM USA 2016 CAPTAINS

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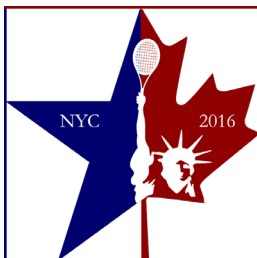
TEAM USA – BIOGRAPHIES

Liam Culman

Liam Culman resides in New York City and is an avid squash player at the Racquet & Tennis and Union Clubs, where he serves on the games and squash committees, respectively. He has also been playing at the Westmoor Club in Nantucket and the Maryland Club in Baltimore. While he hasn't reached top level status, Liam did manage to win the Barry C. Good Tournament in 2010. As a promoter of squash in NYC and striving to build camaraderie within the community, Liam is the founder of the "CFM" Tournament and also serves on the Advisory Committee of CitySquash, a Bronx based urban squash program. Liam will be co-chairing the U.S. Jesters annual weekend in NYC this fall. This is his 4th Lapham Grant and he served as the Co-captain of the US squad last year.

Randy Goodleaf

Randy Goodleaf started his singles squash career at Stanstead College in the province of Quebec in the late 70's and doubles squash at the Montreal Amateur Athletic Association in the early 90's. He moved to Chicago in the late 90's and continued to be an active singles and doubles player out of the University Club of Chicago. Randy moved to New York in 2003 and is a member of the University Club of New York. In addition to his duties as co-captain of the Lapham Grant, Randy has also been the chairman of the U.S National Century Doubles Championship, is the Chairman of the Cross Country Challenge Cup Doubles tournament and a Jester. This will be Randy's sixth Lapham Grant tournament and second year as Lapham Grant Co-Captain. Randy has been called the "Benedict Arnold of Squash" by his fellow Canadians—and he still loves them anyway...



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Kit Tatum

Lawrence Wilkins Co-Captain Kit Tatum starting playing squash at the Granite Club in Toronto when a guy named Eisenhower was enjoying his first term as President. He played his college squash at Laurier under the tutelage of legendary Barney Lawrence who both practiced and taught the importance of gibberish before, during, and after the match. Unable to beat either Mike Manley or Tony Ross on court in Toronto, he emigrated to New York in a quest for squash laurels. He is a past Chairman of the University Club Squash Committee, the US Century Championships, and is a Board Member of the National Urban Squash & Education Association.

Jack Wyant, Sr.

Jack Wyant, Sr. plays squash at the Cincinnati Country Club, Sea Island Club, and the University Club of New York. The Wyant family, including Jack, Jr., Missy, Tim, Chris and wife Peg all play squash and have collectively won over 80 tournaments, 12 national championships, and have represented the U.S. in 15 international competitions as players and coach. Jack and Jack, Jr., the coach at Penn, have won the National Father Son Century Division, and (with Tim or Jack) have been the finalists three times. Jack created and hosts an annual invitational January doubles weekend at Sea Island called PS100 (Play Squash Til 100) that is focused on day long play, nutrition and exercise lectures. The Wyant family helped create a new urban squash program, Cincinnati Squash Academy, that opened in 2014, has 50 at risk children, of which Peg is the board chair, operating under the auspices of the National Urban Squash Education Association (NUSEA), of which Kit Tatum is a board member and Tim is its CEO. This is Jack's sixth Lapham Grant and third time as captain of the American old men.

Ann McGowan

Ann McGowan learned her squash at The Poughkeepsie Squash Club and Groton School. She played at Princeton on a great team but with lots of people above her on the ladder and now plays at the University Club in New York and the Rockaway Hunting Club. She plays mostly doubles though occasionally still plays singles to remind herself how much she needs to get in shape. She plays the right wall having forced her favorite partner and sister, Sarah McGowan Cregan, to play the left wall since she's younger. In 2014, in the spirit of the Lapham Grant matches, she partnered with Canadian Crawford Cup competitor Cathy Tuckwell to win the U.S. Century Doubles Women's Open. Last year she had the honor to be the American Crawford captain in London, Ontario. This is Ann's sixth Lapham Grant.



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LAPHAM PLAYERS

Chris Callis	New York, NY	Racquet and Tennis Club
Rob Coakley	New York, NY	The University Club
Yasser El Halaby	New York, NY	Racquet and Tennis Club
Bryce Harding	Arlington, VA	Episcopal Club
Mick Joint	Detroit, MI	Detroit Athletic Club
Peter Kelly	New York, NY	The University Club
Ethan Oetter	St. Louis, MO	St. Louis Racquet Club
Valentin Quan	New York, NY	Union Club
Lee Rosen	New York, NY	The University Club
Ellias Sarraf	Buffalo, NY	Buffalo Tennis and Squash Club
Andres Vargas	New York, NY	The University Club



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GRANT PLAYERS

Jay Biedler	Chicago, IL	The University Club of Chicago
Bob Burton *	Holland, MI	Detroit Athletic Club
Chris Callis	New York, NY	Racquet and Tennis Club
Guy Cipriano *	Franklin Lakes, NY	The Tuxedo Club
Peter Cipriano	New York, NY	Racquet and Tennis Club
John Conway	New York, NY	The University Club
Liam Culman *	New York, NY	Racquet and Tennis Club
Daniel Dolan	Chicago, IL	Onwentsia Club
Ted Duff	New York, NY	Racquet and Tennis Club
Peter Dunne	Chicago, IL	Chicago Racquet and Tennis
Andrew Fink	New York, NY	Union Club
Scott Fuller	New York, NY	The University Club
Randy Goodleaf *	New York, NY	The University Club
Alan Grant	Philadelphia, PA	Cynwyd Club
Jordan Greenberg	New York, NY	The University Club
Jay Hatcher	Louisville, KY	Louisville Boat Club
John Hyett	Boston, MA	The University Club of Boston
Peter Kelly	New York, NY	The University Club
Marty Knott	Baltimore, MD	Maryland Club
Matt Kostmayer	Baltimore, MD	Maryland Club
Taylor Lanier	Atlanta, GA	Piedmont Driving Club
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Doug Leeson	Atlanta, GA	Piedmont Driving Club
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Keith Merrill	New York, NY	Racquet and Tennis Club
Will Osnato *	New York, NY	The University Club
Mark Pagon *	Haverford, PA	The Merion Cricket Club
Charlie Parkhurst	Rye, NY	The Apawamis Club
Dylan Patterson	New York, NY	Racquet and Tennis Club
Elias Sarraf	Buffalo, NY	Buffalo Tennis and Squash Club
Ed Shugrue	New York, NY	Union Club
Scott Simonton *	Wilmington, DE	Wilmington Country Club
Will Simonton	New York, NY	The University Club
Bill Ullman	New York, NY	The University Club
Tim Vecchione	New York, NY	New York Athletic Club
Jay Weaver	Atlanta, GA	Piedmont Driving Club
Addison West	New York, NY	Racquet and Tennis Club
John Woodhams	Atlanta, GA	Piedmont Driving Club

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LAWRENCE-WILKINS PLAYERS

Philip Ahern	Minneapolis, MN	The Minneapolis Club
Clark Amos	St Louis, MO	The Racquet Club of St Louis
Rick Braddock	New York, NY	The University Club
John Brazilian	Boston, MA	The University Club of Boston
Dennis Clare	Louisville, KY	The Louisville Boat Club
Malcolm Davidson	Boston, MA	The University Club of Boston
Howard Day	Charlottesville, VA	MacArthur Squash Center
Peter Day	Philadelphia, PA	Germantown Cricket Club
Terry Eagle	Carpinteria, CA	The Cate School
Niko Elmaleh	New York, NY	New York Athletic Club
Jack Foley	Collegeville, PA	Gwynedd Racquet Club
George Fowler	St. Louis, MO	The Racquet Club of St. Louis
Alan Fox	Los Angeles, CA	Los Angeles Athletic Club
Eric Grossman	Camden, ME	The Cynwyd Club
Sam Howe	Philadelphia, PA	The Merion Cricket Club
Dan Karnowsky	Marina Del Ray, CA	Marina City Club
George Kellner	New York, NY	The University Club
Ted Marmor	New York, NY	The University Club
Casey McKee	Rye, NY	The Apawamis Club
Ed Minskoff	New York, NY	New York Athletic Club
Alladin Mitha	Louisville, KY	The Pendennis Club
Bob Mosier	Los Angeles, CA	The Jonathan Club
Mark O'Brien	Philadelphia, PA	The Merion Cricket Club
Charles Ogelsby	Haverford, PA	The Merion Cricket Club
Gerald Peters *	Santa Fe, NM	The Kiva Club
Richard Rice *	Rochester, NY	The Genesee Valley Club
Peter Susskind	San Francisco, CA	The University Club of San Francisco
Kit Tatum *	New York, NY	The University Club
Jay Umans	Roslyn, NY	Cityview Club
Jack Wyant *	Cincinnati, OH	Cincinnati Country Club
Frank Schmidt	San Francisco, CA	The Olympic Club
Tyler Thomas	Louisville, KY	The Louisville Boat Club
Scott Wilson	New York, NY	The University Club

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Crawford Players

Benay Betts	Bronx, NY	The University Club
Dana Betts	New York, NY	New York Athletic Club
Julie Cerullo	New York, NY	New York Athletic Club
Sarah McGowan Cregan	New York, NY	The University Club
Libby Eyre	New York, NY	The University Club
Courtney Geelan	New York, NY	The University Club
Carly Grabowski	New York, NY	The University Club
Logan Greer	Portland, OR	The Multnomah Athletic Club
Tracy Greer *	Berwyn, PA	Merion Cricket Club
Margaret Hartigan	New York, NY	The University Club
Katherine Johnson	Portland, OR	The Multnomah Athletic Club
Julie Kessler	Ivyland, PA	Berwyn Squash
Ann McGowan *	New York, NY	The University Club
Charlene Neo	New York, NY	The University Club
Wendy Nolan	New York, NY	Piping Rock Club
Elise O'Connell	New York, NY	The University Club
Beth Rasin	New York, NY	Gwynned Racquet Club
Hope Nichols Prockop	Groton, MA	Harvard's Murr Center
Susan Rose	New York, NY	Harvard Club
Bry Roskoz	Boston, MA	The University Club of Boston
Victoria Simmonds	Rye, NY	Westchester Country Club
Laura Stuto	Denver, CO	Denver Athletic Club
Marie Johnson Vlcek *	Rowayton, CT	Chelsea Piers, CT

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TEAM CANADA 2016

TEAM CANADA CAPTAINS

LAPHAM GRANT

Norm Crook



LAWRENCE-WILKINS

Jon Leheup



CRAWFORD

Karen Levine



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Norm Crook

Norm and his wife Tracie reside in Burlington Ontario. Norm has been a long term member of the Toronto Racquet Club and Burlington Racquet Club. His passion for the game and commitment to the Jesters organization has allowed him to contribute to the game of squash. His years of playing squash doubles has earned him numerous club championships, 3 Ontario Provincial championships and titles in the 50's categories in Buffalo & Montreal. In addition to playing the game Norm has been on several squash committees and chaired the 1998 Canadian Doubles Championship at Cedar Springs in Burlington Ontario. Retired now for 3 years Norm has focused his attention on local charity work where he is a board member for the Burlington Food Bank and continues his role on the executive committee of the Ontario Jesters. Norm was honored to be selected as the 2016 Canadian Team captain for the Lapham Grant Matches

Jon LeHeup

Jon and his wife Jewel are transplanted Upper Canadians living in Rothesay, New Brunswick. They are blessed with four children and four grandchildren; his two grandsons are now in training to be his Century doubles partner in 2023. Jon plays singles out of the Kennebecasis Squash Club as there are no doubles courts east of Montreal but is still a member at the Toronto Racquet Club and Toronto Cricket Club. He and Jewel enjoy travelling to doubles tournaments throughout the season and he is still looking for his first tournament match on a Sunday. This year will mark Jon's 15th Lapham-Grant / Lawrence-Wilkins Match.

Karen Levine

Karen started playing squash at Queen's University and played on the varsity team. She is a member at Vancouver Lawn, Tennis & Badminton and Jericho Tennis Clubs in Vancouver as well as the University Club in New York. She plays both singles and doubles, with successes ranging from tournament wins to last one on the dance floor at the parties. Her most notable achievement in doubles is double faulting on just about every court in North America except the Bow Valley Club in Calgary. In addition to playing, Karen continues to volunteer as committee member or just helping out at tournaments, and captaining city league teams.



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LAPHAM GRANT PLAYERS

Matt Bannan	Toronto, ON	Toronto Cricket Skating & Curling Club
Mark Barber	Rye, NY	The Apawamis Club
Ray Bertrand	Toronto, ON	Toronto Cricket Skating & Curling Club
Robert Birrell	Calgary, AB	The Glencoe Club
Tim Bovaird	Toronto, ON	Toronto Cricket Skating & Curling Club
Steve Burnham	Toronto, ON	Ontario Racquet Club
Karl Burnham	Toronto, ON	Ontario Racquet Club
Alex Carter	Toronto, ON	Toronto Racquet Club
Norm Crook	Toronto, ON	Toronto Racquet Club
Iain Crozier	Toronto, ON	Toronto Racquet Club
Nathan Drew	Burlington, ON	Burlington Fitness & Racquet Club
Blair Finlayson	Toronto, ON	Toronto Racquet Club
Scott Gledhill	Toronto, ON	Toronto Cricket Skating & Curling Club
Keith Flavell	Montreal, QC	The Atwater Club
Ryan Haider	Vancouver, BC	Jericho Tennis Club
Tyler Hamilton	Toronto, ON	The Cambridge Club
Michael Hobart *	Toronto, ON	Toronto Racquet Club
Steve Hisey	Toronto, ON	Toronto Cricket Skating & Curling Club
Brian Hong	Toronto, ON	Toronto Cricket Skating & Curling Club
Jake Hooker	Calgary, AB	World Health Edgemont
Michael Hooker	Calgary, AB	World Health Edgemont
John Hungerford *	Vancouver, BC	Vancouver Lawn Tennis & Badminton Club
Al Hunt	Markham, ON	Mayfair Parkway
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Marc Lalonde	Moncton, NB	Moncton Squash Club
Andy Lata	Toronto, ON	Toronto Racquet Club
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Robert Nigro	Toronto, ON	The Cambridge Club
Jay Nash *	London, ON	London Squash Racquets Club
Namsoo Oh	Toronto, ON	Toronto Racquet Club
Mark Ridgeway	Vancouver, BC	Jericho Tennis Club
Chris Sachvie	Niagara-on-the-Lake, ON	The Club at White Oaks
Dane Sharp	Philadelphia, PA	Merion Cricket Club
Andrew Slater	Boston, MA	University Club of Boston
Scott Stoneburgh	Toronto, ON	The Badminton & Racquet Club of Toronto
Brian Walsh	Rye, NY	The Apawamis Club
Eric Watson	Calgary, AB	Bow Valley Club
Doug Whittaker	Philadelphia, PA	Germantown Cricket Club

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LAWRENCE-WILKINS PLAYERS

Doug Bannan	Toronto, ON	Toronto Cricket Skating & Curling Club
Ritchie Bell *	Westmount, QC	Club Awater
Dennis Bishop	Town of Mount Royal, QC	Club Awater
David Bogert *	Etobicoke, ON	Toronto Racquet Club
Jim Bruce	Toronto, ON	Toronto Racquet Club
Ted Charuk	Burlington, ON	Burlington Racquet & Fitness Club
Paul Cocker	London, ON	London Squash & Fitness Club
Bob Dubeau *	Montreal, QC	Club Awater
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Paul Fisher	Toronto, ON	Royal Canadian Yacht Club
Rea Godbold	Toronto, ON	Toronto Racquet Club
Tim Griffin	Toronto, ON	Cambridge Club
Larry Hall	Collingwood, ON	TAG Fitness
Bill Jenkins *	London, ON	London Squash + Fitness Club
Bob Kosnik	San Francisco, CA	University Club of San Francisco
Jon LeHeup	Rothsay, NB	Kennebaccasis Squash Club
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Michael Martin *	Westmount, QC	Club Awater
Michael McBean *	Westmount, QC	Club Awater
Sean McDonough *	Burlington, ON	Cedar Springs Racquet + Fitness
Dave McFarlane	Calgary, AB	Bow Valley Club
Brian Murray *	Toronto, ON	Toronto Racquet Club
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Bruce Robinson	Toronto, ON	Toronto Cricket Skating & Curling Club
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Michael Wilson *	Westmount, QC	Club Awater
Paul Yaphe	Westmount, QC	Club Awater

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CRAWFORD PLAYERS

Ashleigh Crozier	Toronto, ON	Toronto Cricket Skating & Curling Club
Natasha Doucas *	Vancouver, BC	Vancouver Racquets Club
Stephanie Edmison	Toronto, ON	Granite Club
Caitlin Hunderford	Vancouver, BC	Vancouver Lawn, Tennis & Badminton Club
Paula Jenkins	London, ON	London Squash + Fitness Club
Carmela Kervin	Aurora, ON	Richmond Hill Squash Club
Karen Levine	Vancouver, BC	Vancouver Lawn, Tennis & Badminton Club
Brook Macey	Vancouver, BC	Vancouver Lawn, Tennis & Badminton Club
Heather MacLean	Toronto, ON	The Badminton & Racquet Club of Toronto
Judy Martin	Montreal, QC	Club Atwater
Susan McKinnon-Bell *	Montreal, QC	Club Atwater
Cairn Meek	Toronto, ON	Toronto Cricket Skating & Curling Club
Jackie Moss	Calgary, AB	Glencoe Club
Francine Royan	New York, NY	University Club NY
Shivani Ruparell	Toronto, ON	The Badminton & Racquet Club of Toronto
Sandra Shaw *	London, ON	London Squash & Fitness Club
Emily Terry	Canton, NY	St. Lawrence University
Cathy Tuckwell	Toronto, ON	The Badminton & Racquet Club of Toronto
Melina Turk	Calgary, AB	Calgary Winter Club
Kim Watson	Calgary, AB	Calgary Winter Club
Katherine Yaphe	Toronto, ON	Toronto Lawn Tennis Club

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HISTORY OF THE UNIVERSITY CLUB

HISTORICAL SKETCH

The 1865 Charter of The University Club states that the purpose of the organization shall be "the promotion of Literature and Art by establishing and maintaining a Library, Reading Room and Gallery of Art, and by such other means as shall be expedient and proper for such purposes." Of course, in the nearly 150 years that followed, the Club has developed in many other areas as well.



Today, for example, The University Club boasts some of the finest private dining and banquet facilities in the city and beyond. The present clubhouse represents the fourth home of The University Club, and the first created specifically for the club.

In 1898, the Club commissioned member Charles F. McKim, of the renowned architectural firm of McKim, Mead & White, to design a new clubhouse. With this building—opened in May 1899—McKim was asked to reflect the enhanced status of the Club as the nineteenth century came to an end, a period known, with good reason, as The Gilded Age.

Though Florence's Strozzi Palace and other Florentine palazzo are often cited as his inspiration, McKim was far too good an architect to simply copy an existing building. Nonetheless, the influences of the Italian Renaissance are readily evident throughout the splendid clubhouse he created. Indeed, in designing the exterior of the building, McKim faced the challenge of making the clubhouse appear smaller than it is in order to maintain the overall proportions of a Renaissance palazzo. Thus, by a variety of visual "tricks" he attempted to make a building of nine stories (later expanded to ten) appear as if it consisted of only three large stories.

If the exterior of the clubhouse provides a sense of grandeur, the interiors we designed to be opulent without being ostentatious. Among the grandest spaces in the clubhouse are the Main Dining Room and the Council Room on the seventh floor. The former is the largest single room in the clubhouse, measuring 136 feet long, 34 feet wide and 33 feet high. The wall is almost completely paneled in oak, with pilasters and two screens of columns, which separate alcoves at either end of the room. The overall room is based on Venetian precedent, though no specific example can be cited. Round panels on the north side of the room bear depictions of the six oldest colleges and universities in the United States, executed on commission by American artist Allyn Cox.

The Council Room is a beautiful gem located in the northeast corner of the seventh floor. The rich paneling of the room is Italian walnut with Doric pilasters. The ceiling's color scheme of white figures against a blue background, and the central panel depicting Aurora, goddess of dawn (and two angels supporting the seal of The University Club) were executed by H. Siddons Mowbray, who was also responsible for the remarkable decorations to the ceiling of the Club's fine Library on the fourth floor.

Among the other special features of the clubhouse are the Library, the Percy S. Douglas Reading Room, the Theodore Dwight Lounge and Dining Room, College Hall and the richly-paneled private dining rooms on the seventh and ninth floors. The University Club is an official New York City landmark, and is listed on the National Register of Historic Places.

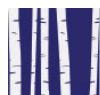


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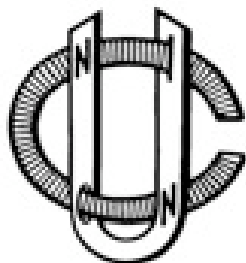
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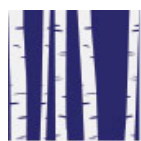
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