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QS Tennis Time Summer Camp Thrives and Grows

Charlottesville, Virginia (6/29/2017) – QuickStart Tennis of Central Virginia, Inc. (QCV) is pleased to report QS Tennis Time in Farmville recently completed its summer camp for the fifth year, and this year's class was bigger than ever. Twenty-eight students participated in the weeklong camp held at the Fuqua School, 20 in the gym with 10-and-under QuickStart instruction and eight older students (former QuickStart kids) on the outdoor tennis courts. QS Tennis Time founder and Camp Director Billy Rutherford was assisted this year by Murrie Bates, former head coach at Hampden-Sydney, Rob Bareford, current Hampden-Sydney head coach, Pierre Tafelski, Men's head coach at Longwood University, Toni Puckett, girls varsity coach at the Fuqua School, and community volunteers Gretchen Bates, Tracey Carilli, Monica Coleman, Howard Estes and Elizabeth Rutherford.



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QCV QuickStart Coordinator Lynda Harrill says, "We love working with Billy Rutherford. He is what every community tennis volunteer should be. He's passionate and totally understands how impactful tennis can be in the lives of kids. He has created a terrific

program for the kids in Prince Edward County, and we are so happy to see it thriving and growing. We are already looking forward to next year's camp."

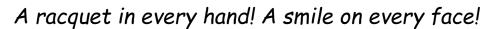
QuickStart Tennis of Central Virginia is an all-volunteer, grassroots Community Tennis Association established in 2009 as a 501(c)(3) charitable organization to promote, develop and grow QuickStart Tennis in the heart of Virginia for all beginners, especially underserved youth, using the kid-sized QuickStart Tennis format.

QCV's service area includes Albemarle, Amelia, Appomattox, Brunswick, Buckingham, Charlotte, Culpeper, Cumberland, Dinwiddie, Fluvanna, Franklin, Greene, Greensville, Halifax, Henry, Louisa, Lunenburg, Madison, Mecklenburg, Nelson, Nottoway, Orange, Patrick, Pittsylvania, Prince Edward, Powhatan and Rappahannock counties and the cities of Charlottesville, Danville and Martinsville, We currently serve 205 schools with 94,000 kids, 13 parks & recreation departments, three Boys & Girls Clubs and two YMCAs in 27 counties and three independent cities. We have also gotten tennis into PE classes in 30 additional schools with 14,000 students in southwestern and eastern central Virginia as part of the Mid-Atlantic Supercharge School Tennis Task Force.

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