

Heathmont Tennis Club

NEWSLETTER - TERM 3 2019

WELCOME

We want to welcome all the new faces to the Heathmont Tennis Club who have joined over the break. We hope everyone has been able to enjoy the excellent facilities and surrounds we have to offer.

93rd ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING 2019

Dear Members. The Annual General Meeting for 2019 will be held at the Clubhouse on the **Sunday 4th August at 11am**.

The AGM is an excellent opportunity for members to gain an overview of how your club is performing and will cover the following items:

- Confirm the minutes of the previous annual general meeting;
- The President's Report;
- The Treasurer's Report on the performance of the club during the last financial year;
- Election of Office Bearers and the ordinary members of the committee;
- General Business.

As per our constitution, all roles on the committee (Office Bearers and General Committee members) are vacated during the AGM.

Members wanting to nominate for a role on the committee (or assist the club in any way) should do so by advising the Secretary before the AGM – <u>secretary.heathmonttc@gmail.com</u>. The nomination will need to be supported by another member of the club which can be completed at the AGM.

Should you have, any questions regarding the roles on the committee or the AGM feel free to speak to one of the current committee members who will be happy to answer your queries.

MEMBERSHIPS

Reminder to all players that membership season started 1st April. If you are new to the club, we have pro-rata rates available, and Summer memberships are available.

Please visit our website at <u>www.tennis.com.au/heathmont</u> for more information on the membership options available or email <u>membership.heathmonttc@gmail.com</u>.

<u>KEYS</u>

For anyone wanting access to the courts for a social hit, keys are available by contacting Aidan Searle (0466 116 402 or <u>aidansearle@icloud.com</u>).

JUNIORS & SENIORS ERT SUMMER 2019/20 COMPETITION

Sick of the cold mornings! Summer is not far away, and so is Summer Tennis. If you're are interested in playing Juniors on Saturday morning, please Contact Stephen Hoh or Aidan Searle (0466 116 402 or <u>aidansearle@icloud.com</u>). If you are interested in playing ERT Seniors on Saturday afternoon, please email Nick Sheehan (<u>nick.sheehan101@outlook.com</u>) or contact a committee member. Teams are due 1st of September with the Season starting in Term 4 on Sat 12th of October.

Reminder all Juniors and Seniors are required to be members of Heathmont to play competition. Player entry fee will be communicated at the start of the season.

Upcoming Events 2019

- 28th LDNTA Season 3 Teams Due
- August

• 4th – 2019 AGM (11am)

September

- 1st ERT Summer Teams Due
- 2nd LDNTA Season 3 Starts

October

- 12th ERT Summer Season Starts **November**
 - 1st KDNTA 2020 Teams Due
- December
 - Junior Club Champs TBC

NIGHT COMPETITION

While the current seasons have started entries for the last LDNTA Season of 2019 is closing soon and KDNTA Season 1 2020 entries open till November.

If you are interested in playing some night Tennis, we are always on the lookout for extra players and would love to have you on board. We have teams of all abilities and nights as follows:

- Monday Night Ladies Doubles (LDNTA)
- Tuesday Night Men's Doubles (LDNTA/KDNTA)
- Wednesday Night Mixed Doubles (LDNTA)
- Thursday Night Open Singles/Doubles (KDNTA)

Lilydale District Night teams for Season 3 are due 28th July with the season starts in September. Knox District teams for Season 1 2020 are due 1st November with Season 1 beginning February 2020.

A reminder that all night competitions players are required to be members, with membership starting at \$20.

If you are interested in playing, please contact Aidan Searle on 0466 116 402 or email: aidansearle@icloud.com.

SUGGESTION BOX

Have you ever been at the club and thought, "Wouldn't it be good if ...", or "I wish the club had ...", or "How do I get to know other members?" To capture these thoughts, we have placed a Suggestions Box on the kitchen bench of the clubhouse, next to the telephone. You can make suggestions anonymously, or if you would like a reply, please include your name and contact details. Please remember that the committee members are volunteers and are looking after our club in their spare time, so it would be appreciated if you used appropriate language (i.e. only positive suggestions and constructive criticism). Feel free to tell us what you like about the club also. You can still email us anytime with questions, concerns and ideas.

KEEPING UP TO DATE WITH HEATHMONT TENNIS CLUB

As always please check the Heathmont Club Website & Facebook Page to keep up to date with what's happening at the club. Notices as also posted in the clubhouse.

https://www.tennis.com.au/heathmont/ https://facebook.com/HeathmontTC/

COACHING UPDATE FROM ZENITH TENNIS ACADEMY



We have been delighted with the progress that many of our players have been making over the past couple of terms, both in lessons as well as competitions.

The July school holidays were extremely busy with clinics as well as tournaments. It was great to see 30+ kids at our clinics each day braving the cold weather and enjoying themselves out on-court (instead of being inside sitting on the couch looking at iPads!)! We also had active participation numbers in tournaments, with 10+ kids competing in Australian Ranking junior events, and also 3 of our 10/u 'young guns' playing in their first-ever official tournament. Special mention to Nash Milne for winning through his first round and getting his first-ever national ranking points, as well as Saketh Rao who came runners up in his event!

With junior club comp starting back up, as well as a tournament trip to Traralgon next holidays, we are looking forward to a strong next few months of tennis!

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