



SCARBOROUGH
TENNIS CLUB

NEWSLETTER

APRIL 2023





CHAIRMANS REPORT



THE SEASON IS ALMOST DONE...

Whilst our competitive players tried their best on the court but alas didn't bring home any trophies, this year has probably without doubt, been one of the biggest seasons off the court for the Club and the Committee with our major building renovation demanding huge man hours from everyone involved.

This renovation encouraged us to start to change and move the Club forward in a new direction to embrace its new lease on life.

So to coincide with the new building colours - we changed our brand to blue and white embracing our beachside location which has been widely received with many social and casual members proudly wearing their club colours when they play tennis.

This new change is also occurring in the surrounding suburbs with young couples and families moving into the area and the demographics changing to an average resident age of just 38!

This new demographic gave us the opportunity to incentivise a once off sweetener membership deal for new members to join our club. This incentive worked very well with some 46 new members joining our club and it is so great to come down to play tennis and see a lot of new faces on the court.

Congratulations to all members who participated in our Club Champs and big thank you to Grant Nockolds for the event organisation.

It was fantastic this year to see so many new members to the club participating for the first time in this event and it was also very good to see our juniors coming through the open events and winning. It's amazing to see how good our juniors are progressing through Ricks Academy and into senior tennis!

I am very proud to be a part of a Committee that is working very well together and with the majority wanting to stay on to continue the good work, we look forward to welcoming in a social coordinator, sponsorship coordinator and some new general members to complete the team.



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We are encouraging younger members to seriously consider stepping up to join us and we need to tap into the younger generations and stay on point with the ever-changing trends.

Looking to the future, our primary focus next season along with book a court and resurfacing the hardcourts will be retention and growth of new memberships and the growth of local businesses to become sponsors of the club and striving to encourage and attract pennant players to join and play for Scarborough.

So, the season is almost done and winding down now with just 3 major events to finish off the season. Quiz Night + Annual Dinner & Presentation Night + AGM.

Our fundraising Quiz Night on the 22nd April is getting excellent numbers already with 48 tickets sold in the first week. We are aiming for 128 competitors on the night so there are still plenty of tickets to be sold. The quiz night is open to public and members so create your own table of friends and family and join us for a very memorable night of fun and games.

Our Annual Dinner & Presentation Night is pencilled in on the 27th May and our AGM meeting is being set for the 2nd June – stay tuned for more details in the coming weeks.

I want to finish off with a big thank you to all our members for participating this year and I look forward to seeing you all soon on our upcoming final events to conclude the season.

Nigel Moyes

CHAIRMAN



CAPTAINS REPORT



CLUB CHAMPS WRAP

Massive thank you to Grant Nockolds for running the event this year and to all the many committee and general members who pitched in to help where they can.

This year we tried a new format of introducing A & B graded Divisions and we think this was well enjoyed and a great success and we look forward to next year to seeing more members participate in our club champs.

Congratulations to all the Winners and Runners up!

LADIES OPEN SINGLES (6-0 6-2)

Winner - Phillipa Long
Runner Up - Jenna Valentin

MENS OPEN SINGLES (6-2 7-5)

Winner - Christian Kelly
Runner Up - Matej Cerny

LADIES OPEN DOUBLES (6-1 retirement)

Winners - Denise Brierley & Suzanne Duncan
Runners Up - Vicki Johnson & Jenna Valentin

MENS OPEN DOUBLES (6-2 6-0)

Winners - Jack Lyttle & Rick Willsmore
Runners Up - Matej Cerny & Steve Yarwood

MIXED OPEN DOUBLES (6-1 6-1)

Winners - Troy Hancock & Suzanne Duncan
Runners Up - Bruce Mason & Denise Brierley

MENS A DIVISION SINGLES (6-1 retirement)

Winner - Ryan Jones
Runner Up - Craig Harby

LADIES A DIVISION DOUBLES (9-7)

Winners - Lucy Cregan & Chris Gagliardi
Runners Up - DI Nagle & Jo Mullins

MENS A DIVISION DOUBLES (9-5)

Winners - Kim fare & Bruce Mason
Runners Up - Angus McMillan & Grant Nockolds

MENS B DIVISION DOUBLES (9-8)

Winners - Rune Berg & Justin Fifield
Runners Up - Frank Camilleri & Pete Zawacki

MIXED A DIVISION DOUBLES (9-8)

Winners - Kim Fare & Di Nagle
Runners Up - Stefan Gasqueres & Lucy Cregan

MIXED B DIVISION DOUBLES

Winners - Peter Zawacki & Alma Thurston - 4 wins
Runners Up - Craig Harby & Bev Sharpe - 3 wins

SOCIAL TENNIS

Now that the competitive season is over our weekend social tennis should increase in participation with the pennant members having the free time now to come join in on the social tennis so we look forward to seeing an increase in numbers on the courts and for some good tennis all round.

Gary Jones

CLUB CAPTAIN



FACILITIES REPORT



CLUB HONOUR BOARDS

It is our intention to get these Honour Boards back up before the Annual Dinner and Presentation Night. We are also working on alternative display solutions for our Pennant Shields.

CLUBROOM UPDATE

The new old fence is finally down and the new fences and gates in place, which is really making a difference in street appeal.

We are investigating a solution to catch balls on the hit walls in between the existing shrubs but we want this to be considered and low key in its aesthetics.

OUTDOOR PATIO RENOVATION

Still awaiting a start date but the patio is expected to be built in the off season, ready for next season's opening, and the Committee is looking at options to have it enclosed.

NEW SAIL SHADE

The new shade is finally up.

TOP BAY WATER FOUNTAINS

We are having a contractor investigate and work out how we can get the water fountains opposite courts 15 and 19 back in operation. Stay tuned.

Graham Burnfield

FACILITIES



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QUIZ NIGHT

WHERE: Scarborough Tennis Club
(101 Deanmore Rd, Scarborough).

WHEN: Saturday 22nd April.

ARRIVAL TIME - 6.30pm-7pm.

QUIZ START TIME - 7.10pm.

QUIZ FINISH TIME - 10.00pm.

TICKETS - \$20 per person via Humanitix.

TABLES - x8 contestants per table.

Organise your own table or we can also allocate you to a table.

BYO all foods/snacks.

Alcoholic drinks available at the bar.

Maximum contestants on the night - 128 (16 tables of 8).

HOW TO BOOK TICKETS?

If you are the organiser of a table of x8 - please purchase x8 tickets under your name.

Otherwise just book per how many tickets you need.

[BOOK TICKETS HERE](#)

NEED HELP PURCHASING TICKETS?

Don't have a computer? If you cannot book online via Humanitix then please contact Nigel Moyes to assist you in booking your tickets manually.

QUIZME

No Pens No Paper Just Fun!

We have a professional Quiz company running the night where they will be supplying to each table electronic buzzers and the format will be multiple choice answers to make the night fast and efficient with automated scoring.

The QuizMe team will be playing music in-between rounds and running all our fundraising games on behalf of the club.

They do ask that you bring your spectacles if you need to see as we are using TV screens.

EVERY DOLLAR HELPS

Bring \$1 & \$2 dollar coins and bring \$5 notes to play along for a chance to win and help the club.

WHAT'S ON?

Reverse Bingo | Heads & Tails | Bottle Toss
Horse Racing | Lucky Number Draw | Spot Prizes
Door Prizes | Major Quiz Winner Prize

ANNUAL DINNER & PRESENTATION NIGHT



Save the Date – We are looking to hold this event on Saturday May 27th.

It's an opportunity to celebrate and congratulate all the Club Champ Finalists and to wrap up the season with an organised dinner. Prices and final details will be sent out in the coming weeks.

AGM



Set for 3pm Saturday 2nd June.

More information to come closer to the date and nominations for Committee Roles will be posted online and around the club.

2023 ROLAND GARROS & WIMBLEDON TICKET BALLOTS



One of the benefits of being a member of our tennis community is the opportunity to enter the 2023 Roland Garros and Wimbledon ticket ballots. Please see below information to send onto your members if they wish to enter either Ballot.

Members **MUST ENTER** the Ballot for the respective Events to be eligible to receive tickets in the Ballot for that event.

Please note that there is a \$2.50 non-refundable transaction fee charged per ticket per session entered for each Ballot (\$5 per pair of tickets). You will only be charged the full amount for the tickets if you are successful in the Ballot.

The ballot is being run through Ticketmaster, and Ballot registrants should be able to login using their existing Ticketmaster account if they have one. Otherwise, they will have to create a Ticketmaster account.

ROLAND GAROS

WIMBLEDON

IMPORTANT DATES YOU NEED TO REMEMBER ARE AS FOLLOWS:

Roland Garros Ballot closes – Tuesday 11th April 11:59pm (AEDT)

Entrants of Roland Garros Ballot advised if successful – From Thursday 13th April

Wimbledon Ballot closes – Tuesday 11th April 11:59pm (AEDT)

Entrants of Wimbledon Ballot advised if successful – From Thursday 13th April

For additional enquiries, please email grandslamballots@tennis.com.au or contact Tennis Australia Customer Support on 1800 PLAY TENNIS (752 983) or +61 3 9914 4191 if calling from outside Australia.

APRIL ROSTER



<u>DAY</u>	<u>DATE</u>	<u>EVENT</u>	<u>COMMITTEE</u>	<u>SETS</u>	<u>TEA/BAR</u>
Saturday	1st	Club Championship	Committee	Committee	Suzanne Duncan
Sunday	2nd	Club Championship	Committee	Committee	Jeannie Musgrove
Saturday	8th	Organised Social	Volunteer	Volunteer	Volunteer
Sunday	9th	Organised Social	Volunteer	Volunteer	Volunteer
Saturday	15th	Organised Social	Steve Caddy	Shane Paskett	Dirk Jooste
Sunday	16th	Organised Social	Bruce Mason	Chris Menhennett	Bruce Mason
Saturday	22nd	Organised Social	Jenny Tomich	Matt Yarwood	Peter McHardy
Sunday	23rd	Organised Social	Grant Nockolds	Liz Wessels	Grant Nockolds
Saturday	29th	Organised Social	Nigel Moyes	Conor O'Hara	Nigel Moyes
Sunday	30th	Organised Social	Vicki Johnson	Tracey Byrne	Rob Musgrove

MAY ROSTER



<u>DAY</u>	<u>DATE</u>	<u>EVENT</u>	<u>COMMITTEE</u>	<u>SETS</u>	<u>TEA/BAR</u>
Saturday	6th	Organised Social	Jenny Tomich	Shane Paskett	Jenny Tomich
Sunday	7th	Organised Social	Gary Jones	Stephan Gasqueres	Gary Jones
Saturday	13th	Organised Social	Di Nagle	Liz Duncan	Rob Frew
Sunday	14th	Organised Social	Bruce Mason	Wendy Eggleston	Ryan Jones
Saturday	20th	Organised Social	Vicki Johnson	Bruce Price	Gemma Criddle
Sunday	21st	Organised Social	Graham Burnfield	Barbara Lee	Graham Burnfield
Saturday	27th	Organised Social	Steve Caddy	Alma Thurston	Steve Caddy
Sunday	28th	Organised Social	Grant Nockolds	Steve Jones	Conor O'Hara

CONTACT INFO



We encourage your feedback on what you like or don't like, or what we should or shouldn't consider. Please feel free to send an email to committee@scarboroughtennis.com.au to let us know your thoughts. Keep an eye on our Facebook site and for the monthly newsletter, where you can find out about all things STC!

CHAIRPERSON: Nigel Moyes

VICE CHAIRPERSON: Stephen Caddy

CLUB SECRETARY: Vicki Johnson

TREASURER: Bruce Mason

CLUB CAPTAIN: Gary Jones, supported by vice captains Jenny Tomich and Grant Nockolds

PENNANT SUPERVISOR: Jenna Valentin

FACILITIES: Graham Burnfield

FUNCTIONS COORDINATOR: Vacant

MEMBER REPRESENTATIVE: Di Nagle



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