



## 2008 Inductee

### KENZIE PARKS EASTER 6-12-1924 8-29-2006

When you hear Parks Easter, you automatically associate Tennis. At Lexington High School, Parks was the number one tennis player in 1941 and 1942. He not only organized his own high school tennis team, but scheduled the matches as well. Parks graduated from UNC in 1948, but that time was interrupted by service in the Navy. He was a member of the Tennis squad at Chapel Hill. Parks won over 50 Lexington City Tennis Championships. Beginning in 1956, he coached Lexington High boys and girls to many conference championships. Parks organized clinics and provided instructions. He received certification as a teaching professional by the US Professional Tennis Association. In 2008, Lexington City Council voted unanimously to name the annual Adult City Tennis Tournament in his memory.

