



Legend Park Tennis Club Inc.

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NEWSLETTER—APRIL 2021

Welcome to another edition of the Newsletter. It has been sometime since our last one. Now that tennis restrictions are easing and we return to some normality it is time to catch up on what has been happening around the club over the past couple of months.



Tennis...You're gonna love it! 

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UPCOMING EVENT

CLUB CHAMPIONSHIPS

Entry sheets are located on outside notice board. All financial members of all abilities are encouraged to enter. It is a great opportunity to meet other members of our club.

If unable to get down to the courts you can email Diane with your details at:- lptcsecretary@hotmail.com



FEBRUARY 2021

Well done to 5th Dimension player Cameron in the pre-match coin toss on Rod Laver Arena, representing Legend Park Tennis Club.

Absolute Star.





DECEMBER 2020

After several months of no tennis it was great to get back on court both socially and competitively. There were many happy faces on the last Saturday of Seniors Competition for 2020 .



FEBRUARY 2021

Congratulations to Jenni and Izak on their recent marriage. Wishing them a lifetime of happiness together.



JANUARY 2021

Great to see our 5th Dimension Juniors in action for their week of clinics at Legend Park Tennis Club.

A great start to a summer of tennis.



COMPETITION UPDATE

SENIORS

Saturday afternoon summer season concluded on the weekend. It was a shortened season due to Covid but everyone enjoyed getting back on court. Although some teams played in the semi-finals none progressed through to the Grand Final playoffs. The Winter season is due to commence on Saturday 1st May 2021. Legend Park will have 5 teams entered in WDTA and 1 Ladies team entered in the Bayside Regional TA.

JUNIORS

Saturday/Sunday morning summer season has come to an end with 2 teams playing off in Grand Final matches. Premiers on Saturday were the Boys B2 team of Boris, Kanta and Sam. Runners up on Sunday were the B4 team of Aidan, Vincent, Carrera and Rebecca. Congratulations to all teams who played in finals matches.



The WDTA winter season commences on Saturday 1st May with Legend Park entering 4 Saturday and 8 Sunday teams. There will be 9 new players to competition tennis next season which is great as some of our junior players have now transitioned onto senior teams due to being aged out of Juniors.

MIDWEEK—LADIES

MEMRLTA—Tuesday held a shortened summer season to get everyone back into playing. The season concluded on 30th March. The Section 10 team of Deidre Reidy, Loretta Crew, Cheryl Miller, Chris Smith and Robyn Harvey were successful in winning the Premiership flag. Congratulations ladies. The Winter season commences on 20th April with 4 teams registered.

WDTA—Thursday are just over half way through Season 1, which is their first full season in twelve months.



MIDWEEK—MEN'S

WDTA—Wednesday morning season 1 is currently in progress and teams are just over half way through their season.

Metro Masters TA—Thursday afternoon playing in Section 1. Team are half way through their season.

NIGHT TENNIS

Blackburn & Districts Night TA—Season 2 Spring 2019 Open Section 8 Premiers team of Leigh Box, Des Manuelpillai, Rachel Tan, Ebony Nugent and Matthew Ransom. The team are now playing in Section 6 and are currently 4th, half way through season.



THURSDAY NIGHT—INTERCLUB COMPETITION

Thursday night tennis recommenced in February following the lockdown periods of 2020. It has been great to see the level of interest in our competition return immediately.

All players, other than a few with injury issues, have returned to play and added to this has been the inclusion of some additional players who had expressed interest in playing with us prior to lockdown. We continue with 6 teams competing strongly for the end of season Grand final triumph. The current season concludes in mid April and a new season will commence immediately thereafter.

The enthusiasm and commitment of all involved makes this a successful event for the Legend Park Tennis Club.

Cheryl & Peter, Thursday Night tennis Convenors



LPTC pass on their sympathy to Peter on the recent loss of his mother.

SOCIAL TENNIS

Interested in having a social hit with other members? There are supervised Social Groups held weekly. Come along and have a hit. No need to book—just come along. For further information contact the relevant person below.

MONDAY MORNING— Ladies social tennis commences 9.30am. Catherine D'Souza 0403 293 386

MONDAY NIGHT— Mixed social play commences 7.30pm. Mary Garvin 0418 341 181 or David Eng 9802 0449

TUESDAY NIGHT— Men's social tennis commences 7.30pm. Brad Barns 0425 744 386

CARDIO TENNIS
hit your way to fit

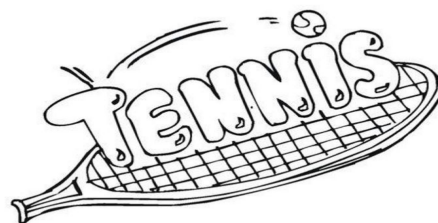
**LEGEND PARK TENNIS CLUB
GLEN WAVERLEY**

TERM 2 FROM APRIL 19TH
MONDAY'S 6PM- 7PM
TUESDAY'S 7:30PM - 8:30PM

REGISTER: WWW.5THDIMENSIONTENNIS.COM.AU/CARDIO-TENNIS

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1 HOUR SESSION**

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WAY TO FIT**



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**NEW OVERGRIP PROVIDED WITH EVERY RESTRING
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How often should I restring my racquet?
Over 1 year as a minimum you should restring by the number of times you play in a week e.g. 4x per week = 4 restrings per year

Why restring?
Injury prevention and maximise your equipment. Does my string suit my game? Loss of tension in restring- string loses 10% of tension even straight after being restrung!

Loss of control:
String loses tension over time= loss of control of the ball- Loss of spin "snapback effect"- your game will lose spin and effect of your shot:

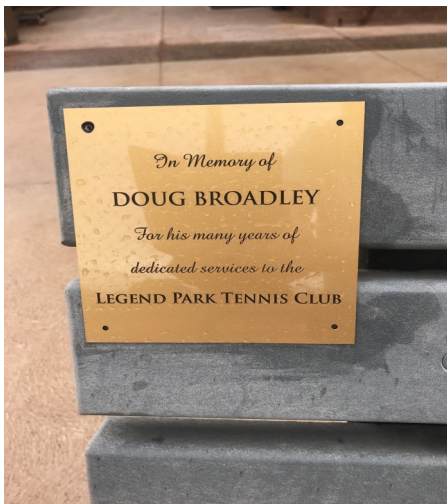
Visual evidence a restring is needed:
Fraying or deep "notches" where the main and cross strings join.

Speak to Steve today for individualised advice on string. Why not get what is best for you and your game? Steve is a Tennis Australia High Performance coach and has been doing restrings for over 20 years.

CONTACT HIGH PERFORMANCE COACH STEVE: 0466-482-724



The LPTC committee would like to give a big thank you to Kieran Larkins who has taken it upon himself to give all the umpires chairs a full facelift, they certainly have needed the facelift for quite a while, and I'm sure the chairs will have a lot of use in the years ahead, thanks for your craftsmanship.



A memorial plaque has been installed on the spectator chair facing court 3 to honour the memory of Doug Broadley and the many years of dedicated service he gave to LPTC. Doug was awarded life membership of our club in 2003.



A reminder to please check the lost property basket if you are missing anything. Items not claimed by end of each school term will be donated to charity or disposed of.

Wishing everyone a safe and Happy Easter.

