



The Pines Tennis Club Newsletter

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Welcome and News

Welcome to the July 2014 newsletter edition.

Since our last newsletter the club held a very enjoyable and successful social and fundraising Trivia night at the Tuggeranong Vikings Club.

We had a very positive response from local businesses donating prizes and over 80 people attended the night.

Many thanks to Andy Squires for organising the questions and being the MC for the evening.

New Pines Tennis Website

Thanks to Jess Perkovic the Pines Tennis Club website has been updated and refreshed. The new web address is:

www.pinestennisact.com

Check it out and keep up to date with what is happening in the club.

Vikings Affiliation

The club has been provided with a new first aid kit courtesy of the Vikings Club.

Vikings are offering a \$100 discount on First Aid courses. If you are a Gala player and interested in first aid training contact Shelley at shelleyoneill@bigpond.com

Committee News

The Committee would like to encourage clients of our tennis coaching programme to become members of the Pines Tennis Club. Over 60 people were enrolled in term 2 coaching programs.

It has been agreed to waive the joining fee and membership fee for the remainder of the calendar year, for people currently enrolled in coaching programs at the Pines Tennis Courts, who have paid for a term of tennis lessons with the Canberra School of Tennis.

The Committee recognises that significant maintenance and refurbishment activities are required over the next few years. An indicative plan has been developed. Progress will depend on the club seeking grants and running fundraising activities.

- Year 1 – Replace lights on Courts 1&2
- Year 2 – Replace lights on Courts 3&4
- Year 3 – Replace/Repair fences and install electronic gates
- Year 4 – Commence court expansion. (Build Hot shot courts and additional courts)

Bunnings BBQ Sat 2nd Aug

Our next big fundraising event is the Bunnings BBQ.

Please put the date in your diaries and if you can help out for an hour or two put your name down on the club noticeboard roster.

Contact is Liz Inkpen 0402819329
theinkpens@bigpond.com

Gala Tennis – Term 3

Term 3 Galas commence on 22 & 23 July and run until the 23 & 24 September.

New and current players are most welcome and nominations for term 3 are now open. Gala is a great night of social tennis for players of all standards and ages and is run on Tuesday and Wednesday nights. Tennis starts at 7:30pm and supper is included.

Let us know if you would like to play or be a reserve:

Tuesday night – Chris Lee

wandclee@tpg.com.au

Wednesday night – Marian or Gerry Allen

Marian.allen@anao.gov.au

gerard.allen@industry.gov.au

Pennant Update

Nominations for the spring competitions are up on the notice board in the club house. More information on the format of each competition can be found at:

<http://www.tennis.com.au/act/competitions/pennant/calendar>

Spring Monday Night Unisex

Monday 18th August 2014 –
Monday 1st December 2014
(Nominations close 1st Aug)

Spring Unisex Singles

Saturday 23rd August 2014 –
Saturday 29th November 2014
(Nominations close 8th Aug)

Spring Ladies Doubles

Saturday 23rd August 2014 –
Saturday 29th November 2014
(Nominations close 8th Aug)

Spring Tuesday Night Unisex

Tuesday 19th September 2014 –
Tuesday 25th November 2014
(Nominations close 1st Aug)

Spring Thursday Night Mixed

Thursday 4th September 2014 –
Thursday 20th November 2014
(Nominations close 15th Aug)

Coaching Update

Head coach, Robert Jamieson, has Term 3 enrolments coming up.

Term 3 coaching starts on Monday 21st July.

Contact Head Coach: Robert Jamieson

Phone 0432 118204 or 6241 3705

csot@hotmail.com.au

Membership and Keys

New players interested in becoming a member and players renewing their memberships can find the forms on our website and you can pay on-line. Contact Kerry Scarlett for a new key.

Crazy Whist Card Night

A fun social evening of cards is being planned for Saturday October 25th. Watch out for more information in the next newsletter.