

# 2017 USTA MAS HIGH SCHOOL TENNIS COACHES WORKSHOP

**MID-ATLANTIC** 

# WHEN

**Saturday, February 4, 2017 9 a.m.–4 p.m.** (Featuring five 45-minute sessions)

# WHERE

N.E. Regional Rec Center, 7501 Oakleigh Road, Parkville, MD

# INFO

\$40/person covers all on-court and classroom sessions, light breakfast, lunch, door prizes, and a 4-month subscription to HighSchoolTennisCoach.com

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https://tinyurl.com/H-S-Workshop17

### FEATURED PRESENTERS

Kirk Anderson, Easily Handle Large Teams on a Few Courts

Kirk is the Department Director for Coach Education at the United States Tennis Association. He is certified by the Professional Tennis Registry (PTR) and the United States Professional Tennis Association (USPTA), and he is one of 11 people in the world to hold the Master Professional classification from both teaching. Anderson has directed on-court workshops for 100,000 participants and online courses for over 70,000 participants. He recently conducted two online courses for high school coaches, one with the National Federation of High School Associations and the second with the USTA. Kirk has been honored with a merit award from the International Tennis Hall of Fame in 2003 and as Person of the Year by Racquet Sports Industry in 2006, PTR in 2012, and USPTA in 2016.

## Larry Karageanas, DOUBLES, DOUBLES, DOUBLES - Drills and Games

Larry is the Director of Club & Resort Tennis Services. In addition to hosting and managing Highschooltenniscoach.com, Club and Resort tennis services provides resources for coaches, teaching professionals, and players. Larry is a member of PTR and USPTA and conducts seminars and courses for both organizations. He is a 30 year veteran of the tennis industry working at two of the top 50 resorts and one of the top sports camps. In addition, he has coached high school tennis at both a public and private schools. Currently he teaches at Hollow Rock Racquet & Swim Club in Durham, NC. Larry has developed new products for the tennis industry, most recently the BATT (Big Absorbent Tennis Towel) to dry hard tennis courts.

### **Steve Keller**, Stroke Issues and Solutions

Steve is the Director of Education for the Professional Tennis Registry. He is responsible for the education direction and content for the four certification pathways and Master of Tennis programs. He administers clinicians' training to ensure continuity of content and serves as the National liaison to the USTA Coaching Education department. Previously he spent 18 years with the Van der Meer organization. Steve recently became the second person to conduct education and certification offerings in all 50 states. He earned the National USTA/PTR Public Service Award in 1996.

Ellen Miller, Novice Tennis 101: Best Ways to Improve Beginner Players

Ellen is a Senior Coach and Director at Giammalva Racquet Club and high performance coach for Giammalva Elite Academy in Houston, Texas. She also serves as a National Faculty Coach for USTA Player Development as part of their Coach Youth Tennis Initiative. As Senior Coach and Director, Ellen manages and directs 8 & Under Red Ball Tennis, the Junior High & HS group, and the Summer Sports camp. She is known for her work as a 10 and Under coach, serving as a frequent presenter of 10 and Under workshops. Prior to coaching USTA Early Development Camps (EDCs) for the Texas section she served as the EDC coach for the Mid-Atlantic Section. Her continuing work with junior high and high school players have allowed her to develop new techniques and refine coaching strategies to drastically improve player's ability to perform.

**Bonnie Vona**, *Bridging the Gap: Using H.S. Play to Build a USTA Ranking For College Recruiting*Bonnie Vona is the Senior Manager of Junior Competition and Player Development for USTA Mid-Atlantic Section. Bonnie started as a volunteer for a local tennis organization in Texas and grew that interest into a fulltime position with USTA. As a mother of a former High School player who competed in USTA events and went on to play DIII College tennis, Bonnie wants all players to have access to the tools that increase their tennis opportunities. Bonnie was named the 2013 ITA/USTA Collegiate Varsity Performer of the Year. Under her guidance, USTA Player Development named Mid-Atlantic the USTA Player Development Section of the Year in 2015.

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