# Viewbank Tennis Club Inc



Newsletter Edition 1: August 2023

# Coming Up Soon:

Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> Aug - NENTA Comp commences. Youth Mental Health Day (TBA) LGBTQI+ Open Court Sessions (TBA) Autism & Neurodivergent Sessions (TBA) Social Tennis (TBA) Bunnings BBQ (need volunteers) (TBA) AGM - October (TBA)

# In Memoriam

On behalf of VBTC, the Committee are deeply saddened to hear of the passing of Sandra Peacock (Wife of Alan) Tony Bell Freddie Kleinert

### Your 2023 Committee President Craig Landy Treasurer **Damian Mullens** Sylvia Watson Secretary **Brayden Patterson** Juniors Night Comp Michael Hodder Membership Vacant Member Protection Craig Landy Officer Inclusion Sylvia Watson Officer Other **Darren Hodgson** Committee

# **President Update**

Welcome to our new look newsletter and my first as President. Firstly, I would like to thank the following Members, Adam Betts, Neil George, Laura Waddingham, Nicole Koek, Tom Elmer and Chirag Bhargava for their contributions to the club in their capacity as committee members. They have set the club up for success.



As president my focus is to increase participation and for Viewbank TC to be an inclusive and club of choice whilst being financially responsible.

At our AGM in August 2022, we had 317 active members and as of 30/6/23 360 active members.

In the NENTG Autumn 2023 season we had 14 teams playing in men's, women's and mixed with 9 teams making the finals. Congratulation to the men's S11 (2) who beat the other Viewbank side in the grand final. This coming season we have 13 teams playing all night comps.

Congratulations to the Boys S2 who went back-to-back and have now been promoted to UTR this season, along with 9 other junior teams playing Saturday and Friday.

Our 2 VTA Pennant sides, Grades 7 and 9 are both in the four after 11 rounds with G7 sitting on top. They play on Saturday and Sunday afternoons.

The asbestos in the two bathrooms and storage rooms have been removed by council.

There is a lot happening around the club, keep up with everything on our website, FB and Insta.

We are looking for a Social Media guru to look after all our Social Media avenues and a Membership Co-Ordinator. You don't need to sit on the Committee to look after social media.

If either of these roles appeal to you please reach out to Craig president@viewbanktc.com.au to express interest and more information.

Craig.

# Thank you to our sponsors!



If you have a few hours to spare and would like to contribute to our club, please reach out to any of our current Committee or email <a href="mailto:secretary@viewbanktc.com.au">secretary@viewbanktc.com.au</a> and let us know what you are good at and would like to give a hand with!

#### NEJTA - Autumn 2023

Congratulations Boys 2 on winning your Sections Grand final 2 Seasons In a row.

Aby, Matt, Dennis, Ziru & Alvin



#### Tennis Victoria 2022 Awards

In 2022 VBTC was one of 4 Victorian Tennis clubs nominated as a finalist for "Club of the Year".

Congratulations to Coburg Tennis Club for taking out the honor.

We are very humble to be considered as one of the top Victorian Tennis Clubs. Thank you to all our members who make it possible.

Neil, Craig, Sylvia & Adam











# HINTS & TIPS

- Have you put your rubbish in the appropriate bins provided?
- No access allowed to Club Rooms outside of Competition or Coaching times.
- If you see anything that doesn't look right...let us know!
- If you haven't renewed your 2023/2024 membership, click on this link. <u>https://play.tennis.com.au/viewbanktennisclub/Member</u> ship/Join
- Don't forget when you book a court to make sure you include all names of participants and abide by the T & C's are per link below.

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