



Senior / Junior Saturday tournament : Winter Cup

For some time the Committee has been exploring avenues for occasionally integrating our Junior members with our Senior group with a view to further promoting a sense of club unity and belonging. This is an important aspect for enhancing club spirit and assist in creating a pathway for our Junior group to ultimately transition to becoming long term, active and loyal members.

The recently staged Club Championships included a number of Junior members and it's felt that a beneficial extension of this theme would be to host a Junior/Senior event on a few more occasions across the year. The first of these ('**The Winter Cup**') will be held on **Saturday, 7th August 2021** commencing at 2:00pm.

The event is open to all members, particularly those who play Social tennis at the Club. Each member will be paired with a Junior player to play up to 5 rounds, each Set concluding after 25 minutes. Where possible a different partner will be assigned for every round, the intention being to be paired with a Junior member on each occasion. One tournament point will be awarded to each pair for every game won. The Senior and Junior member with the most points wins the Cup.

To assist with planning the event, **Senior members are being asked to commit to participating in the Winter Cup at an early stage.** The club seeks to have your entry to the event by Friday 23rd July 2021. Simply apply at <https://play.tennis.com.au/floreatparktennisclub/Events> ahead of the closing date confirming your intention to play. Alternatively, use the email address shown below. Senior entries, from either gender, will close when the club has received 24 individual entries from this group.

The event may be able to accommodate a few members who turn up early to play socially. **However, members should note there will not be any organised Social play on Saturday 7 August** as all courts will be used for staging the Winter Cup. Normal Saturday Social play will resume the following week-end.

The Committee looks forward to your participation in this event. Should you require any further information please contact the Club Captain on 0421 027 466 or arthurferreira@optusnet.com.au

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