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Tullamarine Tennis Club News

May 2007

President's Report

Dear Members

Welcome to our May 2007 newsletter.

Unfortunately we had a break in again. There was some small damage to the store room door, which was fixed promptly. Again, this highlights the need to lock the gate behind you if you have come up for a social hit, and in particular lock up the clubroom and gate if you are the last to leave.

We are expecting the sponsorship board to be complete soon to further acknowledge the sponsors the club has attracted. More sponsorship is being organised, including sponsorship of some senior teams.

The Ladies on a Thursday will drop back to one team next season. Whilst this is disappointing, it is a sign of the times and we follow the general trend in the association. To those who will continue playing on a Thursday, best of luck in the new season.

I would also like to wish all the night teams and junior teams competing in the finals in the next few weeks the very best of luck and good fortune. I look forward to hearing of the wins!

Marg

Forms for Next Night Seasons

Forms are due NOW! If you have a form please return to your captain of co-ordinator. Next season start dates are:

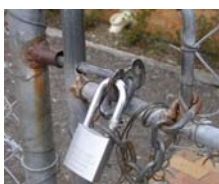
- Tuesday Ladies 7th August
- Wednesday Mixed 15th August
- Thursday Mens 9th August

Membership Application Forms

Attached to the newsletter is a membership application form. Do you know someone who wants to play tennis. The committee would like each member to recruit one new member by the end of 2007. The more members the club has the stronger the club will be.

Pie Drive

A big thank you to those who supported the pie drive – over 180 items have been ordered. Delivery to the club is Saturday 12th May between 11 and 1pm. Many thanks to Sarah Mugavin for organising and co-ordinating the drive.



IMPORTANT

For the security of the club, any player who comes up for a social hit must lock the gate behind them to stop non-members from using the facilities. Please make sure you do this.

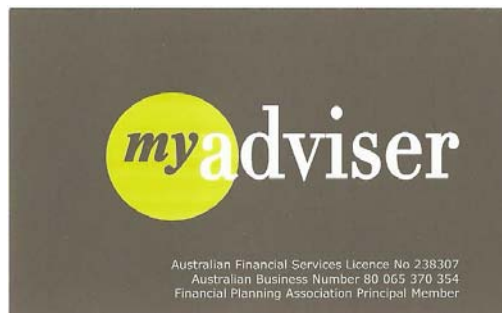
Junior Presentation Day

This will be held the day after the Grand Final – June 17th commencing at 10am. The committee invites all juniors, team managers and parents to bring their shoes and racquets and have a hit. The sponsors will be invited to attend the day – hopefully they will also have a game.

Club Clothing

Are you interested in purchasing a club shirt or jacket? Samples are at the club. An order form is attached to this newsletter. Forms and money must be handed together to any of the following: Donna; Marg; Danny or Greig. Money must be handed in with the order form. As we get enough orders, they will be passed to the supplier.

Major Sponsor of the Club



Members of the committee have been working very hard to encourage more sponsorship. Sponsorship has been obtained from:

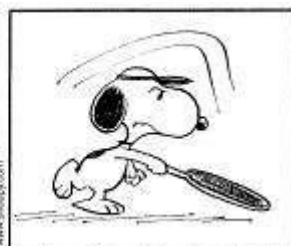
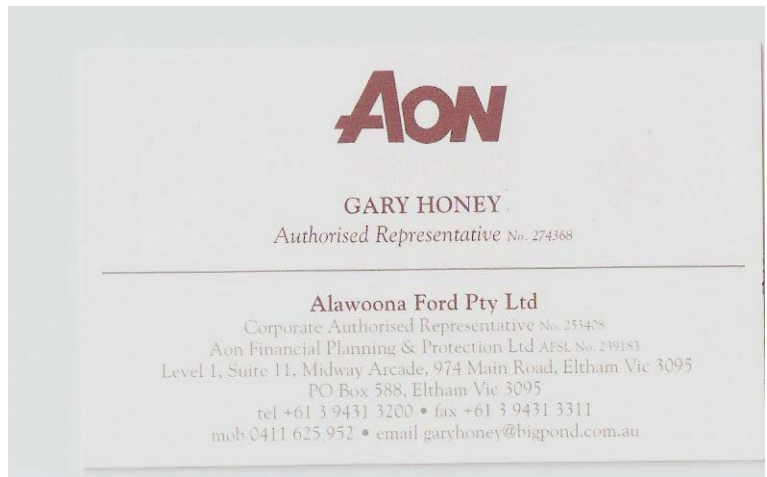
- Dawson Street milk bar
- Metric Men
- North Eastern Power
- ANON

Please support these sponsors. .

WELCOME TO THE



DAWSON ST. CONVENIENCE STORE
 Proud Sponsors of the Tullamarine Football Club and Cricket Club



Are any of these familiar – be honest

- ♥ You know you play too much tennis when you hold your pencil with an eastern grip.
- ♥ You know you watch too much tennis when you have the calendar marked for all the tournaments for the next 5 years.
- ♥ You know you watch too much tennis when you can impersonate every player.
- ♥ You know you play too much tennis when you practice your swing with an imaginary racquet at least 5 times an hour.

Competition Reports

Look for ladders at:

<http://nsnta.alphalink.com.au/> and <http://home.vicnet.net.au/~nsjta/>

Juniors

With 3 weeks to go to end the season, all six teams are in a strong position to make the finals. Four of the team are currently sitting comfortably in the finals and the other two are a real chance. The 'new' team managed by Danny Roebby have beaten the 2nd and 5th teams in the last few weeks – well done!

The forms have been received for next season and we look like having 6 or maybe 7 teams for season 2.

Denise Lloyd Junior Coordinator

Saturday Competition

Two rounds into the new season.....one team has had a win and a loss. The other team has had two narrow losses. Enjoy your tennis and those cold winds!

Gail

Thursday Ladies Competition

One team is doing very well and is set to make the finals. The other team is struggling, but continuing to enjoy their tennis.

Donna

Night Competitions

Tuesday Night Ladies

All the teams are doing a great job this season. B Special 1 and C Reserve 2 are on top of the ladder, B Reserve 2 and C Special 1 are second. B Grade 1 are fourth with C Special 3 are battling to hold a position in the four, but with luck will get there.

We have a lot of holiday makers in the next few weeks. We wish the a safe and happy holiday (wish it was me!!). We also have a few 'sickies' at the moment – hope they are up and back on the court soon.

I wish all the teams luck in the next few weeks, and with some luck bringing home a flag. Please make sure forms for next season are in by May 15th.

Marg

Wednesday Night Mixed

With 3 rounds to go, two of the teams are well entrenched in the four - the B1 team being undefeated on top of the ladder and the C+2 team clawing their way into 2nd spot with a number of close wins. The B-2 and C2 teams both have a chance to make the finals but will need a strong finish to get there.

There is still a shortage of men for the spring season, so if you are thinking of playing either regularly or as an emergency, fill in the application form from the last newsletter, or contact me on 93380150 or by email

jenalshipp@smartchat.net.au

Alan Shipp

Thursday Night Men's

Only one team is clearly in the top 4 with other teams struggling to string together successive wins. The BBQ is going well and beer sales are improving. There might be a change in supper for next season, if you have any suggestions please let me know, at the moment there have been suggestions of having pizza.

With the beers sales going well, I'm thinking about having a night out for dinner. There maybe a small charge, please let your captains know if you are interested.

Stephen

IMPORTANT NOTICES

The committee has decided to increase the visitor fee to \$10 per hour. This applies from now. If you bring a visitor, please make sure the money is paid to a committee member. If you see non members playing, please collect the money.

To reduce the number of non members playing without a member, please make sure you lock the gate after entering the courts.

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MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION Dated: ___/___/___

I / We hereby apply for Membership of the Tullamarine **Tennis Club Inc** in the category indicated below:
(Please circle where applicable)

SINGLE...COUPLE...PENSIONER...FAMILY...JUNIOR...Full Time STUDENT

If this application is accepted I/We, hereby agree to abide by the Rules and Constitution of the Club.

Family includes Parents/Guardians and Juniors/Full Time Students within the same household only.

SENIORS SURNAME	FIRST NAME	SIGNATURE
1.		
2.		

JUNIORS (16 years and under) / FULL-TIME STUDENTS applying for Membership:

SURNAME	FIRST NAME	DATE OF BIRTH
3.		/ /
4.		/ /
5.		/ /
6.		/ /

Address :		Telephone:	(H)	(W)
			(M Person 1)	(M Person 2)
		Post Code:		(M Other – who?)

Email Address for newsletter delivery:	
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Complete the above application for Membership and forward to a Committee Member or post to:

Tullamarine Tennis Club Inc., PO Box 383, Tullamarine, 3043.

Your application will be submitted at the next Committee Meeting and if accepted, the Treasurer, Sumudu Peiris, (5 Chester Street Greenvale, Telephone No: 9333 4246) will forward an account for fees due.

THE APPROPRIATE JOINING FEE MUST BE ATTACHED TO THIS APPLICATION.

The **2007 - 2008 FEES** are as follows:

<u>MEMBERSHIP TYPE</u>	<u>JOINING FEE</u>	<u>ANNUAL CLUB FEE</u> <small>(PAID FOR FIVE CONSECUTIVE YEARS ONLY)</small>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>5 YEAR "CONTINUOUS MEMBER" FEE</u>
Family #	\$40	\$240	\$280	\$200
Husband & Wife	\$40	\$180	\$220	\$150
Senior	\$40	\$115	\$155	\$90
Junior/Student F/T	\$20	\$75	\$95	\$60

For Club Use Only	
Moved By : _____	Signature : _____
Seconded By : _____	Signature : _____
Application Approved On : ___/___/___	
Notification of Acceptance sent on : ___/___/___	
Joining Fee Paid on : ___/___/___	Receipt
No: _____	
Balance Paid on : ___/___/___	Receipt No: _____

Competition Nomination Form (please complete now)

When accepted as a new member of Tullamarine Tennis Club Inc, I/we wish to apply for team play in the in the following competitions. All competitions are doubles play except for the A & B grades in the junior competition where singles is also played. I/we understand that we may be listed as emergency players for any season in progress and will be added to team selection for the next season.

Please tick selections and note any previous playing experience in "Previous Grade" e.g. Mens C Grade 2002.

Select	Competition	Member's Name	Previous Grade
<input type="checkbox"/>	Juniors Saturday Morning - 8:30am	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	Mixed Saturday Afternoon - 1pm	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	Mens Saturday Afternoon - 1pm	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	Pennant Sunday Afternoon	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	Ladies Tuesday Nights - 7pm	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	Mixed Wednesday Nights - 7pm	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	Ladies Thursday Daytime - 11am	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	Mens Thursday Nights - 7pm	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

If insufficient space above then please add other family members to the table below ... put name in left column and tick competition(s) they would like to play

Other Family Members	Juniors Saturday	Seniors Saturday	Mens Saturday	Pennant Sunday	Tuesday Nights Ladies	Wed. Nights Mixed	Thursday Daytime Ladies	Thursday Nights Mens	Previous Grades Played

Practice & Social Tennis:

Monday nights under lights ... members and prospective members welcome from 7pm to 9pm – first come, first served basis - priority will be given to adult members and court sharing may be required.

Tuesday Morning Seniors Social Tennis ... over 45 y.o. come along and have a friendly hit with like minded seniors, having a hit to keep fit and have some fun. 10am to Noon every Tuesday

Sunday Morning ... juniors hit-up 10am – noon. Some informal coaching will be available . Junior members and prospective junior members welcome. Priority will be given to junior members. Doubles play, time allocations & court sharing may be required.



TULLAMARINE TENNIS CLUB ATTIRE ORDER FORM

Prices: (Money MUST be paid with order form – no rain check or layby)

Jacket \$40.00 Shirt: \$30.00

ITEM REQUIRED (Please indicate quantity required of each item/size). Note: Junior items will have the Tulla Junior Jets logo, senior items will have the club logo

JUNIOR ORDER (JUNIOR JETS LOGO)

	JACKETS		SHIRTS	
SIZES				
8				
10				
12				
Small				
Medium				
Large				
Total				

SENIOR ORDER (TULLA LOGO)

	JACKETS		SHIRTS		
SIZES					TULLA
Small					
Medium					
Large					
Extra Large					
Total					

NAME; _____

ADDRESS: _____

CONTACT NUMBER: _____

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Committee Use Only

Date order form/money received / / Money Received \$ (amount)

Received By Name: _____ Signature: _____