



Newsletter Sept 2011

Dear Members,

Annual General Meeting

The 77th Annual General Meeting was held on the 6th of August at the Clubrooms. The following members were elected to the Management Committee:

Patron	Sylvia Langridge
President	Lloyd Russell
Treasurer	Doug Dixon
Secretary	Alison Coats
Men's Club Captain	James Spence
Junior Club Captain	Megan Bruynel
Committee	Dave Murison
	John Mander
	Kevin Parish
	Judith Tatom
	Johnathan Tilley

A copy of the Financial Accounts and the Minutes of the meeting are available on request.

Earthquake Recovery

As recently advised the Club commissioned a Geotechnical survey of the land underneath our courts. The report indicated that the land varies from court 1 to court 7 and that remedial work, if necessary or viable, would vary from court to court. To more accurately identify this we have commissioned a further, more detailed survey. This will be carried out this week and results will be available shortly after. We will keep you informed as we work our way through the exercise.

In the meantime, as previously advised, the Club will carry out a temporary repair to all damaged court surfaces. The Committee has let the contract to resurface courts 4 and 5 with good, used, two-tone Tigerturf, similar to the surface of courts 1 - 3. This work will be undertaken first, and once these courts are laid and playable, the Tigerturf on courts 1 - 3 will be lifted, the liquefaction cleaned out and levelled, and the Tigerturf replaced. At all times four courts will be playable to enable all our usual activities to continue. It is hoped that the programme will commence from 5th September and be completed in approximately two weeks.

Women's Midweek Teams

Our Monday B team is in need of some additional players to boost its roster. Competition matches are played on a home and away basis against other clubs on most Mondays excluding school holiday periods. Matches are followed by lunch. If there are any members who are interested in playing in this team on a regular or part-time basis please contact Ann Crawford, Tel 3666476. We also have a Wednesday B team and a Wednesday A team which are also available to new participants.

Weekend Competition Teams

Teams are being formed now for all Men's and Women's grades and players are welcome.

A wide range of grades are available from Premiere to Div4 in the men's, and Premiere to Div 3 in the women's.

Matches will be played around club courts this year on Saturdays and Sundays.

Lists are on the notice board at the Club, or contact James Spence, Club Captain, on Tel 3559707.

Social

We will continue with our program of a BBQ on the first Saturday afternoon of each month.

Social tennis will commence at 1.00pm and food and refreshments will be served from 3.30pm.

All senior members welcome.

US Tennis Open/World Cup Rugby

The Club is installing a 50inch television screen in the clubrooms to broadcast coverage of upcoming sport events.

A series of social activities is being planned to coincide with these matches. Our Premiere Men's and Women's team matches will be played at the club this season and these matches will be coordinated with rugby matches where possible. Details will follow.

We look forward to seeing you down at the club in what promises to be a competitive and entertaining season!

Regards,
Lloyd Russell
President