

MOUNT BEAUTY TENNIS CLUB INC
Tennis Court Avenue, Mount Beauty Vic 3699



NEWSLETTER AUGUST 2020

Hello to all members.

The Committee hopes everyone is well and weathering the COVID -19 restrictions.

***** *There is important information below, so please read carefully.* *****

OUR COMMITTEE

We are pleased to welcome Linda Carter to the Committee as the new Membership Officer. Linda replaces Hugh Skey, who retired from the position earlier in the year after a long stint in this role, for which we are very grateful, for both his expertise and attention to detail regarding memberships. Linda has previously been in this role some years ago and we are lucky to have her join us again.

We are still one person short on the committee and would welcome enquiries/new additions. So please, consider doing a short stint to help run the club.

Annual General Meeting (AGM)

Due to current restrictions in movement and attending meetings at the clubhouse, the 2020 Annual General Meeting (AGM) this year will be held by a Zoom meeting on **9th September at 7pm.**

An email will be sent to all members providing the details for joining the meeting. If you do not have Zoom on your device (eg PC), you will have to download the App.

Nomination forms and Proxy voting forms are also being sent with this Newsletter.

2020/2021 MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL

It is membership renewal time again and this year the process will be different.

This Newsletter is being sent out to all members, via their Tennis Victoria registered email address. If any member discovers (perhaps through other members) that they have not received it, along with the attached **2020/2021 Membership Application Form**, you should do three things:

1. Ensure your email address registered with Tennis Victoria is correct, and update it if it is not. (Log-in to your My Tennis account to do this).
2. **THEN** advise the Membership Officer (Linda Carter) on **0417 575 837** or through lcgeelong@bigpond.com of your new email address.
3. **AND** request a copy of the form to be sent to your new email, for completion.

Why is this renewal process different for 2021?

Later this year Tennis Victoria is changing the on-line system for club memberships. Due to this change, and having a new Membership Officer just starting, Tennis Victoria have agreed for Mt Beauty Tennis Club to process renewals by a paper form, until the new system is operational and we can be trained in its use.

So, for this year, the attached form **MUST** be used by **ALL** members, with payment being made by EFT or cash to the club bank Account (**BSB 063722 Account 10022096**), or by cheque sent to the Club's mailbox (**The Treasurer, PO Box 335, Mt Beauty, 3699**)

Do not leave forms, money or cheques at the clubhouse.

Note: Deposits to the Club's bank account should have the reference:

MBTC <your surname>,

so that we can reconcile payments with renewal forms.

Membership renewals are not able to be made using the MYTennis website.

RECENT NEW MEMBERS

If you have recently joined the Tennis Club and paid your fees, please contact the Membership Officer **BEFORE** completing the form or paying new fees.

2021 FEE STRUCTURE

The Committee has determined that the fees for 2020/21 will be kept at the previous year level, with no increase, to compensate for lost playing time due to Covid-19.

In addition, ball fees will be reduced by 25%

ATTACHMENTS

There are three attachments with this Newsletter:

1. 2020/21 Application / Renewal Form
2. Nomination Form for the AGM
3. Proxy Voting Form for the AGM