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Heathmont Tennis Club  
Newsletter  
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### New Lights ...

The Committee is pleased and excited to announce that the Club's funding application for new lights to courts 3, 6 & 7 has been successful!

Congratulations to Dave Scott & Co for the application which gained us funding assistance from the State Government & Maroondah Council.

Planning is underway, but no firm dates are place as yet. Heathmont Tennis Club will need to contribute just over \$10K (one third of total cost).

Please contact a Committee member if you would like to know more.

### Club Championships ...

Club Champs time again!

These will be held on the following dates:

- Sunday 31st August (PM)
- Saturday 6th September (PM)
- Sunday 7th September (PM)
- Saturday 13th September (AM+PM)
- Saturday 14th September (Finals.. PM)

Entry forms can be collected from Rob Peterson, and in the clubhouse.

Entries are due Saturday 23rd August. The draw will be posted Wednesday 27th August on the clubhouse windows

We would really like to run a ladies singles and doubles this year! So all you ladies out there (Juniors and Seniors) please enter!

### Summer Competition ...

As Winter slowly, slowly draws to a close, the promise of a wonderful summer of tennis approaches.

Juniors - See Robert Peterson by **9th August** if you wish to play Saturday morning competition.

Seniors - Contact David Sellick, again, by **9th August** for Saturday and Sunday afternoon teams.

Competition commences after the school holidays in October.

### Fundraising ...

We are presently in the middle of our Junior Sections' Major Fundraiser, a Cadbury's Chocolate Drive.

The Juniors are busy selling Chocolates trying to earn the prize of a fantastic Wilson Tennis Bag, generously donated by Rob Peterson. Thanks again for your support, Rob.

Only one box of chocolate has been distributed per family but if you think that you would like a shot at winning the Tennis Bag you can contact Meredith Knight for more supplies.

The selling of chocolates is not exclusive to Juniors. If any member would like some to sell (or just eat, confidentiality assured ) again contact Meredith.

Each Section at the club has one major fundraiser per year, so please, when it is your sections turn, get behind the club and give us a hand to keep improving our club and facilities.

## ***Clubhouse Cleaning ...***

All members must ensure that they leave the clubhouse clean and tidy.

The dishes must be washed and put away, bins emptied and if necessary, the floors swept/vacuumed.

Unfortunately, we are being invaded by mice, rats, possums, & hippos! (Ok, only mice) Hence, cleaning is essential!

Also remember to check the heater and lights are turned off before leaving! Thanks kindly!

## ***Maintenance ...***

A new role has been appointed on the committee. Meredith Knight has kindly offered to act as our Maintenance Officer.

Please contact Meredith ASAP with any information or concerns regarding the health & well-being of our club!

## ***Junior Round Robin ...***

Rob will be once again running his famous & successful Junior Round Robin tournament. The more, the merrier! Keep note of the following date & time:

Sunday 10th August 2003  
1PM Sharp  
\$2.00 entry

## ***Ladies Tournament ...***

Many thanks to all the ladies whose contributions helped make the Ladies Tournament in June a stunning success once again!

Special thanks also to Rob Peterson, who donated a racquet to the raffle, helping us to topple our \$1000 fundraising goal!

Fantastic work all involved!

## ***Footy Tipping ...***

Coming towards the end of season, our first HTC Footy Tipping competition is a close affair.

Andrew Jay, a HTC Outsider, leads on 97. In hot pursuit is George Darwent and Michael Hayes, on 95 & 94 respectively.

Chris Jay leads the running for last place, with a pathetic effort which has him on 59!

Wonderful prizes on offer! Make sure you join up next year to be in the running!

## ***Never Forget ...***

To err is human. To put the blame on someone else is doubles.

## ***Wine ...***

To complement our Chocolate fundraiser, 2003 also comes with a Wine Fundraiser too!

We believe we will have a 2001 Chardonnay and a 2001 Cabernet Shiraz Merlot. Please contact Jan Crapper for confirmation of these vintages!

Attached to this newsletter is a order form, which can be returned to any committee member!

## ***Heatherdale Junior Tournament...***

Heatherdale Tennis Club will be hiring our courts for their Junior Tournament.

This will occur during the 1st Week of the September school holidays - from September 22nd.

They will be using 5 Courts. Please be patient, it is important that we support our neighbouring clubs and help foster Junior Tennis within the region.

## ***Victorian Junior Competition...***

Eastern Region Tennis will be using our courts for the Vic. Junior Competition, which commences Sunday 24th August and concludes on the 16th November. For each listed date, courts will be in use from 9am until the listed finish time.

- Sun 24th Aug. 6 Courts until 1:00pm.
- Sun 31st Aug. 4 Courts until 10:30am
- Sun 7th Sept. 4 Courts until 1:00pm
- Sun 14th Sept. 6 Courts until 1:00pm
- Sun 5th Oct. 4 Courts until 10:30pm
- Sun 12th Oct. 4 Courts until 10:30pm
- Sun 19th Oct. 6 Courts until 1:00pm
- Sun 26th Oct. 4 Courts until 1:00pm
- Sun 9th Nov. 4 Courts until 10:30pm
- Sun 16th Nov. 6 Courts until 1:00pm

Robert Peterson will be having all his Sunday morning coaching at Parker Reserve on those dates.

## ***Senior Summary...***

As the season slowly winds to a close, we have a number of teams in contention for finals!

If anyone is interested in joining up for Seniors, and being part of the social atmosphere and enjoying some quality tennis, contact Dave Sellick ASAP!

This year we have had three teams giving their all in the tough pennant competition. Although success has varied, it is great to see increasing participation in this state wide competition! All keen players should keep pennant in mind for next winter!

## ***Junior Jottings...***

Currently our Juniors are progressing solidly towards the finals!

Best of luck to all teams so we can continue our fantastic record of Junior success!

## ***Night Tennis News ...***

Looking forward, we will have many teams in the upcoming Season 2 finals - good luck!

Congratulations also to the "men" in the Geldings who took out the Season 1 premiership for Mens 12 last season.

Teams for Season 3 have already been submitted. However, with the new lights we can comfortably cater for more teams in Season 1 2004.

Please contact David Scott if you are interested in entering a team, joining an existing team, or just want to be an Emergency.

## ***Contributions ...***

If you have any news, suggestions or other contributions you would like within the news letter, please don't hesitate to contact Daniel Sly with the relevant material.

## ***E-NewsLetter ...***

HTC is moving with the times and is looking to distribute the newsletter via E-mail.

If you would prefer to receive your newsletter electronically, please drop a line to:

[news@htc.asn.au](mailto:news@htc.asn.au)

Cheers!

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# **Wine Order - 2003**

## ***Wine from Vermont Winery***

Once again, we have been able to offer these premium wines at **very** competitive prices.

### **2001 South Austvialian Colombard Chardonnay**

*'A broader style showing most complex, toasty fruit and with crisp finish.'*

### **2001 Bleasdale Cabernet Shiraz Merlot**

*'Excellent blend with complexity and style. Rich red colour, pleasing fruit. Cellar up to 4 year.'*

- || Orders will be accepted until early November 2003 (while stocks last)
- || Wine is available NOW for collection.
- || Fill in the section below and send it together with a cheque **or** money order payable to "Heathmont Tennis Club Inc.'
- || Please return to any H.T.C. Committee member.



Wine	Cost per bottle	Cheaper per dozen	Quantity (singles)	Quantity (dozen)	Cost (\$)
Chardonnay	\$8.50	\$95.00			
Cabernet	\$11.00	\$125.00			
<b>Total Cost:</b>					

Name : \_\_\_\_\_

Phone (Home) \_\_\_\_\_

Address : \_\_\_\_\_

Phone (Mobile) \_\_\_\_\_

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Phone(Business) \_\_\_\_\_

Order & Money Returned to: \_\_\_\_\_

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