

Welcome to the Junior News, we are hoping to continue to publish this newsletter regularly, this can only happen if we have information to publish. Information can be forwarded to Lisa Bryant or Junior Committee member or email information to lisabryant@bundooratennisclub.com.au.

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## Welcome to 2009

Hope you all had a great holiday and looking forward to another successful season. We have 18 teams (11 Boys & 7 Girls) Teams.



All players need to be on time to at **ALL MATCHES PROMPTLY BEFORE 8AM.**



## Junior Competition Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> April

Please note that this first Saturday of the school holidays is still a tennis day. If you know that you will be away that day, please make arrangements NOW for a fill in and inform your Team Manager.

## Hire Courts

This season, we are hiring courts at Latrobe Uni Sports Centre so that we can enter the 14 Singles and 4 Doubles teams we currently have at Bundoora. We realise very few people like being at the hired courts, but with the current format requiring all Singles teams to have two courts from 8 till 9:30, we have to send some teams to hired courts. As far as possible, teams at hired courts one season will not be there the following season – individual players may be, if team members are shuffled around. And at least you don't have to do canteen duty!

## Parents, Players & Team Managers

Thank you to those who have taken on the role of Team Manager this season. ALL parents should be helping out with team supervision – there must be an adult supervisor with the team at all times. ALL parents of rostered players should be there to help when your team is rostered on canteen. Players can assist their Team Managers by arriving on time and assisting with court watering and line sweeping before the morning's play commences. Please read your rosters carefully so that you turn up on time and at the correct venue. The NEJTA fixture is available on our website, go to Junior Tennis, Autumn 09

[http://www.bundooratennisclub.com.au/info\\_juniors/jnr\\_autumn2009.html](http://www.bundooratennisclub.com.au/info_juniors/jnr_autumn2009.html)

## News Corner



## Ladders As at Round 5!

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| ◆ 1 Girls – 2 <sup>nd</sup>  | ◆ 1 Boys – 4 <sup>th</sup>    |
| ◆ 2 Girls – 3 <sup>rd</sup>  | ◆ 3 Boys – 3 <sup>rd</sup>    |
| ◆ 4 Girls – 4 <sup>th</sup>  | ◆ 6 Boys – 3 <sup>rd</sup>    |
| ◆ 6 Girls – 3 <sup>rd</sup>  | ◆ 8 Boys R – 6 <sup>th</sup>  |
| ◆ 8 Girls – 3 <sup>rd</sup>  | ◆ 8 Boys B – 8 <sup>th</sup>  |
| ◆ 12 Girls – 6 <sup>th</sup> | ◆ 13 Boys – 1 <sup>st</sup>   |
| ◆ 15 Girls – 1 <sup>st</sup> | ◆ 14 Boys – 3 <sup>rd</sup>   |
|                              | ◆ 16 Boys R – 5 <sup>th</sup> |
|                              | ◆ 16 Boys B – 2 <sup>nd</sup> |
|                              | ◆ 21 Boys – 3 <sup>rd</sup>   |
|                              | ◆ 25 Boys – 7 <sup>th</sup>   |

**\*\*Good luck for Autumn 2009\*\***



## Welcome

Stephan Flumm, Ben Anderson, Shane Singh, Benn Campbell, Anthony Peters, Josh Anderson, Jye Zappelli, Brendon Reynolds, Julia Makridis, Angela Napper, Aliese Andrevska and Bianca Garcia.

And to players returning to Bundoora: Angus Rogers, Hamish Rogers, Jacob Sgarlata, Daniel Nicolae, Sashi Goonasekera and Bianca Marasco

## Farewells

Petar Budisa, Michael Motta, James Collins, Matthew Levine, Jonathan Peters, Adrian Parisi, Sam Adams, Carl Adams, Danielle Marriage, Vanessa Campbell, Michelle Liaskos, Steffi Diamantopoulos, Emily Pecora and Hannah Spicer



## Club Merchandise

If you wish to order club shirts, shorts, tracksuits, caps or polar fleece tops, please contact Ross Sobey on 0438 595 181 or the Home Supervisor on Saturday mornings (juniors). Payment is required at the time of ordering.

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### *Junior Presentation Night*

Trophies and medallions from the 2008 Junior Singles and Doubles Club Championships and the 2008 Parents & Kids tournament were awarded at the recently-held Junior Presentation Night. Premiership and runner-up teams from the Autumn and Spring seasons were acknowledged; major raffle prizes were drawn, the lucky winners being Fabio, Emily, David and Anthony; John threw in some tennis trivia questions; the food was plentiful and a great time was enjoyed by all who attended.

### *BTC Annual Club Championships*

BTC Annual Club Championships will be taking place on **28, 29 March & 4, 5, entries close 22 March**. Sausage Sizzle provided!

Men's Open Singles & Doubles, Women's Open Singles & Doubles, Men's & Women's Veteran Doubles. Events \$5 per even, no pay, no play!

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### *Court care*

Please make sure you water the en-tout-cas courts **BEFORE** you play, whether it is competition, practice or just a social hit. Courts should be bagged before you leave – if a sprinkle of water is necessary to keep the dust down, **please do it!**

### *Contact details*

It is important that member's contact details are up to date. If you change address, phone number or email address, please notify Lisa Bryant (Juniors) and treasurer Sue Taylor (all members).

### *Sponsor*

Silverline Finance (Shop 89, Mill Park Stables)

Due to the recent economic changes and drop in interest rates, a number of financial institutions are now offering new and improved products. Combine this with the Government's recent increase in First Home Buyers Grants then now is the time to talk to our friend Sarath Silva of Silverline Finance (Mortgage Broker), at no charge, to see what new and improved deal he can obtain for you. He could save you thousands of dollars each year! Contact Sarath on 9437 8755, 0409 468 008 or [sarathsf@bigpond.net.au](mailto:sarathsf@bigpond.net.au).

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### **Working Bees**

Many thanks to those who turned up in January to help prepare the courts for their latest chemical treatment, which allows us to continue using all courts under our current water-saving plan.

The next working bee is on Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> March from 9:00 – 1:00pm.

If all members donated an hour of their time that morning, we'd get heaps done! Please mark it on your calendar now.

**Contact:** James Copes 0438 634 873



### **Birthday Corner**

**Happy birthday** to all of our members listed below:

March:

Ben Anderson, Josh Anderson, Michael Cole, Nathan Fraser, Vincent Fu, Ben Gervasoni, Paige Lennen, Harley Madden, Damian Marasco, Molly McLaughlin, Jessical Mitreski, Daniel Morcon, Michael Motta, Erin Murray, Jessica Reynolds, Reley Slater, Raymond Sui, Ian Watson, Nicholas Wyllie, Matthew Zanella

February:

Billy Cechris, Steven George, Anthony Kovocevic, Rachael Levine, Chloe McDonald, Jim McGregor, Justine Muston, Grace Primikyrlidis, Angus Rogers, Jacob Sgarlata, Branca Smith, Mary Snowball, Tommy Wu, Winfield Fu

January:

Stefan Aleksic, Hasitha Bandara, Vivienne Bonnell, Noelle Carzino, Fabio Chiodo, Simon Forby, Jacqueline Foster, Emily Georgiadis, Anthony Hallal, Cordelia Leaupepe, Taylor Mills, Emily Pecora, Brendon Reynolds, Darrin Slater, Erich Snowball, Jenny Snowball, Ben Tomasiello

**Please Note** that 'if we have missed your birthday, or you have not notified us of your birthday please email your details too:

[president@bundooratennisclub.com.au](mailto:president@bundooratennisclub.com.au)

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## *Bundoora Tennis Club Open Day*

**BTC** held their annual open day on Sunday 15 February - and what a fantastic day it turned out to be. Fresh off the back of the Australian Open club members and members of the general public packed in to fill all eight courts from 10am till well past the 1pm finish time! A number of very dedicated club and committee members helped keep the day on track by providing information to prospective new members, cooking the free bbq, organising the clinics for children and hitting partners for the adults.

The day was a lot of fun and a huge success with 34 new members signed up on the day! On top of this our head coach John Hampson, who did a fantastic job co-ordinating the clinics, also attracted some new students. A big thank you to all those involved on the day. Every contribution was greatly appreciated. :-)



## *Tournament – Wycheproof 2009*

Quite a few Bundoora members competed in the Wycheproof Tennis Tournament held over the Labour Day long weekend. Congratulations to Zoe Plastow, Jessica Mitreski, John Hampson and Peter Naismith who snared the silverware in the Women's Open Singles (Zoe), Girls 17 & under Singles (Jess), Men's Open Singles (John), Open Mixed Doubles (John as half of the winning duo) and Men's Open Doubles (John and Pete).



Many other Bundoora players won graded events in Singles, Doubles and Mixed Doubles over the three days of competition and several collected runner-up trophies. There's plenty of room for more Bundoora tents in the campsite and more Bundoora players in the draw, so consider being part of the tournament next year.



## *Christmas Raffle – Winners!*

The Ladies' Auxiliary Christmas Raffle was drawn at their final get together at Nat's Place on Tuesday 10th December. The three prize-winners were:-

- 1st - Melissa Tan from Macleod**
- 2nd - Laurelle Kavanagh**
- 3rd - Ray Walsh**

**Our congratulations are extended to all three**

The committee wishes to thanks all those members who generously supported the raffle by purchasing tickets and supplying goods for the hampers. Also a big thank you to James Copes for obtaining tickets to the 2009 Australian Open. These tickets will be posted soon to the first and second prize-winners. A total of \$806 was raised from this raffle.



## *Visit Our Website*

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