



Newsletter May 2019

Legana Tennis Club

What a great season it has been for the Legana Tennis Club. There has been plenty of action, in our popular intraclub pennants, and competitions (see The Examiner article at the end), our successful interclub and ladies midweek teams. And with the commencement of two great junior programs this year, it has been busy.



Club Committee Season Acknowledgements

The Club 2018/2019 Committee (Ros Burr, Craig Boyce, David Webb, Jeff Walker, Vis Naidoo, Di Aurik, Don Aurik, Andrew Faulkner, Tony Phillips, Patrick Kerrison and Marcel Kerrison) continue to meet the first Wednesday of each month to organise club events and competitions, and club administration. Thank you everyone in our Club for your time to:

- ★ organise Club teams that have played in the Tennis North A-Grade Monday and Wednesday night competitions, and Mid-Week Ladies
- ★ coordinate and organise our intraclub competitions, championships, BBQ's, and the upcoming Winter Warmers
- ★ prepare the courts for our safe play
- ★ and maintain the grounds and clubrooms

It's what makes our Club, great!

Committee highlights:

- In December, we visited the Dennis Tucker Museum, Newstead. Dennis, with much pride, showed us his extraordinary collection of tennis memorabilia from all around the globe, tennis names and eras. If you would like the opportunity visit the Museum, let the Committee know and we will contact Dennis to see if another visit can be organised in the future.
- West Tamar Mayor Christina Holmdahl, Deputy Mayor Joy Allen and Councillors Richard Ireland and Lyndon Ferguson visited our Club in April to see and hear the concerns of the Committee regarding the state of the courts (in particular court 3). We look forward to ongoing conversations with the Council, how we can work together to improve the Club facilities, increase Club memberships and participation in tennis in Legana.
- Tennis Tasmania have recently visited the Club, to check our facilities, courts and club rooms. This visit is part of a state-wide club audit. We look forward to hearing from Tennis Tasmania soon.
- Every second Friday afternoon the Club has hosted the Junior Tennis Pennant, coordinated by coach Jason Fletcher. Teams from Legana, Deloraine and Riverside have competed in this fantastic junior competition, further developing their play. We look forward to hosting this great pennant again.
- Working with our Club coach, Jason Fletcher, to host a Junior Tennis Program, each Tuesday afternoon, during terms 1 and 2. An eager group of young players regularly attend, learning how to play tennis.



The poster is for a Junior Tennis program for ages 3-17. It features a cartoon tennis ball character in the top left corner. The background is red with white diagonal lines. Text is centered and includes contact information for Jason Fletcher.

Legana Tennis Club
www.tennis.com.au/legana/

Junior Tennis 3 - 17 years

Learn to play with our qualified coaches.
New juniors welcome!
Racquets and balls supplied.

Tuesday afternoons, 4 - 5.30pm
Term 1 & Term 2
Commencing 19th February
Legana Tennis Club / Fulton St, Legana

Amazing price!
Only \$25 per child
(includes junior membership)

For further information and to register your child:

Di - 0417 531 360
Jason - 0437 338 518
(Jason Fletcher Tennis)



The Club Annual General Meeting will be held in August. Any members that would like to consider being part of the committee, we would love to hear from you. Contact Marcel on 0437 312 271 or mykerros@gmail.com for more information.

Veterans Championship Results 2019

Ladies Doubles Winners	Di Aurik & Ros Burr
Runners Up	Judy McIntosh & Narelle Ellmers
Men's Doubles Winners	Craig Boyce & David Webb
Runners Up	Don Aurik & Nigel McKinlay
Mixed Doubles Winners	David Scott & Di Aurik
Runners Up	Craig Boyce & Ros Burr

Club Championship Results 2019

Ladies Doubles Winners	Judy McIntosh & Narelle Ellmers
Runners Up	Ros Burr & Bianca Hannah
Mixed Doubles Winners	Craig Boyce & Ros Burr
Runners Up	Andrew Micheletto & Judy McIntosh
Men's Doubles Winners	Craig Boyce & Andrew Faulkner
Runners Up	Riley Dunn & Kiran Naidoo
Ladies Singles Winner	Di Aurik
Runner Up	Judy McIntosh
Men's Singles Winner	Ronan Naidoo
Runner Up	Stuart Lake
Junior Boy's Winner	Kiran Naidoo
Runner Up	Stuart Lake
Junior Girls Winner	Maddie Faulkner
Runner Up	Monique Faulkner

Congratulations to all players!

Club Memberships

As a Club, we pride ourselves in being a friendly, welcome and social club! We cater for all ages, abilities and playing ability. We welcome new and old players to be part of our Club. The Committee would like to take this opportunity to welcome our newest Club members this year, with a number of juniors joining our Club participating in the Junior Tennis Program each Tuesday, first time tennis players.

New memberships are always welcome! If you know of someone that is looking to play tennis or become a club member, information is available on our website or they can contact the Club directly via our Facebook page as well. Contact details below.

Inter-Club Pennant A, B & C Grades 2019 (Spring – Summer)

If you are interested in playing in this Monday night competition, contact **David Webb on 0419 318 534** or **Craig Boyce on 0447 501 209**.

Thursday Night Club Pennant (spring - summer)

Our popular Thursday Night (intra-club) pennant season commenced in February, 2019. It is always a great night of games, competition, conversations and laughing.

This friendly competition caters for all skill levels: from first-time pennant players to wily veterans. We're always looking for new players in this competition. If you are interested in playing in the Spring, or if you would like to know more, contact **Di Aurik on 0417 531 360** or **David Webb on 0419 318 534**.



Congratulations Mid-Week Ladies!

A huge congratulations to the Legana Tennis Club's Division 3 women's team, Ros, Judy, Christine, Carol and Narelle, winning the Tennis North midweek final! Well done ladies!



Don't forget the ladies have a social hit on Mondays at 10am all year round. If you are interested and would like to know more give **Ros a call on 0417 413 560.**

Coaching

Jason is a Junior Development Coach, Tennis Australia. Contact Jason for individual and group tennis lessons (juniors and adults) or fitness training. Jason also offers a restring service and sells balls, racquets and tennis clothing. Contact Jason on 0437 338 518 or hollyhope30102015@gmail.com

Our Club is committed to providing playing and development opportunities for all members.
We encourage members to visit our website to keep up to date with Club information.
Any suggestions for the improvement of the club are warmly welcomed!

Contact us:

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Tony Phillips (Secretary) M: 0412 315 880

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Ronan Naidoo and Di Aurik win Legana Tennis Club championships



Champion: Ronan Naidoo.

Ronan Naidoo and Di Aurik added to their impressive records with victory in the Legana Tennis Club men's and women's singles championships at the weekend.

Naidoo, 17, won his fifth straight men's title with a 6-0, 6-4 win against rising junior Stuart Lake, 16.

Aurik was too strong for Judy McIntosh in the women's final, triumphing 6-2, 6-2, for her ninth club singles title.

McIntosh and Narelle Ellmers won the women's doubles championships after defeating Ros Burr and Bianca Hannah 6-5, 6-1 in the final.

Andrew Faulkner and Craig Boyce staged a comeback from 4-7 to 8-8 before winning their semi-final in a tiebreak against Don Aurik and Tony Phillips. They faced young guns Kiran Naidoo and Riley Dunn in the rain-affected final played over two weekends and wrapped up the men's doubles title 6-3, 6-4.

Boyce and Burr won the mixed doubles title 6-5, 6-4 against Andrew Michieletto and McIntosh. Kiran Naidoo, 13, took out the boys' singles title against Lake.

Source: <https://www.examiner.com.au/story/6075570/naidoo-aurik-in-control-of-titles/>

Thank you also to those Committee members for taking on the responsibility of organising these great tournaments and pennants