

Terrey Hills Tennis Club Courtside News

Yulong Road
Terrey Hills NSW 2084

September 2020

Members

2020 continues to be a challenging year with the effects of Covid-19. Thankfully we have been able to put practices in place to ensure our centre remains open. We still need to be careful and adhere to the social distancing requirements and if members use the toilets on club days please comply with the sanitising instructions displayed. We will soon have a registered Covid 19 plan which will be displayed in the clubrooms.. Thanks to Leanne Price for her work with this.

The AGM was held on 19 September. The outgoing committee was re-elected with a change in committee members, Stuart Glase replacing Merri Mack. We thank Merri for her contribution and welcome Stuart to the committee.

Congratulations to Monday night Ladies competition teams, who have again done well. More information on recent results is provided in this newsletter.

There has been some progress on the Lease problems. Tennis NSW, with their Club Restart program, will be meeting with the Council in the next few weeks regarding the onerous condition the old Warringah Council Lease imposes on the Clubs. Hopefully something may come of this. The saga continues.

We are applying for grants to help with the cost of replacing the 22 year old metal halide floodlights on court 2 to court 5 with LED floodlights. The light output from the old floodlights has deteriorated to the stage where it no longer meets the Australian Standard for tennis court lighting.

Stay healthy and enjoy tennis—Phil Smythe—President

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OUR COMMITTEE

President	Phil Smythe
Vice President	Carolyn Watters
Treasurer	Ross Kempshall
Secretary	Colin Chase
Club Captain	Noel Wheatley

Committee Members:	Sue Moore
	Margot Tredinnick
	Jenny Murphy
	Leanne Price
	Geoff Jacobs
	Stuart Glase

SOCIAL TENNIS FOR MEMBERS

Saturday Afternoon Social

Commences at 1:00pm 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! Many thanks to Ross Kempshall who regularly mans the board and has the challenging job of placing players on court and providing everyone with a fun afternoon of tennis.

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. Many thanks to Margot Tredinnick who co-ordinates weekly communication via email to regular players. If you would like to be included on the Tuesday Night Social email list please let Margot know.

COMPETITION

Congratulations to our Monday night ladies 2020 autumn competition winners:

Grade 1: Sara Simpson Morrison and Kirsten Quinn

Grade 4: Leanne Caristo and Deb Dunn

Wednesday ladies comp runners up
Deb Dunn and Carol Cridland.

The following teams are playing in the 2020 Monday night ladies spring competition:

Grade 1: Sara Simpson Morrison & Kirsten Quinn
Sharon Wilson & Linda Parker

Grade 2: Carolyn Watters & Jenny Murphy

Grade 3: Margot Tredinnick & Sue Falkner
Leanne Caristo & Deb Dunn



VALE IVOR LIVINGSTON

A memorial service was held on 18th September 2020 for much loved member Ivor Livingston who passed away in March. A much loved character, friend and competitive player of our club. Ivor you are sadly missed but fondly remembered.



IVOR ISAAC LIVINGSTON

4.4.1945 – 29.3.2020

Son of Edward and Lily
and big brother to Hilary Lowy

Loving husband of Debra Livingston

Adoring dad of Daniel, Nathan, Joshua,
Emma, Benjamin and James

Loving grandfather to Kayla,
Mackenzie and Harper

Great friend to many

*"Roses are red, Violets are blue,
He is much loved, and greatly missed too."*

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Coach's Report



This term has seen plenty of action on court at Terrey Hills Tennis Club. More members have undertaken lessons and have been delighted with the improvement in their tennis. Tuesday and Thursday night clinics have continued and are enjoyed by some passionate players. Friday ladies clinic continues and the ladies are progressing their skills and enjoying their tennis. The term has been busy with several schools undertaking tennis sessions at the courts and more kids have enrolled in tennis lessons after school. I look forward to seeing you on court at Terrey Hills and let me know if I can help you with any of your tennis needs. We offer a restring service. One rule of thumb is that you should take the number of days a week that you play and use that as the number of times per year you should change your strings. Remember you should have a restring per year the number of days per week you play.

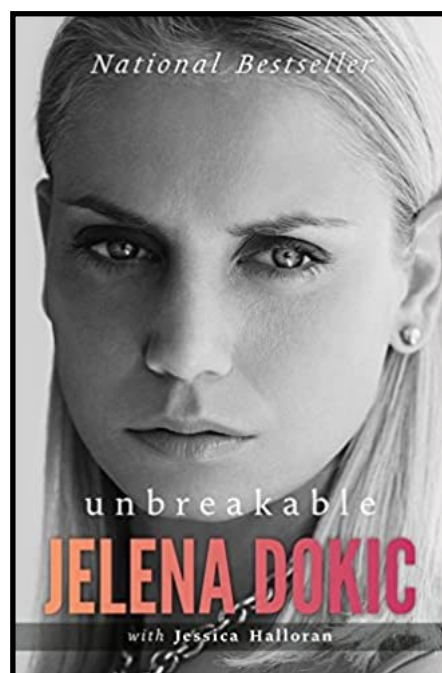


Friday ladies clinic

Thiago Reimers
Head Coach

LOOKING FOR A GOOD TENNIS READ?

UNBREAKABLE by Jelena Dokic is her story of survival. How she survived as a refugee, twice. How she survived on the tennis court to become world No. 4. But, most importantly, how she survived her father, Damir Dokic, the tennis dad from hell.

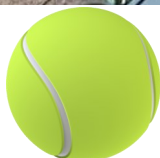
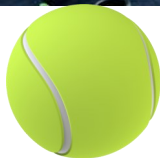




Birthday celebrations



socially distancing



around the clubhouse

Many thanks to members Ross, Geoff and Noel for their work around the clubhouse. Your work is very much appreciated with thanks.

Board Manager—Ross Kempshall

With the arrival of Covid-19 many people have come back to tennis. We can't travel but we can play tennis. Imagine trying to get 42 players on court when there are only 5 courts and everyone wants to play at once. Well, this is the weekly Saturday afternoon job of our Board Manager, Ross Kempshall, who has been doing a fantastic job of getting players on court and mixing up our Saturday social sets. Over the past few weeks we have had an average of 40 players wanting to play Saturday afternoon social tennis. Well done Ross and we don't envy your job but would like to say a big thank you for the great job you do.



Gardeners

Geoff Jacobs and Noel Wheatley

Thank you to our gardeners Geoff and Noel who have trimmed the overhanging trees alongside court 1, treated the moss growing on court 1, mowed the lawns, laid some new turf in patchy areas and undertaken general gardening. This has added to the beautification of our centre and we say a big thank you to you for all your hard work.