



BTC Newsletter

Halloween at BTC



Get out your ghost costume and head down to the club on Monday 31st October, between 7pm-9pm. Members of the committee will be giving out lollies, running Halloween activities and

handing out prizes for best costumes. For those brave enough to stay after dark, court 9 will be available for 'Glow in the Dark' activities. This event is for BTC members and coaching par-

ticipants only. (Dinner will not be provided at this event). Watch our Facebook page for more information.

Special points of interest:

- ☺ Halloween at BTC
- ☺ Fun day in January coming soon
- ☺ Squad training
- ☺ Membership benefits
- ☺ Junior Tournament
- ☺ Life Member Condolences
- ☺ Coaches Corner
- ☺ Thank you Council
- ☺ BTC Runner's Up Juniors

SAVE THE DATE

CHRISTMAS BBQ

Sunday 11th December

Time: 3-5pm

Free BBQ, Lollies for kids,
fun activities

For all BTC members and
coaching families



BTC AGM

21st Nov 2022

Time: 7.30pm

All new members are
welcome

AGM
Annual General Meeting

For more information please
send an Email:

mauricepotter@bigpond.com

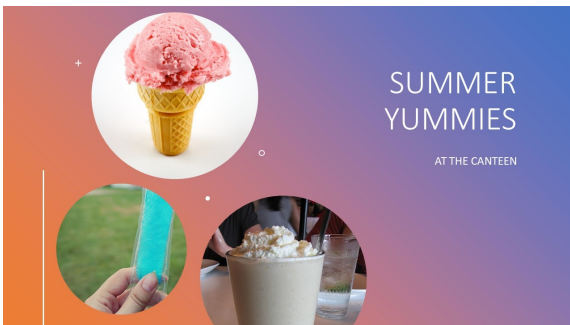
Coming Soon—Watch this space



Canteen Summer Yummies

The canteen has introduced some new summer goodies which will be a bless-

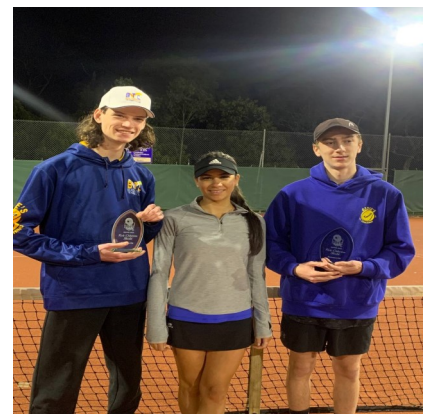
ing as the weather warms up. The good old Zooper Doopers are back together with new Slush Puppies. Ice cream cones are available for 50cents and milkshakes are now available in two sizes with 3 different flavours to chose from. Strawberry, Chocolate or Caramel. Don't forget all your favourite soft drinks are still in the fridge and for those needing an extra boost, there is always Gatorade.



Junior Winter Runners Up



Congratulations to our two Junior Winter Finalist teams. Rubbers 3, Dinuka Perera and Achyuth Aryind, played a fantastic season but went down to Cranbourne in the Grand Final. ROS, Noah Dorling, Maddie Palmer and Will Kent, went down to Harkaway after first being washout on the Saturday and then reconvening on the Wednesday night at Beaconsfield. Well done to both teams on a fantastic season.



Membership Benefits

A big thank you goes out to Superfine Pizza in Beaconsfield for donating 60 player awards to Beaconsfield Tennis Club.

These awards are available for both Juniors and Seniors, Social and Competition players. We will be announcing winners whether it be on the competition email thread or through the team managers app.

The awards do have an October end date however due to the late delivery of the awards, the owners have advised me they will accept the awards up until the end of the year.

Next time you are thinking of having a pizza, please visit Superfine pizza, situated at Shop 1, 52-62 Old Princes Hwy.



Life Member Condolences

It is deep sadness we have to announce the passing of Jim Peart, life member of Beaconsfield Tennis Club. Jim and Winifred joined the club around 1965 when Ossie Williams was the last remaining stalwart of the club - 2 entout cas courts and a tin shed like the current equipment shed. As a civil engineer he designed and drew the plans for the 4 plexipave now mod gras courts, the car park between the cricket oval and the tennis courts and the path

from the car park to the Acoonah Park. All this enabled positive negotiation with local government for grants as his first class engineering design saved council and the club enormously and without cost. After all who else could say they had designs from the leading light of the firm that did first class engineering around Victoria including Rod Laver arena when it was the most innovative in the world. Added to this was his

gentlemanly tennis on and off the court -always a gracious and competitive player. The Beaconsfield Tennis club would like to offer their condolences to the Peart family.

History by: Wes Jame

Don't be late for a very important date

With club memberships expiring 31st August it is time to consider renewal for the 2022/2023 membership year. Memberships rates remain unchanged.

This year Tennis Australia have established a new web-based membership database to which your current details have been copied. This will now allow you to renew your membership online. To enable you to do this, you will need to first register with the system and establish a password.

Payment to our bank account will still

be required as a separate activity at this time. Once registered you can access your membership details at any time through the club web site. Select the membership tab.

Should you feel uncomfortable undertaking the new process you are of course welcome to complete the manual renewal form and return per form instructions. A copy of the form is available at the clubrooms or you can download it from the website: www.beaconsfieldtennisclubinc.com.



Council Donation

The BTC committee would like to express their gratitude to Brett Owen, our local councillor, and the Cardinia Council for donating a number of 120L bins which will be used to store the ent tous cas (porous surface) the club is now buying in bulk. This donation will save the club 100's of dollars. As a bonus, this kind gesture is also reducing waste as these bins were scheduled for destruction and disposal.

We ask that parents ensure families stay away from the bins that are situated behind the clubrooms.



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September Junior Tournament results

Well done to the 34 junior players who competed in September's BTC junior graded singles tournament.

Over 50 matches completed in the sunshine.

Congratulations to the finalists...

□A grade: Coco Philp def Lachie



O'Gorman 8-5

□B grade: Jermaine D'Souza def Lucas Utting 8-4

□C grade: Tayla Sigg def Charleen Fernando 6-2

Thanks to all the parents, grandparents and siblings who supported the players throughout the day.



Squad Training with Ossie

Last school holidays we did some squad training with Ossie. This was for all the kids playing competition tennis on the weekend. The focus for the training was learning how to play doubles. First we broke up in to small groups with the coaches and practiced how to best do warm ups for before the game. If there were members from your team there, you were in the group with them. Then we did some game practice with the coaches giving us tips on where to stand and how to move around the court with



your partner. The day finished off with the coaches playing a doubles match for us to show how it is done.

It was really fun to see them in action. It was a great day and we all picked up some handy tips.

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CATCH UP WITH FRIENDS AND HAVE
A RELAXED HIT OF TENNIS



Do you enjoy planning parties? If so, we would love to hear from you. BTC needs additional helpers to run some special events coming up this season. Contact us either through Facebook, the website or by ringing 88205853.

Tennis 4 Teens

Sundays 2-4pm

Equipment available
on request

Held most Sundays
depending on weather
and availability

See Facebook for
details

Coaches Corner

Ossie's rules of tennis...

1 The game plan is simple: win the last point

2 Smile: you will play better

3 Footwork is key: so bring the energy

4 Defend cross court

5 Attack down the line

6 When hitting from outside the court go cross-court

7 When hitting from inside the court go down the line

8 Three meter rule: when pushed 3m behind the baseline aim 3m above the net



9 Never double fault in a tie-breaker

10 Never miss a passing shot long (depth is not important)

11 Never miss a drop shot or lob wide

(width is not important)

12 Respect your opponent & the sport

13 Listen to your coach



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Beaconsfield Tennis Club Competitions

Interclub Competition

Midweek Women's Comp

For the ladies, our club participates in the Dandenong and District Tennis Association competition on both Tuesday and Wednesday mornings commencing at 9:30. The new season starts 19th July. Contact Anja Potter 0437 074 287

Junior competition

For both girls and boys up to the age of 18, our club participates in the Berwick and District Tennis Association on both Saturday and Sunday mornings commencing at 8:00am. Contact Brad Meates 0405 428 208

Senior competition

For ladies and gentlemen 19 years and over our club participates in the Waverley and District Tennis Association competitions on Saturday afternoons. Contact Adrian Walsh 0425 747 615

Social Competition

Monday/Wed night Comp

Beaconsfield and Officer have two social competitions in collaboration with each other. Wednesday night social is for all abilities for all ages. It's a great night out for those who like a game of tennis but don't take it very seriously. For the more experienced serious player, Beaconsfield/Officer have a Monday night The competition format is Rubbers with teams of two. Price per night for both Monday and Wednesday night competitions: Members \$5 and Non members \$10. Contact Maurie on 0437 759 793 for Wednesday night social and contact Josh McCormick on 0458 869 252 for Mondays Advanced Hiters.

Casual Men's Thurs night

For a very casual men only hit , Thursday night is for you. Contact Gavin

Baxter 0418 107 363

All night competitions commence at 7:30pm.

Veterans Day Social

For a Sunday morning social hit, come down to the courts at around 8:00 am for a social hit and cuppa. Contact Les Donaldson 0409 435 121

