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FREE TENNIS FRIDAY

BTC and OTC are joining forces on Friday 23rd September 2022, the grand final public holiday, to hold a Free Tennis Friday plus

Registration day. Everyone is welcome. The OTC team will be holding free hotshots and other fun activities for the kids while BTC will be available to take

questions as well as open the canteen. If you wear your favourite footy colours you will receive a free hot dog plus drink.

Special points of interest:

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COMING SOON

FREE TENNIS FRIDAY

PLUS

REGISTRATION DAY

FRIDAY 23rd SEPTEMBER
(Day before AFL Grand Final)
1pm – 5pm

FAVOURITE FOOTY COLOURS = FREE HOTDOG/DRINK

FREE HOTSHOTS
FREE COURT HIRE
FREE ACTIVITIES

www.beaconsfieldtennisclubinc.com

Monday Night
Beaconsfield/ Officer
Advanced Hitters
REGISTER NOW
PH: 8820 5853

Registration is now due

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.

Mother Nature's curse

During those windy nights when the rubbish bins are flying down the streets and the trees drop bark and leaves all over the roads and paths, the tennis courts suffer their own special kind of pain. Visualize all the sand on the porous courts flying away like Dorothy's house in the wizard of oz. Leaves and debris are strewn across all 9 courts, making it impossible to play without hitting a stick or slipping on wet leaves.

Thank you to Paul Osborne and Adrian

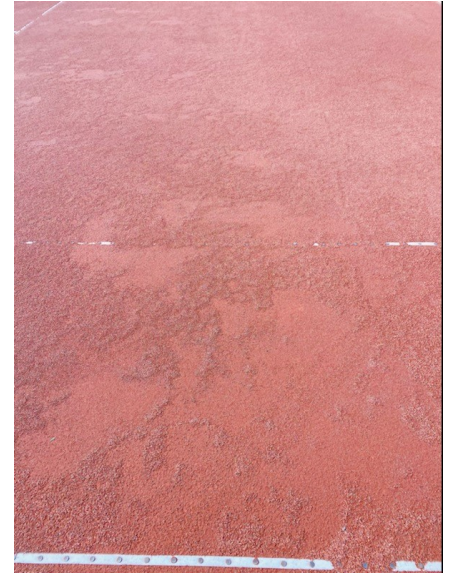


Walsh for spending time during their busy days trying to clean up the mess to make the courts playable for competition as well as for coaching classes. However, even though their call to arms was quick, mother nature chose to test their sanity by unleashing more cruel conditions the next day.

Both gentlemen rose to the challenge and continued to work on the courts to ensure our members could enjoy the facilities.

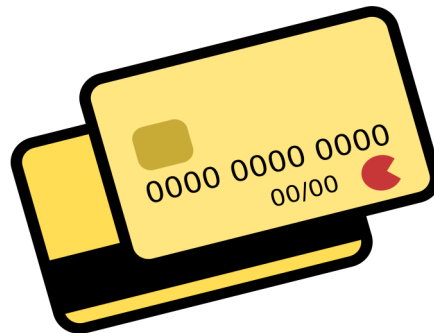
Anyone who could assist with these sorts of emergencies, please contact the club on

8820 5853 and we can put your name down on a list to contact if the need arises.



Credit Card now accepted at Canteen

Memberships, merchandise and canteen purchases can be made by credit card at the canteen. Cash is also accepted but credit card is preferred.



Spring/Summer Merchandise

Don't forget to order your new playing outfit for summer.



Membership Benefits

Each paid up member will receive a BTC membership tag which entitles the member to discounts when the tag is produced on each purchase at these participating retailers.



The House of Burgers in Berwick will give a 5% discount on all purchases. The Cake Stop in Beaconsfield is giving a 10% discount on all purchases.

Remember to put the new membership tag on your key ring and have it available to show over the counter during your next visit.

Thank you to the House of Burgers and The Cake Stop for your support.



Wednesday night Finals



Congratulations to our Wednesday night Officer/Beaconsfield Grand Finalists. The major premiers of the winter competition were the Lion Tamers with runners up being the Jugglers. The minor premiers were the High Flyers with the Jokers being runners up. Please contact Maurie on 0437 759 793 if you would like to put your name down for Wednesday nights spring/summer competition.



Courts 1&2 Update

Many of you would have noticed by now, courts 1&2 are undergoing a massive upgrade. The top layers have been removed and underground work has been happening behind the scenes. Sadly, the bad weather during winter has resulted in a delay in the completion date with expectations being at the end of August to mid Sept.

We appreciate your patience and apologize for the inconvenience this has caused for the coaching staff,

mid-week competition and the juniors. We are hoping by the time the warmer days arrive, all courts will be operational.

We request all members to stay away from the maintenance work and please watch out for your children.

If you require any further information, please contact us by emailing

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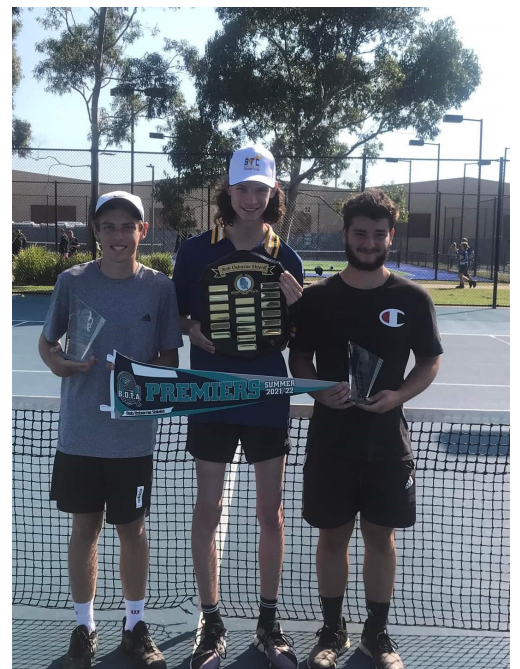
Do you enjoy planning parties? If so, we would love to hear from you. BTC needs additional helpers to run some special events coming up this season. Contact us either through Facebook, the website or by ringing 88205853.

Rob Osbourne trophy winners

After two years of uncertainty and called-off seasons, the summer 2021-22 season of the Berwick District Tennis Association (BDTA) was the first season in a while to remain largely unimpacted by COVID-19. My team, Beaconsfield Blue, consisting of Luke Sankey, Matthew Phillips and myself, was playing in the top juniors section, Osbourne Shield. We had had an extremely successful season up as we went into the Grand Final undefeated. Our Grand Final was against Harkaway, an opponent we had won against during the season but who was going into this final after a huge win semi final against the other Beaconsfield team in our section. Although we were confident we could win, we knew that it would be difficult and we would have to play our best if we wanted to walk away with the victory.

The first match we played was the doubles, which Luke and Matt played, fortunately winning comfortably 6-2 6-2. Next, both Luke and I played our singles at the same time, with one of us needing to win in order for our team to win overall. My singles finished first, with the score line sadly being 1-6 4-6 against me, but luckily Luke was able to win 6-0 6-4, giving our team the Osbourne Shield.

After the game, we were presented our trophies, a flag, and the Osbourne Shield from Rob Osbourne, who the section we played was named after. This experience was absolutely amazing and I'm so grateful for my two teammates, Luke and Matt, and everyone at Beaconsfield Tennis Club for making this all possible
By: Noah Dorling



A big thank you to our valued sponsors. Please remember to support local who supports this great club.



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

