

Jump Start QuickStart Tennis Patrick County *** Update -- November 2017 ***

Hard to believe it has been 15 months since we kicked off *Jump Start QuickStart* in Patrick County at a training session at Patrick County High School. Our *Jump Start* model is train, equip and support. We initially set a goal of three years to raise funds to purchase equipment for Patrick County public schools. At this point, we have equipped <u>all but one school</u>.

WE KEEP SCORE!

- 17 individuals trained in Patrick County
- Patrick Springs Primary equipped in August 2016 (Titmus Foundation)
- Stuart Elementary equipped in October 2016 (USTA Mid-Atlantic)
- Woolwine Elementary equipped in October 2016 (USTA Mid-Atlantic)
- BrightSTARS Tennis for Me!, a tennis and nutrition immersion format we designed specifically
 for four-year-olds in Virginia Preschool Initiative classes, implemented at Meadows of Dan
 Elementary and Patrick Springs Primary. Schools equipped in March 2017 (Martinsville Area
 Community Foundation)
- Blue Ridge and Hardin Reynolds equipped in November 2017 (Martinsville Area Community Foundation)

PRIMARY IMPACT

• 1,400+ students in Patrick County schools can learn tennis in PE classes

ONLY ONE SCHOOL LEFT TO EQUIP!

• We still need to equip PE classes at Meadows of Dan Elementary School. It will cost ~\$800 to buy racquets, balls, portable nets and a USTA curriculum kit.

If you can help us equip the <u>last school in Patrick County</u>, please call Lynda Harrill at 434-244-9644 or email: <u>quickstartcentral@comcast.net</u>

