



SCARBOROUGH  
TENNIS CLUB

NEWSLETTER

JANUARY 2023





# CHAIRMAN'S REPORT



I hope everyone enjoyed their Xmas and New Year festivities and mostly got a well deserved break.

A big thank you to all the committee and members for the Annual Xmas Play & Stay. A nice event both tennis wise and socially that we can build on and increase next year. We had 54 players as well as friends and family who joined us after for the BBQ and socialising.

Our twilight was one of the best with 10 courts in action and an easy chilled BBQ to follow on a beautiful warm night.

We have our biggest tournament of the year coming up on the 26th with our Mixed Australia Day Competition. This is open to all members and also members of other clubs with x4 Divisions making it a more balanced day for each player. Even if you don't want to play the tournament during the day – come down and watch some great tennis and hang around and join in the festivities after.

I am super pleased with Graham and Gary's and helpers big effort in finally sorting the walls out with the balls getting caught up top by using fencing as a backstop. This system works brilliantly and should solve the issue of someone having to climb up the wall when their ball gets stuck up top.

I am also finally pleased to announce that the new LED lights have finally been installed thanks to Graham. These new lights are a game changer literally for Ricks Coaching and our members and general public night hire of the hardcourts.

As an FYI - There are still more City of Stirling changes happening aesthetically around the club and hopefully the disturbances will be minimal.

Finally – a reminder that pennants commences on the 28th and 29th January so good luck to all our pennant teams once they are back on the courts competing in the last 5 matches to try make finals.

**Nigel Moyes**

CHAIRMAN



# CAPTAINS REPORT



It's been fantastic to see the Christmas function and twilight tennis being well supported and thanks to all my helpers that made them a success.

The next twilight tennis will be on the 2nd February at 5pm with drinks and nibbles to follow.

The Australia Day tournament numbers are looking promising at this stage, and thanks go out to Grant Nockolds and Steve Caddy for doing the ground work.

The rock wall mesh behind the middle bay should be finished by Australia Day, and thanks to Steve Jones and Rob Frew for helping Graham and I.

Social tennis on Saturday, Sunday and Tuesday is still being well supported, and thanks to those who turn up and do their roster.

The Roster for February and March is attached to the newsletter, and with the new RSA holder's it has been easier to share the load.

On the wall near the kiosk opening we have put up notice about tennis etiquette, so next time you're down the club please take time to have a read.

**Gary Jones**  
CLUB CAPTAIN



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# AUSTRALIA DAY MIXED DOUBLES TOURNAMENT

THURSDAY, JANUARY 26TH, 2023

ROUND ROBIN TOURNAMENT + FINALS

WARM UP/SIGN IN 10AM  
**PLAY BEGINS 10.30AM**  
FINISH APPROX. 3.30PM

STAY: BAR + FOOD + MUSIC  
101 DEANMORE RD, SCARBOROUGH  
ALL QUERIES: grantn@live.com.au

## CONDITIONS OF ENTRY

- **FORMAT:** Round Robin minimum 5 timed sets. Pairs will be graded based on UTR/Pennant Division/known ability.
- **COST:** STC Members \$40pp | Visitors \$50pp
- **ENTRY INCLUDES:** play, prizes, and **SAUSAGE SIZZLE after play.**
- Please note that lunch is not included in the entry fee. There will be a lunch break with sandwiches/rolls available to purchase, or you can BYO lunch.
- **PRIZES:** \$100ea for the winners and \$50ea for the runners up of each division. Raffle tickets will be available to purchase throughout the day, raffle draw will be held at the end of play. Players are asked to stay for the presentations & raffle draw.
- In the event of a dispute, the decision of the Captain's Team shall be final.
- Entry Form (over the page) together with your entry fee can be returned to Scarborough Tennis Club  
IN PERSON: 101 Deanmore Road Scarborough, 6019  
EMAIL: grantn@live.com.au
- **Fee Payable: Square/Cash or online**  
**Scarborough Tennis**  
**BSB 066161 | ACC 10036026**  
**Reference: Oz Day & Surname**
- Entries due by **Sunday, 22nd January**, places are limited.

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# FACILITIES REPORT



The old metal halide hard court lights have been replaced with bright LEDs. There will be some tweaking over the next week to get the maximum benefit from them, but the lights are a definite improvement.

The hard court surface itself is nearing the end of its life, and the Committee is looking at renewing the courts in the next couple of years.

The cyclone mesh fencing along the lower bay retaining wall will be completed by Australia Day, and I expect that the top bay wall will be done during February. Vegetation on the walls will also be poisoned/removed on a regular basis and this should avoid the need for people to scramble up the walls to retrieve stuck balls

Despite problems with the reticulation over the Christmas/New Year period, the courts are in excellent condition and my thanks go out to Brad and his team for their hard work.

The City of Stirling has advised that all outstanding upgrade work on the clubrooms should be completed by the end of January, and with Western Power repairing the electrical system on the 21st, we'll have full use of all appliances and air conditioners.

I encourage members to volunteer some time to help with the Odd Jobs list on the noticeboard, so that we can maintain our clubrooms and surrounds in the best possible condition.

**Graham Burnfield**

FACILITIES



## RSA COURSE



Thank you to all the club members stepping up to complete their RSA course to assist in the running of the bar. We had x17 members attending the course which will make a massive difference to the current bar workload and we thank all the existing bar staff for holding down the fort and taking lots of additional shifts. If you missed this course and are keen to jump on the next one please reach out to a committee person or Nigel Moyes to register your interest.

## VOLUNTEERS REQUIRED



We have a need for odd jobs to be conducted around the club – mainly gardening, outside cleaning, painting and various other small jobs.

We have created a volunteer list on the notice board near the bar and would appreciate club members volunteering to assist where possible. Contact Jenny Tomich for more info.

## WESTERN POWER WORKS

SATURDAY 21ST JANUARY  
ALL DAY



Please be aware that on this day Western Power are conducting major works and the clubhouse will be without power. Tennis is still on but the toilets will be very dark so we are looking at what we can do for lighting other than taking your phone or a torch in with you to light your way. This is a big impact to the club on this day but it is out of our control so please be patient and tolerant if you are down at the club on this day.

## FRONT FENCE CHANGES



To make the club more welcoming to the general public - The City of Stirling in the next few weeks will be taking down the front entrance fence opening it right up where the lawn area and current gate is and we will be having new 1.8meter fences erected with gates just near the main entrance and the outdoor deck areas.

These will also serve as our mandatory enclosed are for adhering to our liquor license agreement. The small fence and gate at the rubbish bin area will also be replaced at the same time.

# SOCIAL COORDINATOR



We currently have a vacancy at the club where we need an organiser of all 'Social' events.

This person doesn't have to have a degree in running pubs and parties and huge events – they just need to have passion to know what's right and what would be good for the club to assist in overseeing all functions as these events are major revenue raising opportunities for the club.

This is an important role because it does take time, but you are helped by many committee and general members who are willing to lend a helping hand especially on event day so you are not alone. The club is needing this position to be filled as soon as possible so please talk to me or anyone committee member directly if you are interested.

## TWILIGHT TENNIS

Twilight Tennis is back this Thursday  
2nd February 2023 from 5pm!

Organised social sets from 5pm until sunset.  
No visitors' fees, bring your friends down to  
see what Scarborough Tennis is all about.

Come and enjoy some great tennis and  
good times on and off the court.

**BAR WILL BE OPEN & NIBBLES PROVIDED.**

# FEBRUARY ROSTER



## FEBRUARY

<u>DAY</u>	<u>DATE</u>	<u>EVENT</u>	<u>COMMITTEE</u>	<u>SETS</u>	<u>TEA/BAR</u>
Thursday	2nd	Twilight Tennis	Captain's Team	Captain's Team	Captain's Team
Saturday	4th	Organised Social	Jenny Tomich	Marie Clift	John Wikstrom
Sunday	5th	Organised Social	Nigel Moyes	Chris Gagliardi	Justin Fifield
Saturday	11th	Organised Social	Di Nagle	Frank Camilleri	Gemma Criddle
Sunday	12th	Organised Social	Grant Nockolds	Peter Zawacki	Connor O'Hara
Saturday	18th	Organised Social	Jenna Valentin	Jill Howard	Ken Grey
Sunday	19th	Organised Social	Bruce Mason	Karen Caddy	Suzanne Duncan
Saturday	25th	Organised Social	Vicki Johnson	Alan Harwood	Jeannie Musgrove
Sunday	26th	Organised Social	Gary Jones	Rob Frew	Liz Duncan

# MARCH ROSTER



## MARCH

<u>DAY</u>	<u>DATE</u>	<u>EVENT</u>	<u>COMMITTEE</u>	<u>SETS</u>	<u>TEA/BAR</u>
Thursday	2nd	Twilight Tennis	Captain's Team	Captain's Team	Captain's Team
Saturday	4th	Organised Social	Gary Jones	Barry Stone	Jenny Tomich
Sunday	5th	Organised Social	Bruce Mason	Justin Fifield	Bruce Mason
Saturday	11th	Organised Social	Steve Caddy	Bob Bickford	Steve Caddy
Sunday	12th	Organised Social	Graham Burnfield	Reuben Thompson	Graham Burnfield
Saturday	18th	Organised Social	Vicki Johnson	Jeanne Herring	Andreis Nell
Sunday	19th	Organised Social	Shane Paskett	Kim Fare	Shane Paskett
Saturday	25th	CLUB CHAMPIONSHIPS	COMMITTEE		Dirke Jooste
Sunday	26th	CLUB CHAMPIONSHIPS	COMMITTEE		Ryan Jones





# 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](mailto: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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