



CLUBE TÊNIS DO PORTO

Host of the Porto Open in 2010 and 2011

- 1968** – January – Founded the Clube de Ténis do Porto
- 1970/1971** – Progressive development of tennis thanks to the construction of three more courts and the hiring of a trainee coach – the Australian Richard Howes – in order to manage the juvenile schools of the club. On the 27th of March 1971, one of those courts was covered by a metallic structure (“Handy”) – the first clay court in Portugal to with lighting in order to enable night time play.
- 1972** – The Clube de Ténis do Porto the best tennis complex at a national level, with the best tennis schools for the younger players.
- 1980** – Attribution of the Statute of Public Utility (15th of May)
- 1981** – Inauguration of a isolated cover for 2 courts and of the 31st of March it is one of the founders of the Associação de Ténis do Porto (ATPorto)
- 1982** – Protocol signed with the Porto City Hall, the intention of relocating the facilities from the Rua da Fábrica de Salgueiros to the terrain next to the Rua Damião de Góis,
- 1983** – October – Relocation of the facilities. There are only four uncovered clay courts. Improvement on these courts and a lighting system is placed. There were still two pre made wooden modules that worked as HQ and locker rooms. A wall fenced the complex. Transfer of the Handy Pavilion in order to cover one of the existing courts, that was previously taken out of commission on March 1994 due to corrosion. Construction of an inflated cover in two North side courts, that were also deactivated on July 1993 due to degradation.
- 1984** – Start of the land flattening and the creation of the foundations for a pavilion that would cover two courts in 1986.
- 1987** – February – construction starts on the “Central Court”, surrounded by rows of seats in reinforced concrete and a SOGRAPE sponsorship. Inaugurated on the 2nd of May.
- 1988** – Remodelling and augmentation of the Social Headquarters.
- 1993** – January – construction of the new pavilion begins for the accommodation of two more covered courts. Construction ends on December 1999
- 1998** – October – Yield agreement for the exclusive use of the Porto City Hall’s CTP and Cultural Center, from the common access route, for parking for the users of these two entities.
- 1999** – Mach – Signing of the final yield scripture for a part of the terrains the Porto City Hall created for the club (today’s Sports and Social Facilities).
- 2002** – New remodelling of the Social Headquarters in order to include the Front Desk, Board Room and Bar.



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- 2003** – 18th of January – Inauguration of the new locker rooms, health-club and gym.
- 2004** – 27th of March – Inauguration of two mini-tennis courts, in synthetic grass and a parking area for 30 vehicles.
- 2005** – Received the “Reconhecimento do Mérito” award, given by the IDP – Portugal’s Sports Institute, distinction with the objective of *“increasing the sporting quality for the younger players due to the work done by the club and its coaches”*.
- 2008** – Awarded with the ATPorto *“Primus Inter Pares”*, for 40 years of existence always at the top of national tennis, great international tournaments, national and regional titles, players, coaches and managers. Role models of national and regional tennis.
- 2009 a 2010** - The CTPorto solidifies its position as the great national club and as a school of refrence in the creating of the best Portuguese players:
- Tennis school: 350 students
 - Competition: 5 palyers
 - Members: 500
 - Courts: 13 (outdoor: 6 clay, 2 concrete and 1 synthetic grass; indoor: 4 clay)
 - Tournaments: 15 official tournaments, 3 international — Porto Open, Parque Nascente Tennis Cup (sub16) and Oporto Junior Tennis Cup (sub16) — and 2 National championships (sub14 and Inter-Clubes Veteranos)
 - Coaches: Technical team of 7 coaches sob under the management of Nuno Marques



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