Four Honored at 2026 USTA North Carolina Awards

USTA/NC's Community Development Workshop was held on September 25-26, 2026 at the Grandover Resort, Greensboro, NC. This fun and impactful event concluded its amazing weekend by honoring local Community Tennis Association leaders and organizations across North Carolina.

Congratulations to the four honorees from the Durham area below. See photo highlights.

Member Organization of the Year – NC Central University Tennis Program
Curtis D. Lawson, Head Tennis Coach

USTA NC Diversity Outreach and Inclusion Award – Adrianne Charleston

League Volunteer Service Award – Mary Long

USTA League Captain of the Year – Yolanda Deaver

The USTA/NC Community Development Workshop is an event designed for community tennis associations (CTAs) and volunteers to enhance their skills in various aspects of tennis program management, including marketing, organizational strategies, and community engagement. This event builds connections and promotes the growth of tennis.

Mark your calendar:
The next event is USTA/NC Tennis Weekend at the Ballantye Hotel in Charlotte on the weekend of January 29. Details to come: www.nctennis.com.