

CLUB PROFESSIONAL COACH

In our last issue we advised that the Board were considering several excellent applications for the position of Club Professional Coach and as many of you will now know David Simmonds was the successful applicant

We are delighted to welcome David in this capacity and he has already demonstrated his willingness to hop in and support the club where-ever possible.

In addition to his coaching he has a re-stringing service available, a range of ladies clothing and new racquets (with demo models available for you to try before you buy) - his Night series start on 9 October— we wish him well.



Contact Alec Whyte
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SOCIAL PLAY DIRECTOR

Obtaining a replacement for Dick Ker to undertake the role of overseeing the Social Play program is now a very high priority as it forms an essential part of our functioning as a club. Until we find a volunteer, other members of the Board will have to fill the gap as well as carry out the duties associated with their own portfolios which I am sure you will agree is unfair - see Cec Gardiner to discuss how you can help!

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From the President ...

Welcome everyone to the new Summer Season. I hope it is one where everyone realizes that the success of a club is only obtained through the *collective efforts* of all of us, and the *acceptance* that everything is not going to work out perfectly all of the time. The best clubs consist of people who are able to appreciate the efforts of others, and accept that there are occasions when we need to "grin and bear it".

Unfortunately we have still not been able to fill the Junior Development portfolio on the Board of Management. The position requires someone who can liaise well with the parents of our juniors and with our club coach - someone who can keep the Board aware of how our junior program is working and the ways the Board can help it to function more efficiently. Come on **you** could do that!

We have had very good attendances to our social play over the winter. Those of you who have been "down at the club" lately will have noticed the new paving, and it has been pleasing to hear many comments about the improvement it has made to the appearance of the club-house. We owe a great deal of thanks to Doug Napier who arranged the supply of materials and manpower, but also put in many

hours of labour and to Jim Syme, who supplied the knowledge, the expertise, the patience and the skill required to complete the task so well. James Williams was a great contributor at all stages, and Phil Searle, David Simmonds, Geoff Groves, Josephine Syme and Barry Bogaards were big contributors.

Our winter league teams did particularly well this season. My congratulations to all who participated. Details of each team's success can be found elsewhere in the Herald.

Dick & Lois Ker who have moved to Kojonup were given an informal farewell at the club recently - they will be missed greatly - see the article elsewhere regarding Social Sets.

Some exciting events are planned for October. Hoping to see as many as possible at our Opening Day, our Ian Hutchison Round Robin and the Anniversary celebrations.

The Board of Management believes that Hensman Park can cater for the interests of all types of people - the competitive player, the social player, the juniors, the young marrieds, the middle aged and quite elderly but it does need your support. Please help us to make 2000 - 2001 a memorable and successful year.

Cec Gardiner

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DATES TO REMEMBER

Sat. Oct 7	Opening Day (Please bring a plate)
Sun. Oct 15	Junior Opening Day
Sun. Oct 22	Ian Hutchison Round Robin Entry forms now out - teams of two men and two ladies
Sat. Oct 28	Anniversary Celebrations
Nov 4/5	Tennis League commences
Nov 7	Melbourne Cup Comp. A fun filled morning followed by lunch, the Cup and re- freshments - entry forms out soon



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FINANCES

The club's finances are sound, with \$43,420 on hand at the end of August, although some of this is reserved for future resurfacing of the hardcourts and the junior development program.

The introduction of the GST from 1 July has created more bookwork however the Quickbooks software that we have acquired is coping with this and ensuring that we get full allowance for any GST input credits.

Dene Rundle—Treasurer

CLUBHOUSE MAINTENANCE

Work is planned for this year on the ceiling in our club-house, together with brightening up the appearance and making it a more member friendly environment.

Under consideration are proposals to improve the appearance of the walls and also to carpet portion of the club area.

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VALE BOB HOWMAN

We were saddened to say farewell to Bob at the end of August not only because he was a great contributor to the running of the club (being one of our most conscientious Treasurers) but his attitude was an inspiration to all of us with the way he accepted his health problems and still managed to crack a joke. He was granted Honorary membership of the club and retained an interest in the happenings of Hensman right to the end. Bob was also a good player and features in our winning league teams in earlier times.

Bob has been magnificently supported by wife Margaret throughout and we extend our sympathies to her and the family during this sad time.

WINTER TENNIS LEAGUE

Congratulations to our three winning teams in this year's winter competition, and our other three teams who reached the finals, but didn't quite make the shield.

Members of the winning teams were as follows:

Mens Sat Div 2: Andrew Taylor, Hamish Tedeschi, Joel Moylan, Justin Francis, Gavin Plows and Dale Raynes (Capt).

Ladies Sat. Div 3: Pauline McCarthy (Capt), Debbie Napier, Shannon Tuckett and Pat Heitman

Mens Sat. Div 5: Anthony Forster, Andrew Reddan, Ivan Zuvella (Capt) and Mark Snelling.

BIG YEAR AHEAD FOR JUNIORS

The season gets under way for our Junior Club on Sunday October 15, and this year we are pleased to have the junior program in the capable hands of our newly appointed Club Professional, David Simmonds. We hope to have a good turnout for the Junior Opening Day, which starts at 9.30am and concludes with a sausage sizzle at lunch time. This is a good opportunity for our junior members to bring along a friend and on this day parents are also welcome to join in the tennis with their children.

Tennis League teams will be announced at the Opening Day, and forms have been sent out inviting juniors to nominate for the various teams.

David Simmonds will be running two special Holiday Clinics—each of four days, in the first and second week of the coming school holidays. The clinics will include technique, games and loads of fun and will operate whatever the weather.

The help of Parents will be sought to make the junior program the success it deserves to be. Call David Simmonds now on 9474-6055 for details on how you can help.

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CLUB CO-ORDINATOR

Many of you will have met Jenny Collett who is assisting in the administration of the club. She is in attendance for three to four hours on Mondays and Thursdays from approx 10.30am and is available to handle enquiries or receive subscriptions. Should you have a friend wishing to join, phone Jenny (or Membership Chairperson Ken Smith) at the club and arrange to pick up the necessary forms.

THANK YOU TO OUR SPONSORS

We are delighted to again welcome the many local businesses who are supporting our club and whose ads appear in this edition.

The cost of running the club today is growing and we all enjoy lower subs as a result of the financial contribution made by our sponsors.

Please let them know that you appreciate their support when next you do business with them

75th ANNIVERSARY

The culmination of a busy opening to the 2000-2001 tennis season will be the celebration of the club's 75 year anniversary on Saturday October 28.

On current indications the organising committee anticipates that there will be a good turn-out of ex-Hensman Park members, covering the era from the early 1940s through to the 1990s. The programme for the day has been deliberately arranged to allow informal interaction between and within the two groups of previous and present members.

Normal organised social play will be available from 1.30 onwards, with an afternoon tea break at about 3.30. At this time the "brief" formalities will be dispensed with. Normal bar facilities will be available later, supplemented by finger food. During the course of the afternoon—and evening—people will also have the opportunity to peruse a display of photo-graphs and other memorabilia which will be exhibited in the clubhouse.

It promises to be an enjoyable day and with full support of all members could also be a memorable one.

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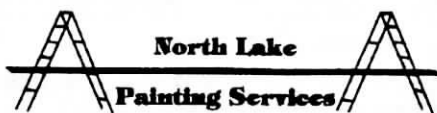
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KNOW YOUR MEMBER

Warren Haley first joined Hensman in the mid seventies (after being coached by Don Harris) and apart from a five year stint in the Goldfields has been a regular player at the club in the intervening years. After finishing his schooling Warren spent some years in the metro area in the Public Service, and in 1985 accepted an appointment in Boulder as Manager of the Police Licensing Centre. In 1990 he returned to Perth and completed a course at Curtin Uni in Human Resource Management and Marketing. Warren is now Chaplain at Cannington Senior High, a project funded in large part by the churches in the area, and here he is challenged to provide guidance to the students who are coming to grips with the many challenges facing them and our society today.

Warren's parents Keith and Jean first fostered his interest in tennis and he is still very keen on the game, although he does continue his love affair with the Cardinals in the Westar competition - I guess we won't hold that against him!

In 1998 Warren married the delightful Laura Whyte and as they say, the rest is history.



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MEMBERS NEWS

Jim and Josephine Syme whizzed up to Broome for a few days, courtesy of the new airfares * The Jones, Ince, Gardiner and Overheu clan are heading to the River Murray for a trip in October * Phil Searle, Shirley Davies, Graeme Rundle, Auriol Heary, Geoff Ivanac and Noel Pearse are lucky members who are enjoying the Olympics—no doubt there are members who we haven't heard about yet * Congratulations to Ashley & Carolyn Burton and to Mark & Fiona Tory who have welcomed a daughter into each of their homes - things are looking good for our Ladies State League team in 2020, with Caitlin Napier having arrived earlier in the year * Ken Bosworth, who was a member of the club in the 1960s, passed away recently * Ian Hutchison recently received Rotary's prestigious Paul Harris Award for community service.

HUTCHY ROUND ROBIN COMING UP

SUNDAY October 22 is the date for this year's big event and last year we had a sell out and had to disappoint some people so **get those entries in early.**

Ian Hutchison through his Real Estate business has sponsored this event for the past seventeen years, and there is good tennis, good food and a great opportunity to relax and enjoy the company of others on this special day.

Entry forms are available at the Club so get your teams together now! Any questions phone June Rundle on 9364 4297.

SUBSCRIPTIONS

Don't forget to take advantage of the *discount* and pay your annual subs by 30 September

Those wishing to play summer league must have first paid their subs to be eligible.

STATE LEAGUE

Hensman will be nominating a team in the Ladies as well as the Mens competition this year. We hope both teams are accepted and that we can look forward to seeing some excellent tennis at the club each Saturday afternoon and monitor the progress of our up and coming juniors.

Likely teams are as follows:

Ladies: Bojana Bobusic, Jana Cabak, Julia Djedzic, Mary Elder, Jade Flindell (Capt), Samantha Taylor, and Kerryl Chute (Manager)

Men: Ashley Burton (Capt), Darren Fitzgerald, Ryan Offer, Mark Tory, Colin Napier, Andrew Taylor, Strahinga Bobusic, Hamish Tedeschi and Phil Searle (Manager).

JUNIOR TOURNAMENT

Hensman has been granted the right to conduct a junior tourney from 17-20 April 2001, following the success of this year's event. Much was learned from the recently conducted tournament and it should be another highlight of this our anniversary year.

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