

The TAGteach Approach to Transforming Your Instructor

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TAGteach & Tennis



KA-BOOM!! (Ah-Ha)

Coach Mark

Example of TAGteach I used with a high school student to change loading on two legs, which didn't promote full rotation, to loading on the left leg. Tag point: "Load Left". Next step loading on their back right leg then transfer the weight forward to the left leg as they served.

We added the tag, "load right" (back-chaining)

Result:

The student has added about 20MPH to his serve as a result – it definitely left the student in a more balanced and forward position after his serve as the point starts.

KA-BOOM !!!

It's Starts With One



Come with me as I share the
journey...

TAGteach Journey

- Clicker Trainer since 1998, Kay Lawrence
- Attended TAGteach sessions at many Clicker Expos
- 2008 Completed KPA with TAGteach component.
- 2010 Completed the TAGteach Online course
- Many Live Seminars and earned Level 1&2&3



Think Spot

- Owner of Think Spot www.thinkspotdogs.com
- TAGteach Faculty
- Teach courses at 3 local community colleges
- Professional Service Dog Trainer
- Co-host It's Raining Cats and Dogs on KIRO Radio
- Coach Special needs tennis players 6 yrs
- Pet Loss & Grief Companionship Coach

A Perfect Match (pun intended)



Reaching The Coaches Mind



"Pryor's knowledge of the differing capacities of various species, of their emotional and sensory processes and their exploitability, of how this information can be exploited in relationship to humans, are underlying factors that most other books on the subject ignore." —IRENE W. PEPPERBERG, AUTHOR OF *ALEX & ME*

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BEST TRAINING
MANUAL 2009

Reaching the Animal Mind Karen Pryor

WITH BONUS MATERIAL!

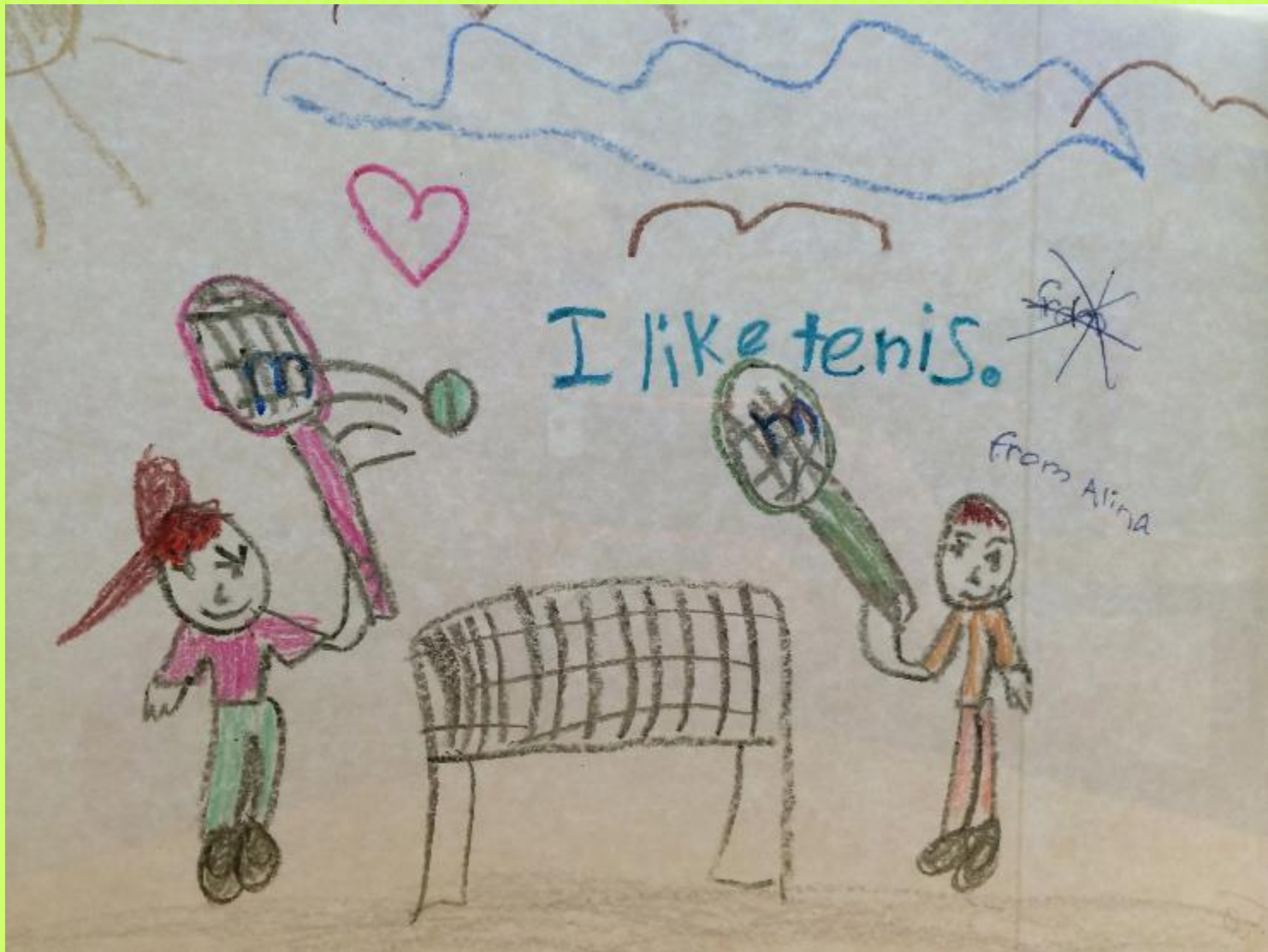
Clicker Training
and What It
Teaches Us
about All Animals



E-Harmony and Tennis

- Moved to Seattle in 2007, Joined E-Harmony 2008
- Dated a tennis enthusiast and fell in love...
- With Tennis
- The guy...
- History 😊





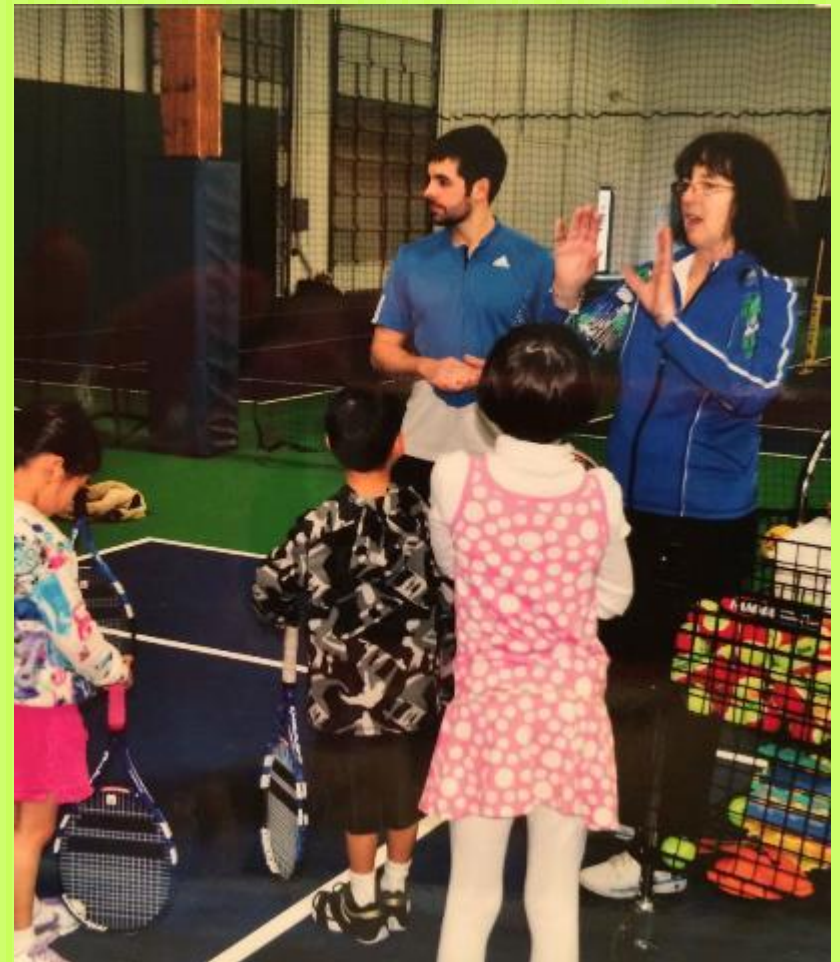
When Time and Precision count...TAGteach

TAGteach & Gardening?

- Find the right soil
- Prepare the soil
- Plant the seeds
- Tending the seeds
- Watering and weeding
- Harvest Success
- Future Planting



Find the Right Soil (coach) & Prepare

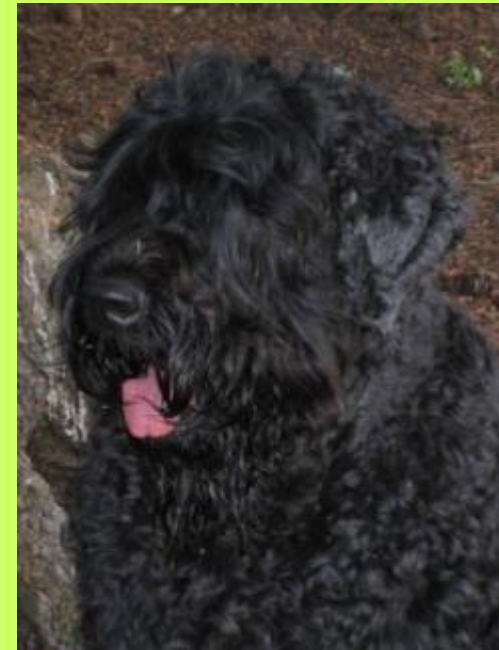


Coach Mark & Planting

Planting TAGteach seeds



Pirate Serves An Ace
KA-BOOM





I LIKE TO HIT THINGS

Planting: Tennis Club Member

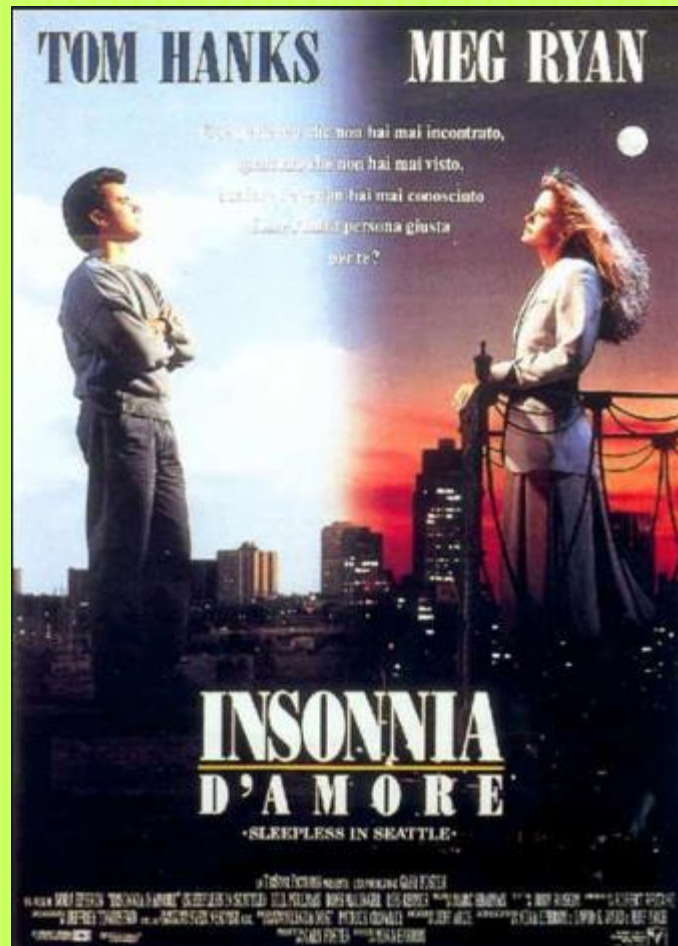


Tennis Club Member

Exploring Peer Tagging



Coachless in Seattle...again



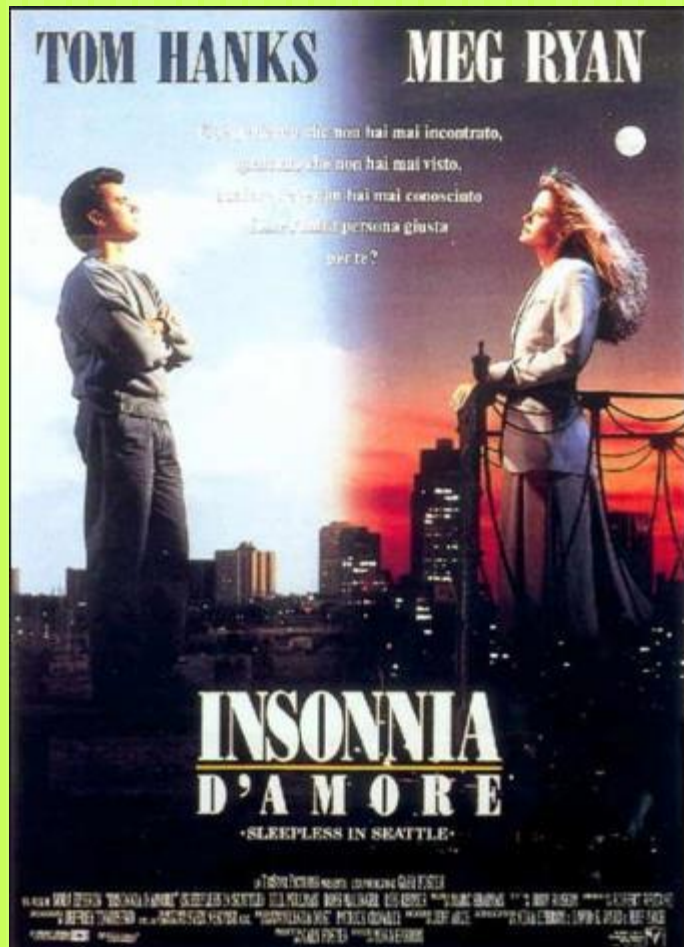
Tennis With A Mission



Soil, Plant, Water...Repeat. Coach #3



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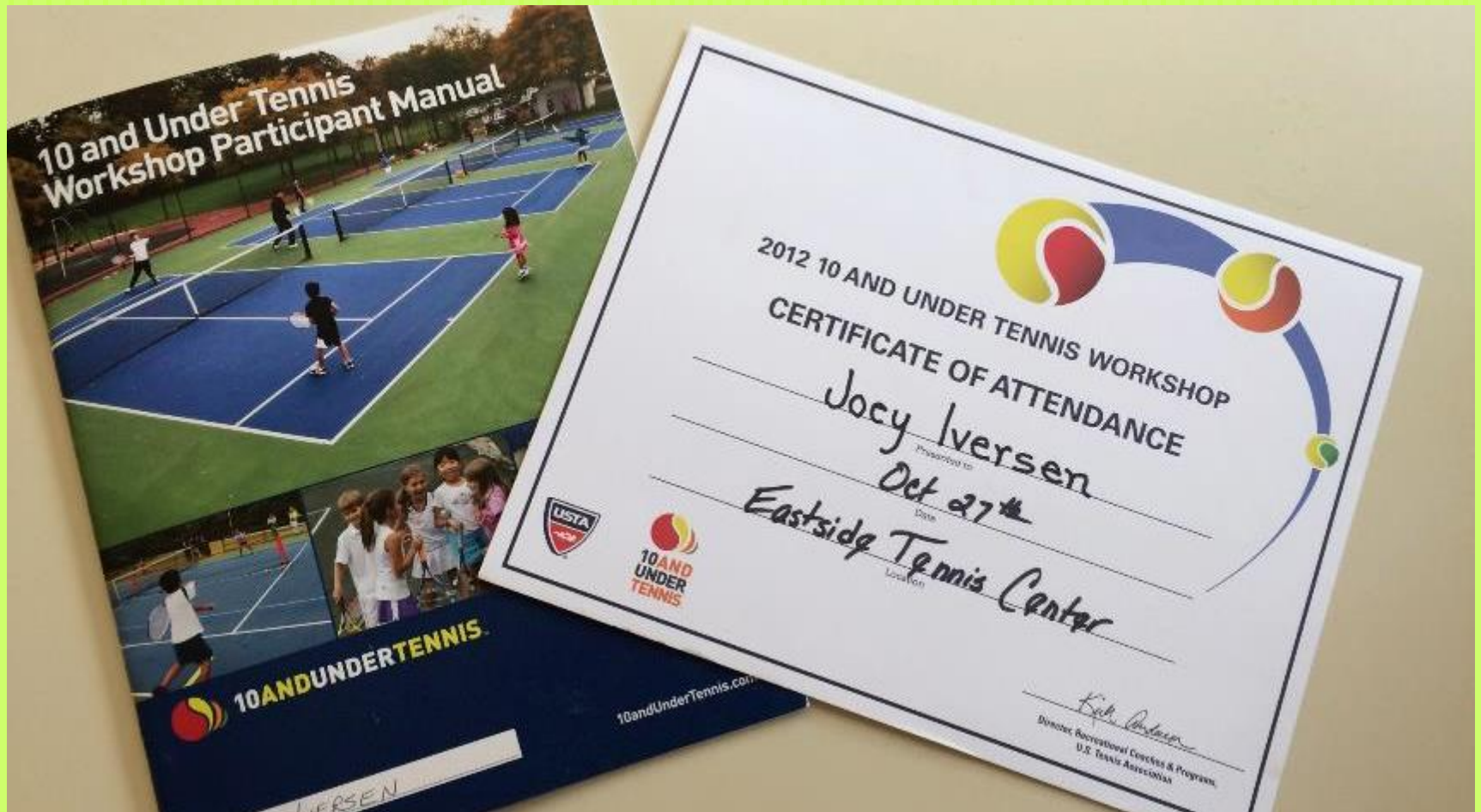


Tending: Service Ace - Volunteering



Connect with the Director

Tending the seeds planted



Watering & Weeding & Waiting

- Respect your coach/instructor
- Be on time
- Be helpful
- Be teachable
- Attitude
- Be Fun
- Be their favorite client



Teach Me My Way

- Reverse of most TAGteach relationships
- Hey Coach...
- I would like you to coach me and improve my skills
- And oh by the way...
- Could you try to do it like this!!



TAGteach Ignited - KA-BOOM



Habit Excellence

We are what we repeatedly do.
Excellence, then, is not an act, but a
Habit.

— ARISTOTLE

Coyle, Daniel (2012-08-21). The Little Book of Talent: 52 Tips for Improving Your Skills. Random House Publishing Group. Kindle Edition.

The brilliance and power of TAGteach creates
not just habit but Habit Excellent

-Joey

Calling All Coaches



Weeding for Hurdles?



The Lesson

- Coaches Have Their
- Hands Full...



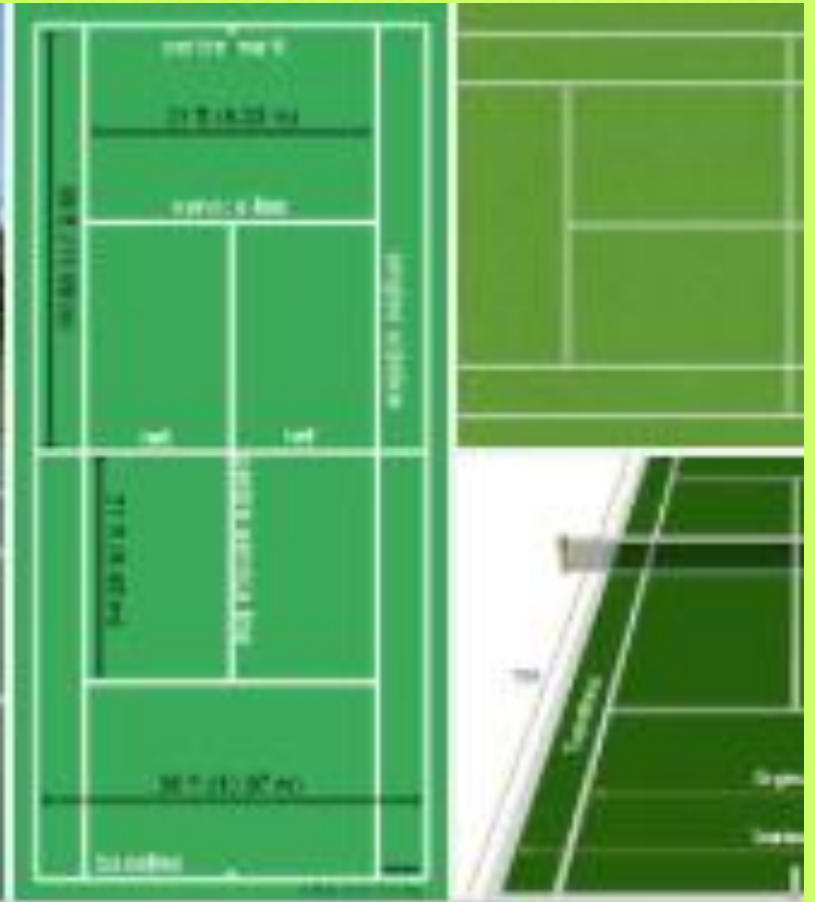


Solution: EZ Click Clicker Harness



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Hello Hello Hello





USING A BALL MACHINE

Volley Practice

Peer tagging in Group Lessons



Peer tagging in group lessons



Exchange taggers



Incorporating Parents



Parent Taggers

**TAGteach Tennis
Coach Grant talks about
the success of enlisting
parents as taggers in his
lessons using TAGteach.**



TAGteach: Coach Grant relate successes

TAGteach Tennis Future

- Reach Coaches through **Unites States Professional Tennis Association (USPTA)** at PNW conference
- Educate Coaching Staff at ETC
- Incorporating TAGteach in Youth Curriculum
- Involving Parents as taggers with players
- Developing the special needs instruction incorporating TAGteach in curriculum.
- Developing on the TAGteach in training and procedures at Eastside Animal Hospital.

TAGteach in the Youth Curriculum



TAGteach Tennis Future

Special Needs Program



Special Needs Tennis Program

- The Wranglers going for 6 year. Success!
- Second group starting this Fall.
- 2 coaches 6 players
- Therapist attends with each player
- Team meeting for Therapists and parents
- TAGteach training for ETC staff

Reaching the Coaches Mind...Plant

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- Build the relationship
- Find the connection
- Volunteer/Serve
- Be Energizing/Obstacles
- Celebrate
- Dream & Create



TAGteach Tennis Ignited



Thank You KA-BOOM

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