



MAY/JUNE 2018

The Player

Wembley Downs Tennis Club Inc.

From the President – *Peter Doherty*

Annual Dinner & Awards Presentation Night

Well done to everyone who made an extra effort to mask up for the night. Check out the photos later in this newsletter and on our Facebook site.

A big thank you to Nola Carmignani, the Social Committee, Bar Committee and all the other people who helped make it such a wonderful night.

Thanks also to the 90+ guests who supported the dinner. I've had good reviews from those who attended.

Congratulations to the many trophy and award winners.

Club Person of the Year

Mike Underwood is our 2017/18 Harry Spilsbury Club Person of the Year. Thanks Mike for being such a great member, competitor, hiring manager and neighbour.

Annual Dinner Raffle

Thank you to everyone who supported our raffle. Congratulations to the prize winners and thank you to our kind prize donors (Tom & Janet Paterson, Sharper Tennis, Entertainment Books, Crs. Elizabeth Re and Stephanie Proud).

Sponsors

As the financial year draws to a close I wish to again acknowledge our sponsors and say THANK YOU. Without our sponsors we would have struggled to provide improvements around the Club and contribute to the development of our Juniors.

WDTC appreciates the support of:

Alan, Bev & Cal Doggett from Properties & Pathways
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Diana Rice from Diana Rice Interiors
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Tomio Yamazaki
Chris George from Doubleview Chiropractic
Terry Keating from Sign Zone.*

The Club will again be seeking support next year so to our existing sponsors, we would be honoured if you "stayed on board". To anyone else who would like to sponsor the club next season, please call me and we can discuss how you may be able to assist us. Once again on behalf of the Club, thank you very much for your support.

Entertainment Books

I have 2018/19 entertainment books available at \$70 each. Please call or email me on 0411 529 227 or ptd59@outlok.com.au for your copy/copies. For every book bought WDTC receives \$14.

Member Night Court Hire

Finally, I'd like to let members know that Thursday night after 7:00pm is the best time to hire the hard courts if you are looking some practice. The cost is only \$10 per hour for members.

There is a link on our website www.wdtk.com.au to the court booking system. The lights automatically turn on when you enter your booking code at the entrance gate to the hard courts.

Cheers
Peter

Captain's Room – *Susanna Monaco*

Let's talk about the Veteran Club Championship 2018....i know it's nearly end of June but it's never too late for our Champions.

The tournament was as usual a success with the brilliant organisation of Mike Underwood, well done. He really deserved his Best Club Person of 2018 trophy also if it was very difficult to keep the surprise.

Veteran Club Championship 2018

The Vet Champ was held on 28/29 April but few matches were postponed to the beginning of May.

Here the list of Winners and Runner up that received their prize at the Annual Dinner:

Ladies Veterans Double Winners
Martina Van Rensburg & Diana Rice



R/U Louise Hall & Sandy Clarke



Men Veterans Doubles Winners
Neale Bougher & Roland Townend



R/U Ken Nosaka & Mike Underwood



Men Veterans Doubles Consolation Winners
Peter Doherty & Dave Rice R/U Parsons & Frank Holmes.

Mixed Veterans Doubles Winners
Peter Doherty & Dina Rice
R/U Ken Nosaka & Rae Yorg



Mixed Veterans Fourth Place Bobbie Edwards & Alan Mclaughlin.

Most Improved

Most Improved Male Sean Macfarlane

Sean captained 2 teams to the Grand final in very strong divisions in summer league. He also had a high percentage of single wins against tough opponents.



Most Improved Female Nicole Geary (sorry no picture)

Nicole was part of the Open Ladies Saturday Div2 that was very hard tennis. She did a big improvement in her double skill and she did very well in all her single covering an higher position.

Most Improved Player Under 25 Nicholas Sergeev.

Nicholas was part of the team that won Men Div12 and we saw him improving every week. He was also part of the winning Junior Under 18 Div1 Team.



Best Club Person Mike Underwood

For all his jobs around the club, the excellent new court hiring system and all the new men summer league teams.



A big Thanks to the Sponsor

All the Championship prizes were vouchers from our sponsors 'Tennis Only, Badabing Caffè' and Revive Spa. All the players agreed with this and they were very happy.

So a big thanks to our Sponsors Olivia Bertolini from Revive Day Spa, Hayden Gibson from Tennis Only and Club Member Nathan Sharp from Badabing in Woodlands.

Social Committee News – Nola Carmignani

***All pics from Social Functions can be seen the WDTC fb page**

19th May – Annual Dinner & Presentation Night - MASQUERADE

A fabulous night was had, in the transformed hall (see pics) The guests wore an amazing assortment of masks, from Zorro to extremely exotic, and everything in-between! A big effort for a big night! JP Emceed once again and did a great job. Peter and Susanna, thank you for all your efforts. Thank you to all the helpers for setting up and cleaning up. Congratulations to all the award recipients, well done.

Next function: 30th June – Wimbledon Whites 2018 (see flyer)

This promises to be yet another great Social Function, so get in early!

Book the dates!!

28th July 1920's Night

See you all there! Nola ☺
Nola – Social Chairperson

Mob: 0403 003 507

Members – Tom Paterson

Welcome to the following new members:

Full:	Sarah Daebritz, Malcolm McGuire, Matthew Sodka.
Mid-week	
Winter League	

Bar – Chris George



Sharper Tennis – Simon and Angie Harper

Hello from SHARPER TENNIS....



Tennis is a great sport and offers a variety of social and health benefits. We really do consider it a **SPORT FOR LIFE**.... If you know anyone who is thinking of getting involved send them our way! To check out more on what we offer head over to our webpage [SHARPER TENNIS](#)

Tournaments

Sharper Tennis June ANZ Hot Shots CHALLENGE

Last updated: Monday, 18 June 2018 9:04 AM

Wembley Downs Tennis Club

[Click here to enter online](#)

The online entry closes on Thursday, 21 June 2018 at 11:59 PM (GMT +08:00).

Venue: Wembley Downs Tennis Club

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6019 Perth, WA [Maps](#)
Australia

Phone: 0424909083

Email: info@sharperennis.com.au

Website: www.sharperennis.com.au

Tournament contact

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Welcome to another Sharper ANZ Hot Shots Challenge!

To enter all players MUST be able to rally consistently and understand tournament rules.
If you are unsure please check with your coaching provider or call 0424909083.
Tennis IDs will be required to enter online and can be requested by calling 1800PLAYTENNIS.

All events will be Round Robin for guaranteed matchplay.
RED: Sign in from 9.30am- Format first to 10 points
ORANGE: Sign in from 10am- Format first to 10 points
GREEN & YELLOW: Sign in from 10am- Format 1 x FAST FOUR set

There will be a FREE sausage sizzle for all entrants and extras will be available to buy at only \$2.50 for any hungry parents, carers, siblings and tennis fans!
Tea and coffee also available.

Our Hot Shots Challenge's are for players just starting out with competitive play and are a great opportunity to put into practise all they are learning in their regular squad sessions in a fun and relaxed environment.

Events

[Red Ball](#), [Orange Ball](#), [Green Ball](#), [Yellow Ball](#)

Online entry

Entry open: Monday, 4 June 2018 12:00 AM (GMT +08:00)

Entry deadline: Thursday, 21 June 2018 11:59 PM (GMT +08:00)

Withdrawal deadline: Friday, 22 June 2018 6:00 PM (GMT +08:00)

Tournament days

Period: 23/06/2018 to
23/06/2018

As usual, if you'd like to book an individual lesson with any of our coaches please give Angie a call on 0424909083. We can usually arrange something to suit any busy schedule or budget!

"Talk with your racket; play with your heart"

All the Best,

The Sharper Tennis Team

Juniors – Fiona Brinsden and Linda Paterson



LOOKING FOR COMMITTEE MEMBERS

The WDTC Junior Committee is looking for new committee members!!

If you would like to meet some new people, become involved in a brilliant, forward thinking community sporting club and have a spare hour or two every month, we would love to hear from you. (You don't need to play tennis yourself to join the committee).

Fiona and Linda (wdtc@gmail.com)



Mid-Week Ladies – Heather Maitre

**GONE TO
TENNIS**

House and Grounds – Dennis Gillespie

Best grass courts in Perth!!!



Hall Hire – John Venn

The Wembley Downs Tennis Club hall is available for members to hire for their private function. Hire of the Hall also includes use of the lounge area. Please Note: that exclusive use of the lounge/bar area may not be possible, particularly on a Wednesday, Friday, Saturday or Sunday night.

The WDTC Hall Hire Manager is John Venn (phone: 0418 925 464 or email: jfvennc@bigpond.com). John is able to provide details of hall availability and the conditions of hire.

Please contact the Hall Hire Manager to discuss your hire requirements in detail for your private function.



On the Sick List!

James Taylor and Lis Blackburn are having a rough time at the moment. Keep them in your thoughts.

If you know any Club members having a rough time at the moment and want to send a get well wish through the Player please give me a call or send me an email! Lorraine Sims – 92850331 or simsml@bigpond.net.au

Many Happy Returns!

We wish Di Rice, Virginia Burke, Chris Cooper, David Simpson and any other members having birthdays all the very best for the coming year!



Upcoming Events – please mark them on your Calendar!

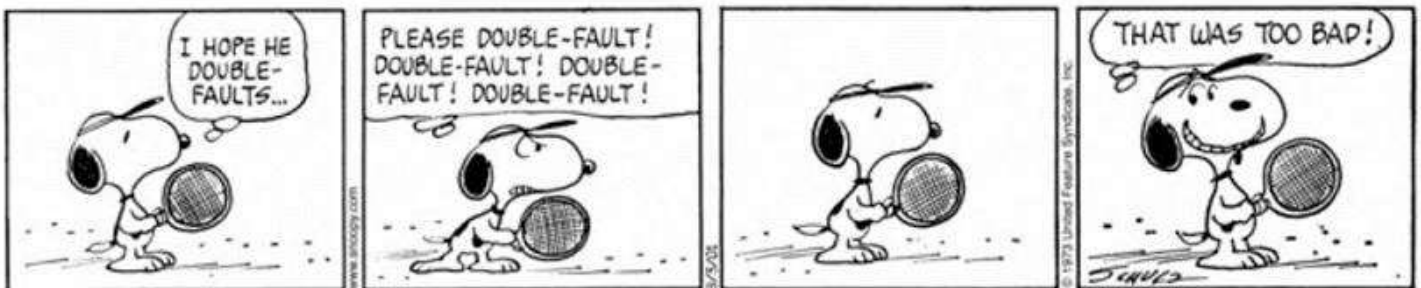
WDTC - SOCIAL COMMITTEE 2017-18

30 th June	Wimbledon 2018 – White Night!
28 th July	1920's Night

Quote of the Month!

Whoever said, "It's not whether you win or lose that counts,"
probably lost.
Martina Navratilova

On the Funny Side!



Members Out and About! – Annual Dinner 2018 – all photos are on WDTA Facebook page!









SIMPLY THE BEST!

WDTC Uniforms

All pennant players are expected to wear the shirts/tops with plain blue or white shorts/skirts or skorts.

Defibrillator



Please remember to check out the following link, which gives a short, 3-step demonstration on how to use the club's defibrillator (press Ctrl + click to follow link).

http://www.healthcare.philips.com/pwc_hc/main/shared/Assets/multimedia/flash/resuscitation/AED/HS1_onsite_demo/index.wpd

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Check Out Facebook via our Website www.wdtk.com.au



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