

# Glenorchy City Tennis Club Inc. Newsletter

#### **President's report**

Hi all,

we have several new members, many with little tennis experience, perhaps who may have had a recent coaching lesson or booked a court for a social hit with friends. We are glad to welcome you all to the Club.

I would encourage all new players come along to Tuesday or Saturday social tennis, you will be welcomed and playing with experienced players will fast -track your game.

No minimum skill level for either day is required – we will match you up based on skill level, and better players will get a buzz out of watching the novice player get better. If we get enough interest, we can re-establish more social tennis sessions during the week as well.

Regards, Gary

# Working bee



Based on experience, we estimate that we need to run on average about 4 clean up days per year. This is just to keep the courts in good playing order. Expect to see another call for volunteers in about April. Unless the plovers and rabbits suddenly leave town and give us a break of course! Many thanks to those few who were able to attend last week.

#### **Member success**

Congratulations go to our Club Ladies' champion Margaret, who was successful in the recent JT Premier 250 Tasmanian Junior championships! We are very proud to have her as a club member.

And all due credit to her and thanks to Sahil, her coach. Hopefully this will be only the start of a promising career in tennis. Best of luck Margaret!!



# AYC

We have entered 2 AYC teams in Roster 2 for this 2023 season. Glenorchy Pelicans in Div X2 and Glenorchy Penguins in Div 4. Best of luck to all our competitors, we may have team photos next issue.

# **Dates to remember**

30 Jan: 2023 First AYC roster matches start
4 February Geilston Bay "grudge match" from 3.00pm
Every Saturday: Social tennis from 9.30am
Every Tuesday: social tennis from 9.00am

# Geilston Bay "grudge" match

Next Saturday will see us match up against our fellow Club Geilston Bay TC at Glenorchy, from 3.00pm. Six matches will be played, on all courts, followed by a BBQ dinner and social tennis, This is a regular inter-Club event, and we encourage all members to attend and support your fellow members in this fun event.

#### **New members**

The committee would like to welcome new members Dominic Weller and Wern Han Chai to the Club.

As new members, you will be able to register and use the courts without charge, but you should still book your courts online, as the courts become quite busy during Summer and school holidays.

#### **Member benefits**

While it is not required to be a member to use our courts, there are a number of benefits to becoming one.

• Firstly, it is cheap!

The cost for an adult member is still only just over **\$3 per week**. This compares well with many other sports and gym memberships! This year's fees are:

Adults - \$160 Students - \$80 Juniors - \$50 Families - \$320 Couples - \$300.

You can choose to pay online, cash payment or direct bank transfer is equally welcome. Bank Details: BSB 067-101 Account: 2803 7343.

- Be part of a Club, meet new tennis people, and make new friends.
- Receive our regular newsletter, with updates on all Club activities.
- Be invited to all of our social and fundraising events.
- Court bookings are free for members, during daylight hours. Guests are \$5 each, and use of lights is extra.
- You can join in our organised social tennis sessions, casual competitions, and play in our pennant teams.
- Help shape your Club's future by joining the organising committee.
- You can receive member discounts from the pro shop, and have access to the ball machine.

# **Hobart International tournament**

It was great to see our Hot Shots juniors giving a brilliant demonstration of their skills and proudly representing their Club at the recent Hobart International at the Domain. Thanks to Sahil for coordinating this display.



The Tuesday Social group also went along to watch, and were impressed with the juniors presentation. We were sitting in the shade in the corporate boxes, and particularly enjoyed the Squealing Pig!

#### **Contact us:**

Post: PO Box 213, Glenorchy 7010 Email to: info@glenorchytennis.com.au Web: <u>www.glenorchytennis.com.au</u>

Coaching enquiries: Sahil – 0466 098 984

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#### **Coaching and Pro shop**

Bookings are now being taken for **Term 1 classes** with Sahil. Juniors, adults, group classes or whatever, by arrangement. Check out our new video ad on Facebook. Term 1 classes begin this week.

Don't forget a gift voucher makes the perfect present for the friend who might be keen to take their game to the next level!

A ball machine is also available for hire, for use by coaching groups, and for individuals to use, at \$45 per hour, \$60 for 2 hours. It comes with 120 tennis balls, and the use of ball picking up tubes. Great fun, and good for serious practice of your new-found skills from your lesson!

For any enquiries about availability, or for any coaching enquiries, talk to Sahil on 0466 098 894.



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