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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 a Junior Committee member or email information to bundy_tc@bigpond.net.au.

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Welcome to the Autumn 2007



Welcome back to tennis for 2007. This season we will have 13 teams: Girls singles in sections 1, 5, 8, 10 and 12; Boys singles in sections 2, 7, 10, 12 and 15; Boys doubles in sections 21, 25 and 26. Because of the water restrictions, the season has started later and changes have been made to playing times. With less courts available, it is extremely important that all players arrive on time and limit initial warm-ups to 3 minutes. Singles team members should arrive at their venue by 7:30 so that play is underway by 7:45am. Doubles teams begin play at 11:15 for home matches. Some away matches will begin also at 11:15 but some will be at the old starting time of 8:45. Doubles players need to check their rosters for times very, very carefully! **All players should note that there will be competition on the first and last Saturdays of the Term One school holidays, on March 31st and on April 14th.**

Water Restrictions

The current water restrictions allow tennis clubs to water one out of every two en-tout-cas courts prior to each set. This means that we can use three of our six en-tout-cas courts. Signs on the court fences will indicate which courts are closed. These signs apply at all times, not just during competition. Courts cannot be watered during or at the end of sets so please water efficiently before you begin your set.

Team Managers

Thank you to those who have taken on the Team manager roles this season. In several teams we had more than one volunteer, so if you didn't get the job this season, it doesn't mean we don't want you next time! In the teams with no volunteers, we had to do someone in. **All parents** are expected to help out being team supervisors on Saturday mornings throughout the season.

New Coach

Following the retirement of Jim McGregor, John Hampson has been appointed as the new club coach at Bundoora Tennis Club. John is available for coaching on Sundays, Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays. He can be contacted on 0419 188 908 or by emailing john@grippingpotential.com.au and looks forward to hearing from you.



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Players!

Welcome to the new players joining Bundoora this season: Joseph Peters, Suthan Mohanakumar, Sashi Goonasekera, Hasitha Bandara and Peter & Alexandra Petrovski



Farewells!

Leaving the Bundoora Saturday morning teams are Diana Felipe (off to Mt Isa), Jessica Boulton, Hannah Spicer, Carla Papazzo, Yvette Peters, Cody Cummings, Patrick Fitzgerald, Leigh Slater, Sam Hines, Asher Verghese, Shannon Apa, Jesse Latross, Keito Kusaka and Patrick Sizeland.



Know what's going on!

Please make sure we have your current email address! Some addresses on your registration forms do not work, which makes passing on tennis information somewhat difficult. Players should also regularly check the noticeboard in case there's something there you should know about.



Availability of Players

Players should be available to play every week, even if your roster has you listed as the emergency. You may be needed by your own team or by a higher team as a fill in. Unless it's a compulsory school activity or an extremely important family commitment, please **don't make other plans for Saturday mornings.**

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Canteen

Each singles team is rostered on for canteen three times during the season. We need at least one parent from each rostered team in the canteen throughout the morning. All parents are expected to be there to do their share.

The three doubles teams have more than their fair share of canteen days because doubles matches this season will begin at 11:15, after the singles have finished for the day. However, if each parent does a canteen stint while their child is umpiring, no one should have to miss seeing their child play. Alternatively, if parents choose not to be there to help, the canteen will close early.

AUTUMN 2007	DATE	Singles session: 8am till approximate finish time of 11:15am	Doubles session from 11:15am
Week 1	17 th Feb.	5 Girls & 10 Girls	25 Boys
Week 2	24 th Feb.	7 Boys & 1 Girls	26 Boys
Week 3	3 rd Mar.	2 Boys & 15 Boys	25 Boys
Week 4	17 th Mar	12 Boys & 12 Girls	21 Boys
Week 5	24 th Mar	8 Girls & 10 Boys	26 Boys
Week 6	31 st Mar	5 Girls & 7 Boys	21 Boys
Week 7	14 th April	10 Girls & 1 Girls	25 Boys
Week 8	21 st April	12 Boys & 15 Boys	26 Boys
Week 9	28 th April	2 Boys & 8 Girls	25 Boys
Week 10	5 th May	10 Boys & 12 Girls	21 Boys
Week 11	12 th May	5 Girls & 10 Girls	26 Boys
Week 12	19 th May	1 Girls & 7 Boys	21 Boys
Week 13	26 th May	10 Boys, 15 Boys & 8 Girls	25 & 26 Boys
Week 14	2 nd June	12 Girls, 2 Boys & 12 Boys	21 Boys
Semi Finals	16 th June	Home teams will all be rostered on for part of the morning.	
Grand Final	23 rd June	Volunteers needed from teams not competing in grand finals.	

2006 Presentation and Break up Day

Thanks to those families who attended to celebrate the end of the Spring season and the grand final successes of 13 Girls and 16 Boys. Players who attended were presented with their certificates and retiring coach Jim McGregor was presented with a plaque from the Bundoora Juniors. Many of the past and present Juniors began their tennis coaching with Jim and we wish him a long and happy retirement.



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Junior Committee Meetings

These are held on the third Monday of each month, with everybody welcome to attend on a regular or casual basis. If you have any issues you would like to bring to the committee's attention, please come along to the next meeting on **Monday 19th March at 7:30pm**. Or you can put your concerns / suggestions / grievances in writing and email to bundy_tc@bigpond.net.au in time for the committee to address at the next meeting.



Season 2006 Finals

Six Bundoora teams made the finals last season.

Congratulations to section 13 Girls and section 16 Boys who were grand final winners. Four other teams made the semi finals: well done 14 Girls, 9 Boys, 27 blue Boys and 27 red Boys.



Club Merchandise

If you wish to order Bundoora shirts, shorts, tracksuits, caps or polar fleece tops, please see Ross Sobey or the Home Supervisor on Saturday mornings. Payment is required at the time of ordering.



Team Photos

Photos taken at the registration / photo days last season are on display in the clubhouse. If you wish to order a team photo (\$5 each) please see Lisa. Payment is required when ordering.