

GEICO

CHAMPIONS CELEBRATION

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Saluting 20 Years of JTCC Excellence



KEN BRODY
JTCC Founder



MARY CARILLO
Renowned Broadcaster

THURSDAY, MAY 2 6:15 PM

RECEPTION AND DINNER AT
COLUMBIA COUNTRY CLUB

7900 CONNECTICUT AVENUE NW, CHEVY CHASE, MD

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GAME ON!

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Event Overview

“Saluting 20 Years of JTCC Excellence,” the 2019 GEICO Champions Celebration will honor JTCC founder and visionary Ken Brody and renowned sports broadcaster and former WTA star Mary Carillo.

JTCC’s major annual fundraiser benefits G EICO Game On!, the organization’s widely acclaimed community outreach initiative.

This year the gala is being held at Columbia Country Club with cocktails at the tennis courts showcasing JTCC's "stars of tomorrow" kicking off the evening followed by dinner and presentation of the honorees in the ballroom. The intention for the evening is to keep the vibe upbeat, speeches short, and the food abundant!



Game On!

More than 3,000 underserved youth from the District of Columbia have been introduced to tennis and received academic support through the proceeds from the Champions Celebration, which has been supported by GEICO since 2009 when Game On! was launched.

JTCC student athletes, coaches and teachers travel to Washington, DC schools and recreation centers to instruct, inspire, and mentor new young tennis players. Motivated participants who demonstrate strong work ethic and determination are identified from the 20 Game On! sites and are offered scholarships to join JTCC’s training program in College Park at no cost to the child.

JTCC Mission

JTCC is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit committed to transforming lives through tennis. JTCC offers a comprehensive pathway of tennis and academics for youth of all ages and abilities to maximize their potential with the goal of earning scholarships to leading colleges and universities.



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Meet the Honorees



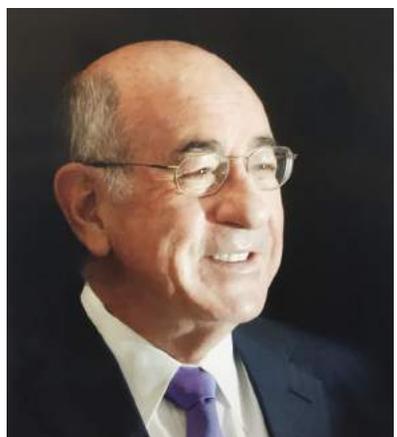
Mary Carillo

It is an understatement to say that Mary Carillo is one of the most respected announcers in the world of sport. One of only six women inducted into the International Sports Broadcasters Hall of Fame, Carillo launched her broadcasting career in tennis in 1980 and has since covered 14 Winter & Summer Olympic Games, among her varied assignments working for CBS, ESPN, and NBC.

As a player, Carillo reached #33 in the WTA singles rankings and is a former Grand Slam mixed doubles champion, winning the 1977 French Open with childhood friend and fellow commentator John McEnroe. With

her personal experience on court, Carillo has offered candid and thoughtful analysis that has earned her a number of well-deserved accolades included being recognized on four occasions as the 'Best Commentator' by Tennis Magazine (1988-1991) and twice receiving the 'Broadcaster of the Year' award from the WTA (1981 and 1985).

In addition to covering live sports events—including the annual Westminster Dog Show (which she declares is one of her favorite events), Carillo has been a correspondent on HBO's "Real Sports With Bryant Gumbel" for more than 20 years.



Ken Brody

Ken Brody is a true visionary and a passionate believer in how the benefits of tennis can extend far beyond the court. His conviction in the life changing power of the sport led to an intense focus on building a world-class tennis facility to house a junior tennis training program. In 1999, JTCC opened its doors to the first class of student-athletes who received financial aid as needed and who were provided mentoring and a first-class education. Over the past 20 years more than 250 graduates have earned places at leading colleges and universities across the nation.

Brody was not only instrumental in founding JTCC, but he continued his involvement in the growth and evolution of the programs while serving as Chairman of the Board until 2018.

An alumnus of the University of Maryland and Harvard Business School, Brody pursued a professional career in finance that has included being a partner and member of the Management Committee of Goldman Sachs, Chairman and President of the Export-Import Bank of the United States, and a co-founder of Taconic Capital, a hedge fund headquartered in New York.

Brody's son, Charlie, who was one of the first students to train at JTCC, is now an active member of the organization's Board of Directors determined to build on his father's peerless legacy.

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Event Schedule

Wednesday, May 1, 2019

7:00 - 9:00 pm

VIP Dinner with Honorees

Private Residence in Washington, DC



Thursday, May 2, 2019

10:00 am - 12:00 pm

VIP Clinic

JTCC, 5200 Campus Drive, College Park, MD 20740

Former World No. 3 and Grand Slam Doubles Champion **Brian Gottfried**, honoree **Mary Carillo**, and JTCC Senior Director of Tennis **Vesa Ponkka**, host a private VIP clinic at JTCC from 10:00 am to noon followed by a luncheon and Q&A session.



6:30 - 9:00 pm

GEICO Champions Reception and Dinner

Columbia Country Club

7900 Connecticut Ave. NW, Chevy Chase, MD 20815

Cocktails on the tennis patio while viewing some of JTCC's up and coming players in action followed by dinner and program honoring **Ken Brody** and **Mary Carillo** in the ballroom. Dress is jackets and no ties.



No tickets, guest list at the door. Valet parking available outside the front door of the club. Cell phone calls are not permitted.

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\$15,000 – Presenting Sponsor

- Name included in title of event (GEICO Champions Celebration Presented by _____)
- Industry category exclusivity and signage at JTCC for one year
- One table of 10 guests at GEICO Champions Celebration
- Six courtside US Open box seats to a mutually agreed upon first week session (Aug 26 - 30)
- Six loge US Open box seats to a mutually agreed upon first week session (Aug 26 - 30)
- Four spots in VIP Clinic
- Four invitations to VIP dinner with Brian Gottfried and Honorees on Wednesday, May 1
- One year JTCC Corporate Membership
- Full page ad in program
- 10 private lessons with JTCC Senior Professionals
- Tennis equipment and apparel (\$1,000 value)

\$10,000 – Platinum Sponsor

- Six tickets to GEICO Champions Celebration
- Six courtside US Open box seats to a mutually agreed upon first week session (Aug 26 - 30)
- Six loge US Open box seats to a mutually agreed upon first week session (Aug 26 - 30)
- Four spots in VIP Clinic
- Four invitations to VIP dinner with Brian Gottfried and Honorees on Wednesday, May 1
- One year JTCC Family Membership
- Full page ad in program
- Five private lessons with JTCC Senior Professionals
- Tennis equipment and apparel (\$750 value)

\$7,500 – Gold Sponsor

- Four tickets to GEICO Champions Celebration
- Four courtside US Open box seats to a mutually agreed upon first week session (Aug 26 - 30)
- Four loge US Open box seats to a mutually agreed upon first week session (Aug 26 - 30)
- Three spots in VIP Clinic
- Two invitations to VIP dinner with Brian Gottfried and Honorees on Wednesday, May 1
- Half page ad in program
- Tennis equipment and apparel (\$500 value)

\$5,000 – Silver Sponsor

- Four tickets to GEICO Champions Celebration
- Two courtside US Open box seats to a mutually agreed upon first week session (Aug 26 - 30)
- Two loge US Open box seats to a mutually agreed upon first week session (Aug 26 - 30)
- Two spots in VIP Clinic
- Two invitations to VIP dinner with Brian Gottfried and Honorees on Wednesday, May 1
- Quarter page ad in program
- Tennis equipment and apparel (\$300 value)

\$2,500 – Champion Sponsor

- Two tickets to GEICO Champions Celebration
- Two loge US Open box seats to a mutually agreed upon first week session (Aug 26 - 30)
- Two spots in VIP Clinic
- Recognition in program
- One tennis racquet (\$200 value)

\$400 – Individual Ticket(s) Number of ticket(s) _____

I am unable to attend, but I would like to donate _____

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Registration Information

Name/Company _____ Phone _____ Email _____

Address _____ State _____ Zip _____

Online - visit www.jtcc.org/donate

Check - payable to "JTCC"

Credit Card - complete information below

Visa Mastercard American Express Discover

Credit Card Number _____ Expiration Date _____

Name on Card _____ Signature _____

Guest Names

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Please complete registration form
and mail to JTCC or email whopton@jtcc.org

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