



BASELINE BUZZ

THE OFFICIAL TTC NEWS FEED

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BP SLAMMERS THE TOP DOGS AFTER HIGH-OCTANE TPTL XI

BP Slammers, powered by Compunet Digital, won the 11th edition of TPTL in style on India's Republic Day anniversary. After an intense final that was more closely fought than what the scores suggest, BP Slammers fought off the challenge of TVS Kathir to lift the trophy

for the first time. They survived marquee Sanjai Kumar's absence for the initial two matches to outsmart more favoured teams, Thomson Super Kings in the semi finals, and TVS Kathir in the final. Sherief A was their star performer, winning all his matches.



The winners BP Slammers with the trophy



P Prakash, IPS, IGP, was Chief guest at the finale



Runners-up TVS Kathir



Bineesh B, MVP



DOSCOS, who finished 3rd



Transport Commissioner Nagaraju Chakilam IPS was Chief Guest at the event inauguration and hoisting of team flags



TTC GETS TO HOST ITF MT 400 FOR FIRST TIME

The International Tennis Federation has elevated the Masters event at TTC to MT 400, marking a first for the Club! It's the only 400-grade event in South India this year, offering players a jackpot of ranking points and prize money. Expect a whirlwind of action as about 150 senior players, from 30+ to 75+, hit the courts over six exciting days. For local hopefuls there's a special help desk to guide them through the IPIN registration maze!

TTC-ITF MASTERS TENNIS CHAMPIONSHIP MT-400

(Trivandrum, Kerala)

FEBRUARY 7th to 12th 2026

Conducted by
The Trivandrum Tennis Club
www.trivandrumtennisclub.com

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Gedrej, IBS, Spark Capital & INKEL

Under the auspices of
ITF (International Tennis Federation)
AITA (All India Tennis Association)
KTA (Kerala Tennis Association)
TSTA (Trivandrum District Tennis Association)

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Venue: Trivandrum Tennis Club, Kowdiar, Thiruvananthapuram 695003

Events:
Men & Women 30+ to 75+

Singles & Doubles

- Players can enter 2 doubles and 1 singles
- ITF approved balls
- Umpires & Ball boys for all matches.
- Doctor & Physio on call.
- Scoring format-Best of 3 sets, Match tie break (super) at one set all.

Entries now open on ITF website
Valid 2026 IPIN (ITF) and AITA registration mandatory

Registration fees:
Rs. 4000/- per player, IPIN fees to be paid directly to ITF at the time of registration.
(All events will be played on clubs Clay and Synthetic courts)
To be Paid online latest by 2nd February 2026

Prize money of Rs. 1,50,000
(Also earn Trophies, ITF points and lots of new friends)

Hospitality
Welcome gift, Complimentary Breakfast, Lunch and High Tea, Drinking water and Tennis balls available throughout the day. Entertainment evening with dinner scheduled for 9th February

Tournament Director
Sudeep K.V. (Ph: 9544744700)
To join the Tournament Whatsapp group

STAR OF THE MONTH SOMI ENTHRALLS WOMEN'S FORUM

The 80-member TTC Women's Forum chose the talented artist Dr Somayye Jesudas (Somi) as its Star of the Month for January after a display at Kallarackal Hall of her carpet design creations and art work, and a presentation on Iran's culture, cuisine and people. She kept her fellow WF members enthralled with her own personal story of coming to India for her higher studies, her journey through MPhil and PhD before settling in Trivandrum. Her thesis on Influences of Mughal Carpet designs on Southern Indian crafts was accepted by the Dept of Archaeology, University of Kerala in 2022. Somi is also currently learning tennis.



GREAT ADVT OPPORTUNITY

A spanking new TTC Members' Directory is hitting the scene mid-February with a thousand shiny printed copies. Terrific chance for advertisers to strut their stuff. Check out those wallet-friendly ad rates below. Business moguls in our midst, and your savvy pals, don't miss out on this bonanza!

EMPOWERING SPECIALLY ABLED KIDS WITH PHYSICAL WELLNESS

Swing2Success, a Houston-based charitable organization that aims to empower kids of all abilities through tennis and movement, has been supporting tennis-based programs and clinics, similar to our Community Tennis program, for underserved children. Founders Rehan and Zoha visited TTC this month to spend some time with the specially abled children who have been enjoying their weekly session of fun tennis and exercises at our Club since 2022. They distributed sweets, gifts and T shirts and participated in the exercises with the children.



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before a Distinguished Audience

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