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Tullamarine Tennis Club News

June 2007

President's Report

Dear Members,

Welcome to our June 2007 newsletter.

Once again it is that busy time of year – finals, team selections and “break-ups”. Congratulations to all Competition teams who made it through to the finals. Our Junior B2/D2 have gotten into the Grand Finals, and we wish them luck. Tuesday Night Ladies have experienced an exceptional season with all six teams making the finals, four of those reaching the Grand Final. After a number of tight matches, we ended up with one flag.

On that note, I would like to extend our gratitude on behalf of the Committee, to Coordinators Denise, Donna, Gail, Alan and Stephen for a job well done. It is not an easy task managing a number of teams and we would like to, over the next coming season, work on refining the lines of communication and assistance to our coordinators, team managers and captains, while also familiarizing members with Club roles, responsibilities and policies.

Juniors will be finishing off the season with a barbeque on the 17th of June. On this day, we will also be celebrating the end of an era with Judith “retiring” her position with the Canteen. Judith has given her time freely to this club for well over a decade and in that time, has received many accolades including the Merit Award and her treasured Life Membership. Her contribution is very much appreciated. Rob, her ‘partner in crime’, has been a great support and helps in the background, also allowing us to jog up and down their driveway pursuing balls and keys three nights a week. On behalf of the Committee and myself personally, we thank you both and look forward to seeing you around the Club. Sue Sicari and Sue Dee will manage the Canteen. Balls and Keys for competition will now be collected from Sue Sicari’s home at 46 Catherine Avenue (9338-6850).

Good luck to all teams for the up and coming season, have an enjoyable break!
Last but certainly not least, a big thanks to Dianne Cappelli who has volunteered to take on the role of Webmaster. The TTC website (<http://home.vicnet.net.au/~tullatc/>) is being updated. Many thanks to Dianne for undertaking this role.

Marg

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.

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.

FRENCH OPEN STATISTICS

SINGLES TITLE LEADERS

6 - Bjorn Borg (1974, '75, '78-'81)
4 - Henri Cochet (1926 '28, '30, '32)
3 - Gustavo Kuerten (1997, 2000-01)
3 - Rene Lacoste (1925, '27, '29)
3 - Ivan Lendl (1984, '86, '87)
3 - Mats Wilander (1982, '85, '88)

SINGLES TITLE LEADERS

Evert, 7 titles
Graf, 6 titles.



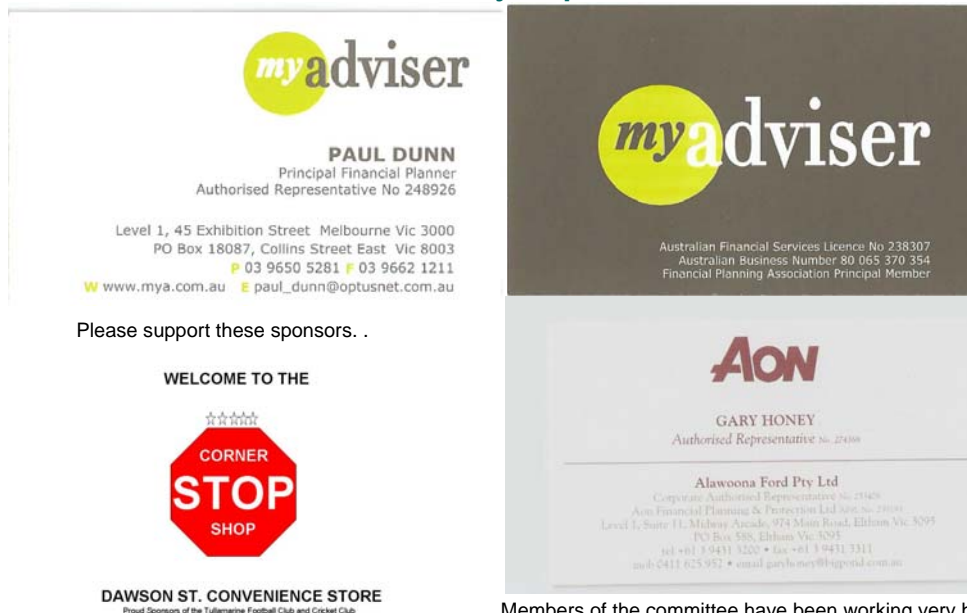
Junior Presentation Day

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



The image displays three sponsorship cards. The top card is for 'myadviser' featuring Paul Dunn, a Principal Financial Planner with license number 248926. The middle card is for 'AON' featuring Gary Honey, an Authorized Representative with license number 27498, representing Alawoona Ford Pty Ltd. The bottom card is for 'Dawson St. Convenience Store', a proud sponsor of the Tullamarine Football Club and Cricket Club, featuring a red octagonal 'STOP SHOP' sign.

Please support these sponsors. .

WELCOME TO THE



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

Calendar of Events

17 th June 2007	Junior end of season break up
August 2007	Lamington and Fairy Cake drive
August 2007	Poker Night
7 th August	Night Tuesday Ladies season starts
15 th August	Night Wednesday Mixed season starts
9 th August	Night Thursday Mens season starts
October 2007	Club Championships
October 2007	Trivia Night
November 2007	Fruit cake drive
November 2007	Open Day
December 2007	Presentation Night
March 2008	Hot Cross Bun Drive
March 2008	Grass court tennis day
May 2008	Pie drive

Competition Reports

Look for ladders at:

NSTNA: <http://www.nsnta.org> and NSJTA: <http://www.nsjta.asn.au/?page=home>

Juniors

I am really proud of all the teams this season. We had six teams, and of those six teams three made the finals. Mixed B Reserves 2 had a convincing win (52-16). C Reserves 2 lost by seven games, and the D Mixed Grade 2 won by three games. Hopefully people can go to watch and support these two teams who made the Grand Final.

As this was my first season as junior coordinator, it has been an experience and one I could not have done without the help of all the juniors and parents. Thank you to all the team managers for their wonderful help this season. It has made my job a lot easier. A very special thanks for Judith in the canteen as we would not have one without her.

Denise Lloyd, Junior Coordinator

Saturday Competition

The new season is well underway. The top team is going well with a number of wins. The test will be if they can survive Carmello's extended absence due to Collingwood's preferential treatment by the AFL!! The other team is battling away, but having less success than last year. Their afternoon teas are legendary though, so that is bound to be a highlight. Hang in there both teams, and keep enjoying your tennis.

Gail

Thursday Ladies Competition

Neither of the mid week ladies teams made finals. Thanks to all for another testing season. Special thanks to ladies who filled in especially those who were emergencies but played many weeks.

Donna

Night Competitions

Tuesday Night Ladies

What a wonderful season we have had ! I believe we may have created a record, six out of six teams to the finals. Four out of the six have made it to the Grand Finals, and by the time this article is out the top team B Special 1 will have won their Grand Final. The other three - C Special, C Special 3 and C Reserve 2 unfortunately experienced washouts and will attempt to get through on the 6th June.

I would like to thank all the players and captains Pam, Sue, Melissa, Heather, Sue Dee and Rochelle for their wonderful support throughout the season. A lot of these people are great Club people and put their teams first. I particularly want to thank a few emergencies - Cathy Reid, Jenny Shipp and Bev Cassar, they went above and beyond to help us get there, their efforts are very much appreciated.

This coming season we have maintained six teams, welcoming back some players who through illness or holidays took a break. On this note, on behalf of everyone I would like to wish Lori all the best on her future plans, we will miss her when she leaves.

Our "Night Out" will be at "Fiesta" Mickleham Rd. on Tuesday 12th June at 7.00pm. Mid week ladies will be joining us and any other ladies from our club who would like to join us are welcome. Please contact Donna or myself.

Have a good break, see you next season. Good luck to teams still to play. Well done to everyone.

Marg

Wednesday Night Mixed

A very good autumn season came to an unfortunate end with two teams losing grand finals. The B1 team came as close as possible, tying after the six sets then losing the tie-breaker by the smallest possible margin - 2 points. Congratulations to Carmelo Tomasello and his team for finishing on top of the ladder and going so close. The C+2 team also made the grand final after a number of close wins, only to go down to the top team (who left out their 3 best players in their easy semi final win the week before), who were clearly the outstanding team in the grade. Congratulations to Jenny Shipp and her team for coming from outside the four at mid-season to finish as runners-up.

The C2 team jumped into the four after a round 13 win, only to lose in the last round. But the teams outside the four could not muster a win either, so they held on to fourth spot, only to go down to the eventual premiers in the semi final.

Many thanks to the captains- Chris Reid, Ravi Peiris, Maria Ciavarella , Carmello and Jenny for their great work throughout the season. Looking forward to Spring 07.

Alan Shipp

Thursday Night Mens

Stephen

Sunday Pennant

A number of fill-ins have been required, with the team struggling for wins. The big news is Carmello won his first competitive singles match ever recently. Well done Carmello – keep up the good work.

Danny

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.

Thursday Mens Team

A RESERVE 1

Harley Cross
Andrew Hawkins
Colin Welsh
Michael Thompson
Ray Driver
Danny Roeby

B SPECIAL 2

Stephen Chan
Rodney Way
Tony Sicari
Jason Stakic
Carmelo Tomasello
Darko Ratkovic

B GRADE 3

Chris Reid
Fabio Di Lizia
Andrew Sicari
Greig Morris
Daniel Brewinski
Paul Di Lizia (E)

C GRADE 3

Carl Kringle
Alex Akers
Alan Ross
Alan Isherwood
Chris Isherwood
Vince Tomasello
John Sanocky (E)

C RESERVE 3

Chenz Adorisio
Zoran Sagi
Daniel Booth
Joe Ciavarella
Josh Kringle
Robert Barone
Frank Howard (E)
Brett Winter (E)
Ravi Peiris (E)

C RESERVE 4

Nick Di Lizia
Nick Rutkowski
Michael Maiorano
Ben Vega
Tim Vega
John Pereira (E)

D SPECIAL

Sam Foti
Colin Akers
John Lancaster
Mark Palmer
Lucus Young
Mario Mariani
Ian Lawton

Tuesday Night Ladies

A Reserve 2

Christina Chan
Melanie Evans
Pam Lloyd (C)
Maria Peel (VC)
Elza Stakic
Lori Hicks (E)

B Reserve 2

Melissa Billman
Dianne Cappelli (VC)
Lyn Evans
Sue Kent
Helene Kristitz
Sumudu Pieris

C Special 3

Dani DiSalvatore
Cathy Reid
Gail Riddell
Karen Sanocky (C)
Shelley Wheaton (VC)
Jennifer Dobney (E)
Jenny Shipp

B Grade 1

Joanne Lanaghan
Sarah Mugavin
Sue Sicari (C)
Jessica Smith
Dawn Zimsen (VC)

C Special 1

Marcia Barone
Donna Camilleri
Heather Hawkins (C)
Marg Mugavin
Ellen Wright

C Reserve 2

Leanne Adams
Sue Dee
Rochelle Hope-Lane
Jan Rhodes
Sue Rowan
Elyse Sicari
Bev Cassar (E)

Wednesday Night Mixed

(Emergencies in *italics*)

Melanie EVANS		Carmelo TOMASELLO	
Sumudu PEIRIS	B+2	Adrian WALSH	
Sarah PEREIRA		Chris REID	C
Lyn EVANS		Peter EVANS	
Sarah MUGAVIN		Grant HAWKINS	
Dawn ZIMSEN	B-3	Alan SHIPP	
		<i>Joel CIAVARELLA</i>	
Carmel PEIRIS		Frank HOWARD	
Jenny SHIPP	C	Ravi PEIRIS	C
Audrey THOMPSON	C1	Allan ROSS	
<i>Melissa BILLMAN</i>			
Kathy CROSS		Joe CIAVARELLA	
Anna DILIZIA		John PEREIRA	
Ruth MARTIN	C3	John SANOCKY	
Louise PEREIRA		Robert BARONE	
		Alex AKERS	
Maria CIAVARELLA	C	Scott GEORGE	
Lucy PEREIRA		Mario MARIANI	
Helene VOLTZ	D+	Stan WRIGHT	
<i>Elise SICARI</i>			

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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	TULLA
SIZES			
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: _____