

## VETSCENE FEBRUARY 2018



President's report.

On behalf of the committee, happy New Year everyone! We hope that your summer of tennis has been enjoyable and - for those of you playing in pennant finals soon - wish you every success. Congratulations to all the teams and individuals who took part in the recent national tournaments in the Gold Coast. It was a great turn out from WA and a few medals were brought home. See later in this newsletter for all the results.

Tennis Seniors WA has been active in recent months in discussions with Tennis Seniors Australia (TSA) and Tennis West (TW) with a view to establishing a more integrated relationship for the future. This was foreshadowed at last year's AGM and we have welcomed Karen Jessop as an advisor from TW onto our committee. Karen is a TW Director and member of the Board and brings a wealth of tennis experience to the table. TSA is also progressing a broader business plan, which envisages a growing membership base and participation nationally for Seniors going forward. TSA also intends to foster a closer relationship with Tennis Australia at the national level and is keen to work with us on a State-based model for integration.

Our lease at Robertson Park remains uncertain, as our current extension is only up to the end of August. The City of Vincent is awaiting the outcome of a Strategic Facilities Plan, which is being undertaken by Tennis West, and we hope for news around the end of February. Any future lease offer from the City will require close consideration by TSWA to ensure its long-term viability and I expect this will be a subject for further discussion at the next AGM.

In the meantime, we are planning a few winter tournaments, details of which can be found elsewhere in this newsletter. Planning is also underway for the State Championships in October, which will be an ITF Grade 3 tournament again, but also with non-IPIN events. We hope to see you all at these and other events in the coming months.

**President**—Paul Moss

**Vice President**— Aldis Purins

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Laurence Upston

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**AUSTRALIAN TEAMS CHAMPIONSHIPS,  
GOLD COAST—JANUARY 2018**

**WA FLAG BEARER—HENRY MICHAEL**

AUSTRALIAN INDIVIDUAL CHAMPIONSHIPS 2018

INDIVIDUAL PERFORMANCES

Name	Event	Performance
Paul Courtis	40 Singles	1 <sup>st</sup> Round
	40 doubles	¼ Final
	35 doubles	1 <sup>st</sup> Round
	35/40 consolation	1 <sup>st</sup> Round
Allan Blakeney	45 Singles	1 <sup>st</sup> Round
	45 Doubles	¼ Final
	45 consolation	Runners-up
Carl Turich	45 Singles	1 <sup>st</sup> Round
	45 Doubles	½ Final
	45 Mixed	=4 <sup>th</sup>
Paul Breuer	50 Doubles	¼ Final
Florjan Frcej	50 Doubles	¼ Final
Aldis Purins	55 Singles	2 <sup>nd</sup> Round
	55 Doubles	1 <sup>st</sup> Round
	55 Mixed	¼ Final
Roger Grant	55 Doubles	1 <sup>st</sup> Round
	55 Mixed	Runners-up
Gavan Sullivan	60 Singles	1 <sup>st</sup> Round
	55 Doubles	1 <sup>st</sup> Round
	60 Mixed	¼ Final
Justus VanderWesthuysen	60 Singles	1 <sup>st</sup> Round
	60 Doubles	1 <sup>st</sup> Round
Alan Gooch	70 Singles	½ Final
	70 Doubles	½ Final
Henry Michael	70 Doubles	½ Final
	70 Mixed	¼ Final
Ken Adam	75 Singles	¼ Final
	75 Doubles	¼ Final
Garry McDonald	75 Singles	1 <sup>st</sup> Round
	75 Doubles	¼ Final
	75 Mixed	2 <sup>nd</sup>
Beth Keech	35/40 Singles	1 <sup>st</sup> Round
	35/40 Consolation	Winner
Diana Thomson	45 Singles	¼ Final
	45 Consolation	½ Final
Vanessa Deegan	45 Singles	1 <sup>st</sup> Round
	45 Mixed	=4 <sup>th</sup>
Jan Maddison	70 Singles	<b>Winner</b>
	70 Doubles	<b>Winner</b>



MENS		
Age Group	Team	Final Standing
35/40/45	Carl Turich Stuart Ovenden Jean-Dennis Carosin Sean O'Reilly Nick Ognenis Allan Blakeney	4th
50	Paul Breuer Florjan Frcej Bruce Kirkham Mick Giles Aldis Purins Justus Vanderwesthuysen	4th
50	Gary Munns Phil Wright Brad Crear Clifford Hoult Danny Bowen	7th
55	Neale Bougher Mark Corbett Michael Underwood Marek Pawelek Paul Moss	4th
60 Section 1	John Turner Kevin Shannon Frank Sweeney Tony Morgan Shane Paskett Richard Clarke Geoff Thomas Ian Mumford Stephen Hollier David Mofflin	6th
60 Section 2	Kerry Saunders David Wickham Peter Galbraith Peter Krawczuk Simon Cubitt Ray Barker	3rd
70	Alan Gooch Gordon Gregory Henry Michael Stephen Peters Garry Searle John Palfrey Ken Pettitt	WON
75	Noriji Kataoka Peter Hollow Ken Adam Alan Crook Garry McDonald John Dehring	5th



	<b>LADIES</b>	
Age Group	Team	Final Standing
40	Beth Keech Keryn Grey Susan Tyler Janine Davidovic Siobhan Dornier	4th
45 Section 1	Kymm Sweeting Colleen Edwards Karen Maddison Anne Atkinson Karen Campbell Sharon Crudelli	5th
45 Section 2	Judy Hawrylak Julie Breuer Janet Hercocok Melissa O'Reilly Kendal Moss Moy Tai	2nd
50 Section 2	Beverley Bone Sue Glyde Barbara Saunders Michele Gartner Anne-Marie Robertson Susan Powell	4th
55 Section 2	Rosemary Dunn Debbie Cummings Meredith Gillespie Nita Kirwan-Ward Annette Myors Susan Davies	2nd
55 Section 2	Charmian Barnett Leonie Lecras Karen Lord Wendy Krawczuk Bev Freeman Dana Merzdan	4th
60 Section 1	Julie Gooch Jo Landy Carmel Oud Wendy Doyle Catherine Brock Yvonne Anderson	5th
65 Section 2	Ronnie Appleby Penny Higgs Lorraine Urquhart Delys Dear Lazora Pringle Jerry Vise	3rd
<b>65 Section 2</b>	<b>Trisha Howe</b> <b>Christine Paterson</b> <b>Kathryn Harbutt</b> <b>Pam Brodie</b> <b>Ann Clifford</b> <b>Elma Orr</b> <b>Judy Vanheerwaarden</b>	<b>WON</b>
70/75	Isobel Lockyer Dearma Sanderrott Shirley Crook Elizabeth Lanagan Margaret Bautista Pauline McCarthy	6th



From the left, Trish Howe, Pam Brodie, Kathryn Harbutt, Christine Paterson, Elma Orr, Judy Van Heerwaarden, Ann Clifford.



**Not all about the tennis—GOLD COAST 2018**  
**Fun, Fun.....and more Fun.**





WELL DONE TO ALL PLAYERS AND  
SUPPORT CREW IN THE  
  
TEAMS AND INDIVIDUAL  
  
CHAMPIONSHIPS, GOLD COAST 2018

**AUSTRALIAN CHAMPIONSHIPS 2019**

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TEAMS CARNIVAL 6 - 11 JANUARY 2019

INDIVIDUALS

CHAMPIONSHIPS 13 - 18 JANUARY 2019

# MIDWEEK LADIES WINTER PENNANT COMPETITION 2018

ROBERTSON PARK TENNIS CENTRE (176 Fitzgerald Street, Perth)

This competition will commence on Wednesday 2 May 2018 at 10.00 am and every Wednesday for approximately 11 / 13 week period. In the event of several washouts in the early weeks, the season may be extended 1 / 2 weeks. This will be decided after consultation with Captains and by 10 June. (Committee’s decision final).

Ladies wishing to take part this year will need to return their nomination form by the closing date of 6 April to be considered for selection. Remember, we always need reserves, so if you’re unable to commit for the whole season, you may be able to fill in occasionally. Please encourage other Club members to join us as well.

**Cost:** \$8-00 per week

**Players are to be financial members of Tennis Seniors 2018/19 Season**

**Format:** 4 sets (6-all tiebreak), 4 ladies per team.

**Surface:** Mostly Grass but synthetic grass may be used.

Tick box if for medical reasons you are unable to play on synthetic grass.

NAME:.....

PH: Hm..... Mobile.....

CLUB:.....Tennis West/ N rating .....

PENNANT HISTORY or other information to assist in grading i.e T/W competition & Division

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RESERVES REQUIRED: Please indicate if you wish to be a reserve only.

DATES UNABLE TO PLAY:.....

**FORMS TO BE RETURNED BY FRIDAY 6 April 2018 to-**

KATH TAYLOR  
 117 A TRIBUTE STREET  
 RIVERTON WA 6148  
 ENQUIRIES: 9457 1293 / 0447 603192



# TENNIS SENIORS / WACLTA

## 2018 SATURDAY WINTER PENNANT SEASON

**Season Opens on  
Saturday 12 May 2018**

**A**s the summer tennis season draws to a close, it's time to start thinking about getting your teams together for the WACLTA / Tennis Seniors WA Winter Pennant Season. Last year we had two divisions of 6 teams. Saturday 12 May marks the beginning of the 2018 season and it will be run jointly with Tennis Seniors. The details and nomination forms are included with this edition. I take this opportunity to welcome everyone to the 2018 winter pennant season and hope you have enjoyed some success in your summer competitions.

### Tennis League

The Winter League teams are made up of **two men and two women**. All matches are doubles. A mixture of ladies, men's and mixed are played during the afternoon. Matches are either played at Manning Tennis Club which presently has 6 synthetic grass courts and 4 hard courts and Robertson Park where matches will be played on a mixture of their 12 synthetic courts and 6 grass courts. Two or three divisions will be made up of between 4 and 6 teams, depending on the number of teams nominated. Each team will play three or four rounds. The top four teams in each division will contest a finals series to decide the winners. So don't delay! If you enjoy your tennis and wish to play during winter get a team together and join in the fun.

### Tennis League Fee Structure 2018

Players Fees will have a small increase to \$12 per week, per player.

### Tennis League Results 2017

Congratulations to last year's finalists. In what were two closely fought finals the winners were:

*Division 1.* Glue Gums defeating Bouncers. (Winning Team: Allan Blakeney,

Sean O'Reilly, Clare Howells, Dawn Goodreid)

*Division 2:* Rays Rebels defeating Lesmurdie. (Winning Team: Mike Shipway, Ray Barker,

Harriett Robertson, Judy Hawrylak)

Good luck to all teams this year.

See over for Nomination form.

**WACLTA / Tennis Seniors - TENNIS LEAGUE SATURDAY  
WINTER 2018**

NOMINATION FORM

- Teams consist of 2 men and 2 ladies.
- The format of the competition is mixed doubles, men's doubles and ladies doubles.
- Each player will play 4 matches each afternoon.

Nominations open to any tennis player affiliated with Tennis Seniors or WACLTA.

Ball fee each week is \$12.00 per player per match.

**Entries close: 5 April 2018**

Team Name	
Preferred Division	
1 2 3	
Team Captain:	
Home Phone:	
Mobile:	
Email:	

MEN		LADIES	
1.		1.	
2.		2.	
3.		3.	
4.		4.	
5.		5.	
6.		6.	

Email Nominations to:

Tennis Seniors [\\_tswa@optusnet.com.au](mailto:_tswa@optusnet.com.au)

Phone enquiries: Warren Smith      0439 523 412

Ajay Tandon      0411 871 311

# NOMINATION FORM

## 2018 TENNIS SENIORS PENNANT COMPETITION - (Tuesday Nights)

I ....., Captain of ..... Team, wish to nominate the following players for the 2018 Mid - Season (10 April - June 2017)

Length of season will depend on number of team nominations.

### MEN

### LADIES

1. ....

1. ....

2. ....

2. ....

3. ....

3. ....

4. ....

4. ....

Please print full names of players and their rating, if known.

NB: Playing Team of 2 Men & 2 women

Phone - Home: ..... Mobile .....

Email Address: .....

Please send Team Nomination to:

The Pennant Supervisor  
PO Box 137  
NORTH PERTH WA 6906 or  
[tswa@optusnet.com.au](mailto:tswa@optusnet.com.au)

*ALL MATCHES PLAYED AT ROBERTSON PARK TENNIS CENTRE 7.30pm start. Unless team numbers exceed court availability then other venues may be used.*

*\$12.50 PER PLAYER PER PLAYING DATE.*

**Team members to be financial members of TSWA**

**ENTRIES CLOSE: 29 March 2018**

## TENNIS SENIORS WA—CALENDER OF EVENTS

**2 MAY** - WEDNESDAY LADIES WINTER COMPETITION

commencing.

**12 MAY** - SATURDAY TSWA / WACLTA WINTER PENNANT

COMPETITION commencing.

**24 JUNE** - MENS / LADIES DOUBLES DAY

**29 JULY** - ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING followed by

MIXED DOUBLES AVO.

**26 AUGUST**-TEAMS EVENT

**11—14 OCTOBER**

-ITF GRADE 3 TENNIS SENIORS CHAMPIONSHIPS

## OTHER CLUB TOURNAMENTS

### GERALDTON 2018 IOOF EASTER OPEN—

FRIDAY 30 MARCH—FRIDAY 2 APRIL

ONLINE ENTRY: <http://tournaments.tennis.com.au>

TOURNAMENT DIRECTOR— Janniel Harris 0427 912 685

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### BUNBURY TEAMS EVENT—SATURDAY 5 AND SUNDAY 6 MAY 2018.

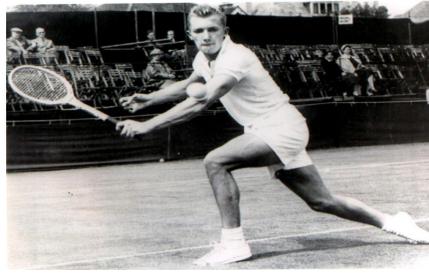
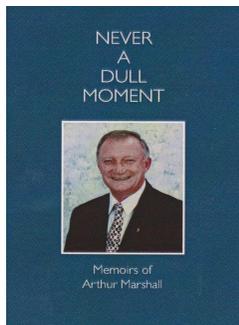
A men's and ladies doubles event. Teams will be graded according to ability. Four players are on court at one time, but suggested team sizes are 5 to 6 as there is plenty of tennis over the weekend. Players are encouraged to form a team but you can enter as an individual and a team will be found for you. Entry forms will be out shortly but in the meanwhile any enquiries can be directed to Tournament Director Phil Wright at [amitysigns@westnet.com.au](mailto:amitysigns@westnet.com.au) or by phoning Phil on 0400216211.

## WOMEN IN TENNIS GALA DAY

Wednesday 11 April 2018, Royal Kings Park Tennis Club

Enquiries to Bobbie Edwards 0428 243355

## FOR SALE



*Arthur Marshall photographed playing in a Wimbledon lead-up match at Surbiton in 1956*

Purchase your copy of "Never a Dull Moment" through the Tennis Seniors office.  
\$35 each.



Men's / Ladies t/shirts available—blue, slate grey, black and purple. Limited sizes.

Selling at \$15 for one or \$20 for two.

### **BARGAINS**



Men's Black Fleece Vests

Size M and Large only

Cost: \$15



Tennis Seniors Zip Up Jacket

1 left—size L only

Cost: \$25



Ladies Shirt (Not current uniform)

Sizes 8 and 10 only

Cost: \$5

PLEASE CONTACT TSWA OFFICE FOR PURCHASES AND COLLECTION.

Ph: 9228 2918 or [tswa@optusnet.com.au](mailto:tswa@optusnet.com.au)