# Courtside News

errey Hills Tennis Club

Yulong Road Terrey Hills NSW 2085

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## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

**Hi Members** 

I am sure that most of you are aware of the problems our Club has had for some considerable time with the Coach/Centre Manager and the detrimental effect this had had on the Club's reputation. Dealing with this matter has been very time-consuming and frustrating for the Committee and I thank committee members for their efforts in bringing it to finality. The Licence Agreement with John Paul La Fou was mutually terminated on 12 May and the Club can now move on.

Our facility will now be managed under the Inspire Tennis banner with Tennis Director Brenton Dumbrell and Eddie Borsboom as Head Coach. Inspire Tennis is a professional organisation and I am sure our Club will benefit greatly from their management and coaching expertise. I welcome Brenton, Eddie and the Inspire Tennis team to our Club.

The Careel Bay Challenge was finally held on 1 May, with Careel Bay again being too strong for us. Lisa Catto, our Club Captain, deserves a big thank you for the enormous amount of work she put in organising the event with the Club Captain from Careel Bay. Thanks to "the ladies" for the superb catering which made the day so enjoyable. Also, thanks to Ross Kempshall who spent considerable time making the Club presentable and for his BBQ duties.

On 5 December 2015, the Club farewelled Mick Latta, the past President, and his wife, Fay, and wished them all the best for their new life in Queensland.

Finally, the Club extends congratulations to Anastasia Berezov, a junior member, on winning the Australian 12/U Girls Singles Championship.

Enjoy ten<mark>nis</mark> Phil Smythe, President



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# **FROM INSPIRE TENNIS**

On behalf of Inspire Tennis I would like to mention that we are excited to be a part of THTC!

For any members looking for coaching or court hire at the club, feel free to speak with us over the coming weeks. Information has also been set up online - please see the links below;

Coaching Program & Venue Info: Click here to view. Court Hire Info: Click here to view.

We are looking forward to growing a fantastic coaching program at THTC, and developing a positive and progressive relationship with the club and its members moving forward.

#### **Brenton**

# CONANAITTEE

COMMITTEE	
President	Phil Smythe
Vice President	Carolyn Watters
Treasurer	Ross Kempshall
Secretary	Colin Chase
Club Captain	Lisa Catto
Committee Members	Sue Moore, Jenny Murphy, Margot Tredinnick & Noel Wheatley
Coaching	Inspire Tennis

#### SOCIAL TENNIS FOR MEMBERS

## Saturday Afternoon

Tennis typically starts on a Saturday afternoon at 1:30 pm continuing until the sun goes down or until the desire for a drink and some socialising overtakes the desire to play tennis. Matches consist of doubles, mens, ladies and mixed. Why not come along and have a set—we are sure you will enjoy it!

### **Tuesday Night**

Tuesday evening social tennis starts at 7.30 pm and continues until either weariness or lights out at 11.00pm brings proceedings to a close.

All social tennis is free to paid-up members and this includes use of the court lights, tennis balls that are provided by the club and the occasional barbecue.

## **MONDAY NIGHT LADIES COMP**

In the Autumn comp this year we have 8 teams playing in various grades of the competition. With only one week of the home and away comp left before the finals we wish all teams success for the weeks ahead.

#### **COURT HIRE BOOKINGS & LESSONS**

Inspire Tennis manages bookings of court hire which is open to all club members and the public. Some or all courts are not available during times of social tennis and courts are also reserved for competition tennis on specific competition days or nights. You can speak to the office to find an appropriate time to hire a court for your own playing use. Courts may be hired in the evenings up to 11.00pm at which time court lights are automatically extinguished. The coaching team is also available for all your tennis lesson requirements.

### **CAREEL BAY CHALLENGE**

On a sunny Sunday 1 May we hosted the Careel Bay Challenge at Terrey Hills. Five teams of four players took to the courts and played 6 sets per court. The club winning the most number of games on the day becomes the winner and collects the trophy. There was some great tennis played and everyone enjoyed a very social day. Once again Careel Bay were winners on court and retained the trophy. However, Terrey Hills were winners in the kitchen and put on a beautiful spread enjoyed by all after the tennis had finished. Thanks to all who contributed to making it such a great club day. The next Challenge will be held on Sunday 13 November at Careel Bay—so put this date in your diary and hopefully you can join us to help bring the trophy back to Terrey Hills Tennis Club.



















