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JOHN PAGE_

John is a graduate from Liberty University where he played on the Flames Club Tennis Team. John puts an emphasis on mindset, focusing on players' ground stroke timing, a critical part of his one-hander. John is

patient and likes working with all skill levels. In his free time, John enjoys watching the Ravens, Spartan Races, and paddleboarding. \$75/hour (Staff)



KENNETH KILGORE

Kenneth is a PTR certified pro from Cincinnati, Ohio. Playing at all levels from middle school up to college level until eventually helping found the club tennis program at Northern Kentucky University, where he graduated with a Bachelor's **Degree in International Business. Kenneth**

specializes in looking to find one or two small changes in a lesson with the goal always to be "1% less worse". If you are looking for a kind, patient, goal-oriented pro, Kenneth is your guy. His hobbies include playing soccer/basketball, going to live music shows with his favorites being Anderson Paak or Thundercat, and trying out new local delis. \$70/hour (Staff)



CHRIS FOGLIA _____

Chris Foglia is a USPTA Elite Tennis and **Pickleball Teaching Professional who** comes to the GTC from Lighthouse Point, Florida, where he taught at the **Lighthouse Point Tennis Center and** Hillsboro Club. Chris was a baseball college athlete who picked up

a tennis racket and fell in love with the game. So if you want a pro who is versatile in tennis and pickleball, Chris is your pro. He enjoys any & all outdoor adventures! \$75/hr (Staff)



BRENDEN SULLINGER.....

Brenden decided to hit his first tennis ball at the age of 14. He then decided to on to play for Colorado State University-Pueblo. His style primarily focuses on winning points through efficiency. He has

worked for Hitman Sports Management for a whopping 10 years! When Brenden is not at the courts (he's always here), he enjoys listening to live music and loves animals. \$75/hour (Staff)



GEORGE FERGUSON __

George comes to Gates by way of Havre, Montana. He has spent the last 20 years as one of the most successful high school tennis coaches in the Treasure State. George was recently named a finalist for the NHSACA National Tennis Coach of the year for 2023. As a teaching pro, George

excels in teaching fundamentals and strategy to all skill levels, as well having vast experience working with juniors and with group lessons. Off the tennis court, George is a dedicated hiker, loves the outdoors, and is an avid golfer, having also coached high school golf for four years. He is excited to be a part of the Gates team and the Denver scene. \$70/hour (Staff)



AARON GAMBRELL _

Aaron has been playing tennis ever since he was 8 years old and has fallen in love with it ever since. Originally from Lindale, TX, Aaron started his career out by reaching the highest level a junior can receive at the age of 17 in

Texas which is classified as a Super Champ. In the years following he brought three district championships home for his high school team in doubles. Aaron played tennis for the University of The Ozarks, at top spots on the lineup for singles and doubles, was nominated for athlete of the year in his conference, and even had the most wins on the team overall in the year 2022. In his free time Aaron enjoys concerts, hiking, and baseball. \$65/hour (Staff)



PAT KIM_

Pat grew up in Columbus, Ohio (though he is not an Ohio State fan). He played varsity lacrosse while in undergrad at Kenyon College before moving to NYC for work and to complete his MBA at NYU Stern. While in NYC, Pat fell in love with all things tennis after watching Nadal and Federer

live at the US Open. As a coach, Pat believes anyone can learn and have fun playing tennis or pickleball. He enjoys working with players of all ages and skill ranges--so whether you're just learning the basics or looking for a hitting partner to run around with for hours, Pat is your pro. Off the court, you may find Pat stringing tennis racquets, working the desk at Gates, looking for continue his passion competitively and go new Denver restaurants, or asking for good movie recommendations. \$65/hour (Staff)

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COLE CATES _

Cole is from Woodstock, GA and found his love for tennis from watching an old Andre Agassi and a young Novak Djokovic at the 2006 US Open. He grew up playing competitively in tournaments across the Southeast, and was at one point Top 5 in Georgia and Top 50 in the South. He played

on scholarship for the Men's Tennis Team at Young Harris College, a small DII school in the Blue Ridge Mountains of Georgia, and later transferred and graduated from The University of Georgia (Go Dawgs!!!). Cole can help with any level and anything you want to improve in your game. He really enjoys working with intermediate to high level players, but also enjoys teaching at a beginner level to make sure you get your game off on the right foot. If you're looking to improve and understand the game better, Cole is the coach for you. \$70/hr (Staff)



REBEKA MARTANCIKOVA _

Rebeka was born in Slovakia & started playing tennis when she was 6 in her hometown, Liptovsky Mikulas. Here in Colorado, she was third in the Candy Cup Women's Open and second in the Colorado State Open. At a point she realized she enjoys coaching even more than playing

matches. She is very excited to continue her coaching career here in Colorado and looks forward to showing people new techniques of training she used in Europe! \$70/hour (Staff)



SARAH MEGILLIGAN_

Sarah is originally from Pueblo, Colorado where she taught all ages & all levels. She moved north to continue her coaching career in the Mile High City. Sarah competed at the collegiate level from 2016 to 2020 in the 1st doubles and 2nd singles positions at Colorado State

University-Pueblo. While on the court Sarah likes to focus on stroke techniques and cues, singles and doubles strategy, movement/footwork, and overall having fun. When off court Sarah spends her time running, hiking, photography/videography, and staying curious by learning new things. \$70/hour (Staff)



MILES DEMPSEY ____

Miles is from Denver, Colorado, where he grew up as a three-sport athlete. He ultimately found his passion in tennis. Miles played four years at the University of Wisconsin-Superior. During his tenure they won three conference championships. Miles

also works as a personal trainer and is currently pursuing his Certified Strength and Conditioning Specialist certification to help athletes achieve their goals. Whether you just want to break a nice sweat or dive into the intricacies of tennis, Miles is your guy. \$65/hr (Staff)



CAITLIN FLUEGGE_

Caitlin Fluegge was born and raised in Phoenix, Arizona. She settled on tennis during her high school career and ended up being a top player in the Southwest. Caitlin played Division 1 tennis at CSU from 2007-2011 where she competed at the number 1 position in singles and doubles her senior

year. When not playing tennis, Caitlin loves to practice Reiki, Rahanni, write, paint, travel, try new food places, and spend time with friends and family. \$75/hr (Staff)



RICK ESCOBEDO __

Rick is a junior pro specialist, starting as early as 5 years old. Originally from Roswell, New Mexico, he played high school tennis and many years in league tennis. He understands the importance of teaching kids and adults the fundamentals of the game, along with general core beliefs of

being an athlete. Keeping his lessons fun and exciting he applies "Teaching for Transfer" which allows students to draw from other sports they are involved in to help cross train and apply to tennis. Rick has spent 17 seasons at Keystone working as a ski instructor and lead trainer. If you are hitting the slopes, keep your eye out for him! Consider Rick for the junior or adult player in your family. " \$60/hr (Staff)

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