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QCV Goes Bananas at Albemarle County Summer Tennis Camp

Charlottesville, Virginia (6/15/2016) – QuickStart Tennis of Central Virginia ([QCV](#)) is pleased to report the 24 kids at the first session of Albemarle County Parks & Recreation’s SuperStarters Sports Tennis Camps were thrilled to Go Bananas for QuickStart! QCV QuickStart Coordinator Lynda Harrill was there to help kick off the summer sessions at Western Albemarle High School (WAHS). All 24 kids were given a Go Bananas! bracelet and poster card as well as Go Bananas! cards for bananas, cucumbers, tennis-ball lettuce, balanced meals and warm-up/cool-down. As a bonus, they received a photo of the 2016 NCAA Champion UVa Men’s Tennis Team and recorded a U-V-A video cheer to be sent to Head Coach Brian Boland. Coach Boland, his assistant coaches and the whole UVa team are great supporters of QuickStart Tennis and terrific role models for kids. Camps at WAHS run for two more weeks before they move to Darden Towe Park for another three weeks. Kids four to 12 are eligible to participate.



Harrill says, “Coach E [Ellen Markowitz] and her SuperStarters Sports staff do a wonderful job with kids for Albemarle County Parks & Rec. It’s always a pleasure to visit SuperStarters summer camps and after-school programs. This was just the second day of camp and these kids already were totally into tennis. That’s what we love to see.”

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, Greenville, 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 now serve 182 schools with 87,000 kids, twelve 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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