

# Janet WANG

**Tennis Seniors SA  
Life Membership - 2000**



Janet joined Tennis Veterans Association (TVA) SA in 1984. She became a committee member in 1986 and has been involved in committee work to this day.

Janet was involved in the Second Australian Masters Games as Treasurer.

Janet is Tournament Secretary for TVA SA, a position she has held since 1989. Her work involved distribution and receipt of entry forms, assisting the Tournament Director by operating the CAT program, through to finalisation of results.

Janet was Tournament Secretary for the 1994 Australasian Championships and the 2000 Australian Championships, which involved the following duties:

- Distributing entry forms, receiving State Team Nominations, entries for Individual Events, loading entries onto the CAT program, receiving bookings for Social Events.
- In year 2000 banking all fees and typing the information for the Players Pack and Entry Forms.
- In 1994 Janet assisted the Tournament Director by operating the CAT program through to the finish. She received many enquiries, faxes and correspondence received for the Championships, and following up on same.

This position involved many hours of work by Janet.

As Secretary to the Selection Committee Janet's duties have been:

- Receiving nominations and compiling SA Team lists for January Australian Championships after selection and sending out Notices of Selection to all players.
- Receiving Nominations and sending Notices of Selection to players in Annual City vs Country, City vs Northern Areas, Tri-State matches. Janet also organised the catering for these events when hosted in the City (she took over from Pamela HARVEY).

Janet has been a member of the Social and SA-Vet committees of TVA SA for many years.

Janet has also participated in the Australian Championships since 1987, apart from New Zealand and Newcastle events, until injuries forced her retirement from tennis in 1998.

Janet also assisted when ITF cups were last held in Adelaide by typing up results, sending faxes, photocopying and various other office tasks.

Assisted the General Secretary of TVA with assorted duties to relieve her workload.

Janet was awarded the Veteran of the Year (Administration) for 1999 at the Presentation Dinner of the Australian Championships in 2000.

Due to a serious car accident involving General Secretary Nancy SCHULZ in January, Janet has been acting Secretary taking over all duties, including typing the SA-VET magazine.

## 2020 - Update

### **‘Acknowledgement of Janet WANG’s service to TSSA’**

(The following acknowledgement was made by outgoing Chairperson John SCHLUTER at the 2020 TSSA AGM)

At the 2020 AGM outgoing TSSA Chairperson John Schluter spoke of Janet Wang’s amazing contribution to Tennis Seniors over an extended period, including more than twenty years as Secretary.

He shared that nothing was too much trouble for Janet. She was held in high esteem by tennis organisations in South Australia and across Australia.

He praised Janet for her level of involvement, an involvement that did not diminish when her playing of tennis ceased.

On behalf of all members, he thanked Janet for her magnificent efforts and achievements, adding that he and all members look forward to her continuing presence around the Association.



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#### Sources:

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2020 – Outgoing chairperson John SCHLUTER acknowledges Janet WANG’s service to TSSA at the 2020 TSSA AGM