



SCARBOROUGH
TENNIS CLUB

NEWSLETTER

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CHAIRMANS REPORT



CLUB CHAMPS

Firstly well done to Conor O'Hara for taking on the heavy lifting of the event and in my opinion a job well done and special thank you Jenny Tomich and Stephen Caddy for also stepping up as always and also to our valuable members who always pitch and help on the days. I think that mostly everyone enjoyed their Club Champs and there was some great tennis to watch. Our congratulations go out to all the players who participated and a well done to all our newly crowned Club Champions who will be acknowledged at our Annual Dinner & Presentation Night on Saturday 25th May. See the Captains Report for the Club Champs Results.

QUIZ NIGHT

By all accounts it was a great success and fun night out for all. A big Thank You to our Club Sponsors Steve Yarwood and Dirk Jooste and Club Coach Rick Willsmore for suppling some great prizes and thanks also to Maureen & Gary Jones and Pauline Marsh for their contributions. The local business community also stepped up in donations of prizes and I would like to thank all these businesses for the donations to the Quiz Night.

Let Go BNB Management
Davey Real Estate
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Serene Day Spa Scarborough
The Scarborough Sportsmans Club
Pizzaca Pizzeria & Bar Scarborough
Zoies Café Scarborough
St Brigid Bar Doubleview
Rise and Grind Espresso Bar Doubleview
Peko Peko Scarborough

AGM

The date has now been set for Saturday the 8th June @ 3.30pm. If you would like to nominate for a position on the committee – now is the time and we will have nominations up on the Club Notice Boards very soon for all to see. To learn more about our upcoming AGM, visit our website - www.scarboroughtennisclub.com.au

ANNUAL DINNER & PRESENTATION NIGHT

Set for Saturday the 25th May with tickets @ \$30 pp and to be held at the Club. Please see our website, posters and social page for ticketing info and purchase.



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NEW CLUB SPONSOR

The Club would like to welcome Trevors Carpets as a new sponsor to the Club and our thanks go to their Sales Consultant Troy Hancock who is a current member at our Club for organising this sponsorship and the Owner of Trevors Carpets - Nikki Green.

Trevors Carpets Story ...

Forty years ago, Collie-born furniture salesman, Ray Green and wife Maureen, purchased a small home furnishings business in the bustling heart of Highgate. What began as a bold move into the Perth furnishings space has since grown to become the state's largest floor covering empire and go-to supplier for those looking to ground their homes in style and comfort.

Today, as the baton has been passed to their daughters, Nikki and Mandy, Trevors Carpets continues to lead the way, offering an unparalleled selection of carpets, timber, luxury vinyl planks, hybrids, and laminates. Their fully stocked warehouses stretch across Perth's north and south, offering customers a swift service without the delays often associated with shipping and receiving.

For those unsure where to start with their selections, visit Troy at Trevors in Osborne Park to look at your plans, your budget, and design preferences to find the most suitable flooring options for your home.

As a WA owned and operated, Trevors is pleased to support local sporting clubs and community associations right here in our backyard.

Contact Troy Hancock for all sales enquiries - 0418 753 795.

Nigel Moyes

CHAIRMAN



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ANNUAL DINNER AND PRESENTATION NIGHT

Join us to celebrate the end of the season in style and to congratulate our recent Club Champions.

Come down early to enjoy pre dinner drinks and friendship before the celebrations commence.

DATE Saturday 25th May

VENUE Scarborough Tennis Club

ARRIVAL 6-6.30pm with Dinner served from 7pm

DRESS Smart Casual or Dress to Impress!

TICKETS \$30 per person via Humanitix

BOOK TICKETS HERE





CAPTAINS REPORT



What an awesome two weekends of tennis we had with the Club Championships. It was fabulous to see everyone putting their skills and hard work through our ultimate test. We had fantastic spectators in awe at everyone's talents and progress, who were constantly cheering our competitors on.

This year the open events went back to the competitive spirit of a Club Championship with a straight elimination knockout, allowing our players the opportunity to play a full 2-set match with a match tiebreak as a decider. This competitive nature was on full display as competitors were fighting for each point, with some epic match tie breaks to decide winners.

The graded event maintained the round robin structure to allow several matches with shorter game play. Allowing a variety of opponents to come up against, however the intensity or importance of the game never lost its meaning.

The one thing I liked most about this club championship is that members of the club got to meet and know others, whether it was on or off the court. If you were on the court playing, spectators kept asking me for the players names as they wanted to recognise you, and I think that is the beauty of sport and tennis.

Taking home the titles and finalist spots are:

Men's Open Singles

Champion - Kade Eber

Finalist - Timur Arslanagic

Men's Open Doubles

Champion - Rick Willsmore & Indio Croc

Finalist - Steve Yarwood & Matej Cerny

Ladies Open Singles

Champion - Madalina Florea

Finalist - Genevieve McSparran

Ladies Open Doubles

Champions - Suzanne Duncan & Denise Brierle

Finalist - Gemma Criddle & Miriam Bowen

Mixed Open Doubles

Champions - Suzanne Duncan & Robert Musgrove

Finalist - Annie Lau & Timothy Lau

Men's Graded Singles

Champion - Chris Davis

Finalist - Graham Burnfield

Men's Graded Doubles

Champions - Alex Reisin & Chris Davis

Finalists - Bruce Mason & Kim Fare

Ladies Graded Singles

Champion - Suzanne McCarthy

Finalist - Jenny Tomich

Mixed Graded Doubles

Champions - Dianna Nagle & Kim Fare

Finalist - Shelley Williams & Justin Fifield



CAPTAINS REPORT



WINTER PENNANTS

The Club Champs isn't the end of competitive tennis for the club we still have several pennants teams this, Winter, so you can come and cheer us on after social.

On Tuesday we have Vicki leading a Ladies twilight team.

Wednesday, Lucy Cregan is taking the reigns for the Ladies team.

Myself, Timmy Lau and Sohail Bajaria will be in charge of the men on Saturday, which is busy with three men's teams.

To mix things up, we are having a mixed doubles team on Sundays for your enjoyment, which I will Captain.

SOCIAL PLAY

Reminder that social play is on every Tuesday 9:30 – 12 and Saturday and Sunday 1:30 – 4. We would love to see you down and have fun, whether it is your first time or millionth time, all you need is your racket (and a smile never hurts.) The more you come to social, the more you improve your game and can interact with others. The more you come down, the more likely others will follow suit so let's keep our courts full.

If it's your first time we have people to help and talk you through what happens. If you have any concerns feel free to reach out and talk to me.

REGRADING

I know some people have asked questions about regrading and are maybe unclear about the process. So here is a little reminder on what you need to do:

You need to email into committee with reasons for why you think your grading should be changed. This can be to increase or decrease your grading.

This will then be reviewed by the captain's team over a period of time, it will not be done on the spot or based on off one instances.

As we have had some changes in the captain's team over this season if you are still pending a decision and want to change can you please re-submit.

Conor O'Hara

VICE CAPTAIN

CAPTAINS REPORT



DUTY ROSTER - MAY & JUNE

As always, if you cannot make your rostered day, it is your responsibility to find a replacement. If you have any unavailability's or preferences for rostered days for the coming summer roster season, please email Jenny Tomich at: jen_tomich@yahoo.com

DAY	DATE	EVENT	SOCIAL SUPERVISOR	SETS	TEA / BAR
MAY					
Saturday	4th	ORGANISED SOCIAL	Denise Brierley	Denise Brierley	Nigel Moyes
Sunday	5th	ORGANISED SOCIAL	Bruce Mason	Barbara Lee	Bruce Mason
Saturday	11th	ORGANISED SOCIAL	Jo Mullins	Craig Harby	Vicki Johnson
Sunday	12th	ORGANISED SOCIAL	Miriam Bowen	Miriam Bowen	Justin Fifield
Saturday	18th	ORGANISED SOCIAL	Pip Long	Pip Long	John Wikstrom
Sunday	19th	ORGANISED SOCIAL	Jill Howard	Jill Howard	Shane Paskett
Saturday	25th	ORGANISED SOCIAL	Gaye Wearne	Gaye Wearne	Jenny Tomich
Sunday	26th	ORGANISED SOCIAL	Graham Burnfield	Mary Lindsay	Di Nagle
JUNE					
Saturday	1st	ORGANISED SOCIAL	Lucy Cregan	Stephan Gasqueres	Steve Caddy
Sunday	2nd	ORGANISED SOCIAL	Rosa Gary	Rosa Gray	Ken Gray
Saturday	8th	ORGANISED SOCIAL	Troy Hancock	Troy Hancock	Gemma Criddle
Sunday	9th	ORGANISED SOCIAL	Suzanne McCarthy	Suzanne McCarthy	Jeannie Musgrove
Saturday	15th	ORGANISED SOCIAL	Liz Wessells	Alma Thurston	Peter McHardy
Sunday	16th	ORGANISED SOCIAL	Chris Menhennet	Bob Menhennet	Liz Duncan
Saturday	22nd	ORGANISED SOCIAL	Jenny Tomich	Jenna Valentin	Jenny Tomich
Sunday	23rd	ORGANISED SOCIAL	Grant Nockolds	Grant Nockolds	Karen Caddy
Saturday	29th	ORGANISED SOCIAL	Barbara Lee	Lucy Cregan	Graham Burnfield
Sunday	30th	ORGANISED SOCIAL	Jo Mullins	Simon Page	Rob Frew



FACILITIES REPORT



HARD COURTS

We're still waiting to hear back from the City of Stirling regarding repairs to courts 1, 5 and 6, but are hopeful that temporary repairs can be carried out in the next month or 2.

The courts need to be resurfaced in 1-2 years and the Committee has been considering various options, including continuing with Plexicushion or changing to a gel or other surface. More information on surface options and costs will be made available to members over the coming months.

The club has bought new squeegees and a cordless blower to help keep the courts in good condition for play, especially during winter and when the trees are dropping leaves and nuts.

PATIO RENOVATION

The City is still on track for the new patio to be installed in June. Quotes are being sought to install motorised screens to enclose 3 of the 4 sections of the patio, to provide shelter from the sun, wind and rain. The screens will be installed before the start of next season and will provide a much more usable outdoor area for club members

BOUNDARY FENCING

We're still waiting on advice from the City over repairs to the retaining wall behind the middle bay and the boundary fencing.

Graham Burnfield

FACILITIES COORDINATOR

COACHES REPORT



We have been lucky to have such success as a junior tennis club over the last few years.

A passionate coaching team and a team first culture has seen our junior club win more pennants than any other club over the last 7 summer seasons.

Also important to note that some of these clubs have had many more teams entered in the junior pennant competition but Scarborough has seen over 1/3 of our entered teams win the premiership.

As a coaching team we make it our aim to improve all players from the start to the end of season. The summer season starts in October and ends in March/April and for a junior, they can really accelerate their improvement within a 6 month period if they are training consistently and correctly.

See the breakdown below:

Club	Season							Total
	2017/18	2018/19	2019/20	2020/21	2021/22	2022/23	2023/24	
Scarborough	5	7	5	5	2	4	5	33
Blue Gum Park	2	2	2	3	4	3	8	24
Peppermint Grove	3	7	3	3	2	2	4	24
Sorrento	6	2	3	3	3	5	1	23
Hensman Park	1	2	2	6	6	3	2	22
Bayswater	6	4	4	2	1		2	19
Cottesloe	1	3	3	1	6	3	1	18
Bullcreek	3	4	4		2	2	3	18
Mt Lawley	4	4	1	1	1	3	3	17
Corinthian Park	2	2	2	1	2	2	2	13
Thornlie	1		4		3	2	2	12
Dalkeith	3	1		5	1		2	12
Allen Park	3	1	1	2	2	1	2	12
Nedlands	1	2	1	2	2	3		11
Applecross		1	4	1	1	3		10
North Beach	1	3	2	2	2			10
UWA	2			3	2	2	1	10
Roleystone				2	3	3	2	10
Royal Kings Park	2	1	1		1	2	2	9
Reabold	2	1	1	3			2	9
East Fremantle	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	9
Wembley Downs	3	4			1		1	9
Higgins Park		2	2	2		1	2	9
Onslow Park	1	1	1	2	2	1	1	9
Willeton	2		1	3		2	1	9



COACHES REPORT



PRIVATE LESSONS & PRO SHOP HOURS FOR RESTRINGING

Email us - info@scarboroughtennis.com.au or Text - 0430 110 848 for any enquiries or to arrange a call back.

COURT HIRE UNDER LIGHTS - member discount

Please remember that if members want to play under lights then it includes a 50% member discount making it only \$10 per hour to hire a court under lights. Please note that there is no freelance play under lights as we as the coaching academy lease all 6 hardcourts and are responsible for all the court light electricity so any play under lights needs to be booked online.

To book a court click here - <https://www.scarboroughtennis.com.au/bookacourt>
Member discount code - 1012023

Rick Willsmore

CLUB COACH



CLUB RULES SECTION



SOCIAL TENNIS TIMES

The club prides itself on well attended, competitive but fun social tennis.

This occurs over three days at the club:

Saturday 1:30pm – 5pm (tea-break included @ approx. 3:30pm)

Sunday 1:30pm – 5pm (no tea-break)

Tuesday 9.30am – 12pm (tea-break included)

Note - Summer commences from 9am for Tuesday Social.

If you are on Tea/Bar please come down around 3pm to prepare for tea/bar. At the end of the day - after you call final drinks - you will need to help close the club.

OTHER GRASS COURT USAGE DURING SOCIAL TENNIS TIMES

From 1:30pm – 3:30pm on the weekends and 9am – 11am on Tuesday's the grass courts are reserved exclusively for social tennis. This means that any other use of the grass courts must be done outside of these times.

ONLY MEMBERS CAN PLAY ON THE GRASS.

A MEMBER CAN BRING A VISITOR ON THE GRASS AT A FEE PAYABLE OF \$15.

ALL MEMBERS AND VISITORS MUST WEAR GRASS/CLAY COURT TENNIS SHOES FOR PLAY ON GRASS.

See our website for more info.

CAPTAINS TEAM

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:

VICE CAPTAIN: Jenny Tomich

VICE CAPTAIN: Conor O'Hara

PENNANT SUPERVISOR: Jenna Valentin

FACILITIES: Graham Burnfield

SPONSORSHIP COORDINATOR: Dirk Jooste

MEMBERSHIP COORDINATOR: Kim Fare

MEMBER REPRESENTATIVE: Di Nagle

TUESDAY SOCIAL COORDINATORS: Peter McHardy & Robert Bickford & Frank Camilleri



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