### Terrey Hills Tennis Club

Courtside News

Yulong Road Terrey Hills NSW 2084

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### Hi All

Inspire Tennis has appointed Martin Coates as our Club Coach/Manager. Martin comes from England (we won't hold that against him) and has 25 years of coaching experience and holds a Level 5 Master Coach LTA coaching qualification. He has been Coach/Manager at clubs in England, where he developed both junior and senior coaching programs. He is very keen to develop juniors at our Club and has discussed his ideas with the Committee. We look forward to a good and productive relationship with Martin and I hope all members will make him feel welcome at our Club. The court gate combination padlock system has been operational for the last month and is running smoothly. The Committee has sent a letter to Tennis Northern Beaches regarding the unreasonable conditions imposed by our Lease with the old Warringah Council. These conditions require the end of life renewal of Council assets at the Club's cost and will make the Club financially unviable in the future. We requested that TNB approach the Mayor and Councillors on behalf of all Clubs concerned, to have the lease reviewed. This is in progress and we are hoping for a good outcome.

Enjoy tennis - Phil



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### **THTC COMMITTEE**

President Phil Smythe Committee Members: Sue Moore

Vice PresidentCarolyn WattersMargot TredinnickTreasurerRoss KempshallJenny MurphySecretaryColin ChaseLeanne Price

Club Captain Noel Wheatley

### **SOCIAL TENNIS FOR MEMBERS**

### Saturday Afternoon Social

Commences at 1:30pm 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— you will enjoy it!

### **Tuesday Night**

Commences at 7.00pm and continues until either weariness or lights out at 11.00pm bring proceedings to a close. All social tennis is free to members and this includes use of the court lights and tennis balls that are provided by the club. Numbers and standard has been progressively increasing which makes for a great nights tennis.

### **CONGRATULATIONS ANASTASIA - JUNIOR FED CUP WINNER**

Australia have qualified for the Junior Fed Cup Finals by winning the Asia/Oceania qualifying tournament held in Malaysia. The team of sixteen-year-old Olivia Gadecki (Hollywell, Qld), 15-year-old Annerly Polous(ACT) and 14-year-old Anastasia Berezov (Terrey Hills, NSW) were captained by Emma Doyle. Berezov got Australia off to a winning start in Saturday's final against Indonesia. They had beaten New Zealand, India, Hong Kong, Chinese Taipei and Japan in the earlier rounds. The Fed Cup team will join Australia's Junior Davis Cup side at the finals in Budapest later this year.





### **CLUB MAINTENANCE & REPAIRS**

Many thanks to Ross Kempshall and Phil Smythe who are often maintaining and repairing what needs to be done at the club. Often this work goes unnoticed and so we say a big thank you now for all your efforts in keeping our club in good order.



## Coaching News

Inspire Tennis in partnership with Terrey Hills Tennis Club has recently appointed Martin Coates as its new Tennis Manager. Martin will be overseeing the development, promotion and management of all aspects of tennis activities at the club. Martin has been involved in tennis from the age of six and having been coaching for over 25 years. His aim is to raise the profile of the club, bring the club together more, increase membership and build the coaching program. During the last 20 years he has been running his own tennis coaching business in the UK. Martin has coached tennis at every level and has been fortunate enough to gain a broad knowledge of all areas of the sport. Martin is currently living on the Northern beaches with his partner Caroline. Apart from being a tennis professional Martin is a qualified open water diver and has a keen interest in water sports particularly swimming and windsurfing.

Free taster sessions, parents evenings, specific coaching sessions for adults and juniors and increased links with the local schools are just a few items on Martin's list to promote tennis at Terrey Hills. Also to foster a strong relationship with Tennis Australia to help support the club with various development areas.

We look forward to working with Martin to make Terrey Hills Tennis Club a vibrant tennis centre.

Anyone who would like to meet Martin and become involved with Tennis at Terrey Hills please contact him at martin@Inspiretennis.com.au or phone him on 0421 662 084.





# On Court



Socially



The girls enjoying a drink with Ursula who returned to Saturday Social after a nasty bike riding accident.







It was great to have Mick Latta past Member & President back on court as he was passing through Sydney.



