



SOUTH-EAST TENNIS SENIORS ASSOCIATION

(as at 12 August 2021)

LOCATION:

We do not have a home ground, but many of our members are based in Mt. Gambier, or in the various towns and/or farms located in what is known today as the Limestone Coast region.

ABOUT US:



We are one of four country based regional Tennis Seniors associations linked with [Tennis Seniors SA - TSSA](#) and affiliated with [Tennis Seniors Australia – TSA](#).

To become a member of our association, you must be over 30 years of age and pay an annual association fee of \$20.

Members play doubles matches on the third Sunday of each month that are primarily held in Mt Gambier.

Annually we organise our playing program for the upcoming season that includes venues and social events. This is very necessary as we do not have a home ground and at times venues become no longer available.

Annual events that our members participate in, include:

- February - travel to Lucindale Lawn Courts where we host Murray Bridge & Districts Tennis Seniors for the first leg of the **Annual Challenge Cup**
- May – **Berri Carnival**
- November - travel to Murray Bridge where Murray Bridge & Districts Tennis Seniors host us for the second leg of the **Annual Challenge Cup**
- December - travel to Wattle Range for our **Christmas in the Bush**

In the past we did travel to Millicent, Penola, Naracoorte, and Beachport, but due to falling membership we find ourselves primarily playing in Mt Gambier. This remains our biggest challenge to – **“attract new members!”**

In July we send representatives from our Tennis Seniors association to meet with representatives from the City association (TSSA) and representatives from the three other country regional Tennis Seniors associations, to share plans and discuss new ideas. We exchange details of our respective calendar of events that are then placed on the TSSA website for the benefit of all SA Tennis Seniors players who can be assured of a warm welcome at our various events.

HISTORY:

The inaugural meeting of South-East Veteran Tennis was held in 1990.

For 14 years (1990-2008) Bruce WHITE was President. During this time, the organisation had a name change to South-East Tennis Seniors, to attract more members in the 35-45 Year age group.

At the 2008 AGM, Bruce and Fay WHITE were both awarded Life Membership of the club in recognition of their equal partnership and tireless input for an unbroken 14 years.

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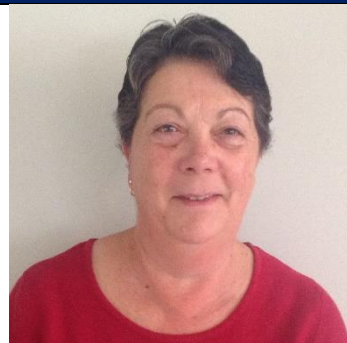
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