



# HENSMAN HERALD



## Official Newsletter of Hensman Park Tennis Club (Inc.)

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### EDITORIAL

Participation and Involvement: the ingredients of a strong and healthy club.

At Hensman we are fortunate to have members who are prepared to become involved. Across the spectrum of duty rosters, catering, junior promotion, social activities, Miss Tennis, repairs and ground work and through the various sub-committees we have a large number of members involved in club activities. This is great and means that ours is a healthy club - but we are not perfect, we have a few freeloaders who have not paid their subs and that means their tennis is subsidised by other members.

I would like to see Hensman as a 100 percent club, this is all members financial and all members participating.

All it takes is a small effort from each of you, so come on; nothing is impossible.

THE PRESIDENT  
CLEM OVERHEU

### MISS TENNIS

Ceili Bremner's hard work as our Miss Tennis entrant was rewarded by her winning the Miss Tennis Title for the 1983/84 season. Ceili won a trip to Bali. We were all proud of Ceili's great effort and her enthusiasm shown throughout the season.

Ceili's thankyou follows:-

"I would like to express my sincere thanks to all my fellow club members for your interest in my Miss Tennis activities throughout the year.

It was a great thrill for me to win the Quest and I was very proud to represent Hensman though it wouldn't have been possible without your support and encouragement".

Ceili Bremner



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**Richard**

### ON THE COMPETITION SCENE

Many members have used the holiday period to participate in a number of tournaments which have been held both in the Metropolitan and Country areas .... and there have been some outstanding results recorded. Congratulations to the following on their excellent performances.

The Australia Day Long Weekend Tournament held at Bunbury:

Winner Mens Singles - Barry Tognolini, Runnerup Rob Murton;

Winner Ladies Singles - Glenys Mitchell;

Winner Mixed Doubles Rob & Kerry Murton.

The State Underage Tournament held at Canning

Winner 18's & Under Singles - Colin Napier; Runnerup

Girl 18's & Under Singles - Natalie Crutchley.

### VISITORS TO THE CLUB

Members may bring visitors to join in social play on weekends and the appropriate visitor fee must be paid to the Duty Captain prior to commencement of play.

Members bringing visitors mid-week are responsible for payment of the visitors fee which should be placed in the ball chute at Captains Room.

A visitor is restricted to playing as a visitor for a maximum of 3 occasions in any one season.

Note: Visitors must wear approved tennis attire including proper sandshoes.

## PENNANTS

After the end of the qualifying rounds, 12 teams made it into the finals which were played on the 11th and 12th February. Those teams were:

Mens A Grade Div. 1	Ladies A Reserve Div. 3
Mens A Grade Div. 2	Ladies B Grade Div. 1
Mens A Reserve Div. 3	Girls 1B & Under Div. 1
Mens B Grade Div. 1	Girls 16 & Under Div. 4
Mens Vets. Div. 1	Girls 14 & Under Div. 4
Mens Vets. Div. 2	Boys 14 & Under Div. 6

Successful teams from last weekends finals were

Mens A Grade Div. 1 - Barry Tognolini, Rob Murton  
Phil Searle & Colin Napier

Mens A Grade Div. 2 - Peter Overheu, Doug Napier,  
John Turner & Geoff Thomas

Mens Vets. Div. 2 - Paul Whitely, Dick Ker,  
Clem Overheu, John Martin  
& Dick Pears.

Ladies A Reserve Div. 3 - Anne Hall, Joselyn Strang  
Lori Bevan and Debbie Hall

These teams will play off for the shield this weekend. The Club wishes all those competing in finals all the best.

For those pennant players who did not make the finals you had better start practising for next year.

## PAST HISTORY

Father Christmas started his rounds early by visiting Hensman on Christmas Eve. Though it was a hot day and Father Christmas had to sacrifice his tennis, he was more than compensated for by the ladies who were coerced into sitting on his knee. Everyone voted the afternoons entertainment a great success.



Father Christmas smiles for the camera as he is about to present Sue Gillett (left) and Barb Whitely (right) with their gift. The label on the can is not necessarily an indication of the content.



The "Old Gent" looks younger every year and his sack gets smaller.

## CHAMPAGNE BREAKFAST

Who would have believed so many people would stagger along at 7.30 a.m. on a Sunday to play tennis. Must have been the thought of the 'Champers' and the 'Sheraton' style breakfast that did it. The tennis wasn't too good - but that wasn't important. A fun time was had by all.

## ELDERS COUNTRY WEEK TENNIS

This was not quite as demanding this year being a support club but it still took a large team of volunteers to make it a financial success for the club. Thanks to all who helped.

Letter of thanks follows:-

Many thanks to the ladies who came and helped in the kitchen during Country Week. It certainly made the job very easy knowing that there were three or four efficient workers there to cope with the hungry and thirsty tennis players. Special thanks to Pam Gardiner, who came down every day, also club juniors Alex and Liz Wood and friend Claire, Jenny and Dianne Campbell and Sue Boys. They were very handy to have for working, serving and running messages to the shops and the bank. Perhaps the thought of rich young farmers was an added incentive for their attendance each day, but whatever the motive their efforts were much appreciated.

Once again, thanks for your help.

Joan Campbell

## COMING EVENTS

Quiz Night 15th March at the Manning Hotel 7.45 p.m. Pens down 8.00 p.m.  
Get your tables organised now. Tickets available soon. Enquiries see Andrea Hickey or phone 364 5487 A.H.

## DAVIS CUP

It is important in W.A. Tennis that all seats are taken for this tie between Australia and Yugoslavia from 23rd to 25th February at Royal Kings Park Tennis Club. Ring W.A.L.T.A. on 321 9977 and book your seats now.

## ROUND ROBIN COMING UP

Our second Kempe Hutchison Round Robin day is to be held on Sunday 8th April.

Last years event was an outstanding success, with visitors coming from many country and metropolitan Clubs. It is a great social days tennis with each player guaranteed six sets of tennis.

Entries are limited and will be accepted in order of receipt - please obtain your form now and avoid disappointment. Why not invite friends from other clubs.

\*Note: Club Tournaments coming up.  
Championships over 3 weekends  
Starting 10th March  
Handicaps over 2 weekends  
Starting 17th March

Entry forms are available at the Club.

These tournaments are the most important club activities for the season so it is up to all pennant players and social members to participate. Provisional Juniors are also encouraged to participate.

Take note that championship results are taken into account for selection of pennant teams the following season.

## PERSONAL PARS

Congratulations to Geoff Thomas on his engagement to Debbie Doyle.