

# Hensman Herald

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## PRESIDENT'S REPORT - Norm Burkett

Summer has arrived (so we are informed), despite the indifferent weather many have continued to enjoy their tennis - thanks to all those who keep things going.



Tennis - You're gonna love it!

Pennants are well under way. Results to date appear reasonably successful. Hopefully this year many teams will reach the finals and achieve the ultimate reward. The men's State Grade

has certainly started off in the best way possible. I have no doubt they are capable of "going all the way". Good luck! I know the boys appreciate the support of members - both at matches and their State Grade functions.

The extensions are well under way. I feel the inconvenience has been kept to a minimum. Thanks to the builders for their efforts, and to members for their co-operation and understanding.

We have applied for further funding from the Ministry of Sport and South Perth

City Council. If successful, fencing will be improved and lighting upgraded further. From past experience we expect the final outcome will not be known until well into 1997.

The availability of courts for social and pennant play will always be a problem. We can only monitor the situation as it changes due to court repairs, numbers attending for social, weather etc.

Congratulations must go to Kevin Fitzgerald, his committee and Jamie Chute for the standard of the courts. I believe they are second to none in the metropolitan area at this time. Please remember when courts are being rested - it is not intended to inconvenience members (we all want to play as much as possible) but an effort to maintain the standard of the courts for the remainder of a long season. May I remind members we would appreciate any spare Council Tip passes - disposal of clippings remains a constant cost to the Club.

Marlene Howes will be reminding us of our sponsors - please support our sponsors whenever possible and don't forget to mention the Club if using their "services".

I wish all members and families a Happy Christmas and New Year and rewarding tennis.

NORM BURKETT.

This edition of the Hensman Herald provides an overview of the business activities of some of our sponsors

We encourage you to use our sponsors whenever possible — your Club needs their support!

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## SOCIAL PLAY - Cec Gardiner

My thanks are extended to the many people who have helped in the creation of social play sets over the past two months. Thanks also to those, who although unable to undertake their tasks on the rostered day, made arrangements for suitable replacements so the system was maintained. A sporting club relies heavily upon responsible volunteers and it is pleasing that we have so many of these people within our membership.

In the survey conducted by the Club at the beginning of this season, a decisive majority indicated that they favoured the use of a computer system of compiling social sets, provided the faults and deficiencies it showed previously were successfully eliminated.

Mike Howes has provided the technical know-how that has allowed us to conduct a number of experiments with computer designed sets over the last two months. Although all sets played this season have been compiled manually by our rostered volunteers we have also been asking the computer to compile sets for comparative purposes. Copies of the computer compiled sets have been examined and analysed and then, after some consultation with various Club members, we have made some modifications to the computer program.

## SPONSORSHIP - Marlene Howes

Club polo shirts are available at \$25.00 each in all sizes and members are encouraged to support the Club by wearing your Club shirt. Also available are:-

|                                  |             |
|----------------------------------|-------------|
| Hensman Hats                     | \$5.00 each |
| Hensman Socks                    | \$2.00 pair |
| Sunscreen (Cancer Council tubes) | \$3.90 each |
| "Sipper" bottles                 | \$5.00 each |

The "Sipper" bottles are ideal for social and pennant players alike to have court-side for refreshment during the coming hot weather.

We now **think** we have a very satisfactory way of formulating social play sets. Consequently, we intend to use computer designed sets for each Saturday in January. While I realise that not everyone will be happy with any one way of arranging sets, I do hope everyone will begin with "an open mind", and where appropriate, will provide me with both positive and negative feedback.

As part of our Christmas Tennis Day on Saturday December 21, a tin and bottle tournament will be conducted. Each player is asked to bring a can or bottle worth one or two dollars (e.g. coke, baked beans etc.).

The results of each round of sets will see the ownership of the cans/bottles alter somewhat. By the end of the day you are unlikely to still own your can/bottle, but you may have acquired that of someone else.

Clever people may have gained three or four new cans/bottles, but some unlucky people may have lost their can/bottle forever. The size of your confidence (or ego) will be gauged by the size of the bag you bring to carry your "loot" home.

All items represent good value and provide assistance to the Club by way of fund-raising.

Please remember to support our sponsors and those businesses which advertise in the Hensman Herald wherever possible.

We rely on the support of sponsors to assist in offering members the facilities they enjoy and the Club in turn, aims to support those businesses that support us.

1997 will see the re-introduction of computer prepared social sets.....

## MEN'S TENNIS LEAGUE - Ken McIntosh

On the 8th December, at the end of 5 rounds (State League 7 rounds) many Hensman teams are performing well.

New players to the Club have fitted in well and several of last year's players are playing in higher divisions this summer.

New players this summer are Paul Wharton, Blair Kenworthy, Paul Major, Jeff Edwards, Roy Humphry, Vincent Chong, Jeff Wai and Shane Watkins, with Peter Franklyn, Greg Gardiner, Mark Snelling and Ivan Zuvela returning to play for the Club after a few year's absence.

Anthony Currall and Cam Bartram have been promoted from the Juniors to play in Division 13 this summer. It is hoped that Jason Grogan and Darren Ballantyne, both of whom are recovering from injuries will be able to play soon. The results for all teams to date are shown below:-

|                          | Captain               | Wins | Draws | Losses |
|--------------------------|-----------------------|------|-------|--------|
| <b>Mens State League</b> | <b>Colin Napier</b>   | 6    | 1     | 0      |
| <b>Mens Sat Div. 2</b>   | <b>Peter Franklyn</b> | 5    | 0     | 0      |
| <b>Mens Sat Div. 4</b>   | <b>Ian Rundle</b>     | 4    | 1     | 0      |
| <b>Mens Sat Div. 6</b>   | <b>Geoff Thomas</b>   | 2    | 0     | 3      |
| <b>Mens Sat Div. 9</b>   | <b>Scott Wilson</b>   | 4    | 0     | 1      |
| <b>Mens Sat. Div 13</b>  | <b>Ivan Zuvela</b>    | 3    | 0     | 2      |
| <b>Mens Sat Div. 16</b>  | <b>Keith Green</b>    | 2    | 0     | 3      |
| <b>Mens Sun Div. 3</b>   | <b>Bart de Ruwe</b>   | 1    | 1     | 3      |
| <b>Mens Sun Div. 6</b>   | <b>Paul Graham</b>    | 0    | 0     | 5      |
| <b>Mens O/45 Div. 2</b>  | <b>Rob Tuffin</b>     | 2    | 0     | 3      |
| <b>Mens O/45 Div. 6</b>  | <b>Barry Bogaards</b> | 4    | 0     | 1      |
| <b>Mens O/55 Gold</b>    | <b>Arnold Jones</b>   | 5    | 0     | 0      |
| <b>Mens O/55 Blue</b>    | <b>Dick Ker</b>       | 3    | 0     | 2      |

## BUMPING BOARD and CHALLENGE RULES -

Ken McIntosh

These rules have been revised and approved by the Board of Management.

Refer to the Club's Notice Board to see what the changes are.

If you would like a copy of the rules see Ken or Debbie.



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### QUESTIONNAIRE RESULTS

Ken McIntosh

In August all members were mailed a questionnaire which aimed to provide the Board of Management with data about many aspects of the the services the Club provides for its members.

Approximately 80 members responded by completing the questionnaire. Charles Picchetti and Jenny Arrowsmith won the lucky draw prizes for sending in their questionnaire on time. Charles winning the prize was very appropriate because his answers were very comical and a number of his "gems" are reprinted in this edition of the Herald for all members to have a laugh. (Charles did also give some serious and helpful answers.)

On a serious note, the Board of Management thanks all members who responded to the questionnaire - the results and views expressed will prove extremely useful in planning the Club's future.

Denise Dalton has collated all the answers and has prepared a summary report of all the responses. The Board of Management will discuss this summary report at its December meeting. Any follow up or actions from the December meeting will be reported in the next Herald early in the new year.

Generally speaking, most questionnaire respondents felt that the Club's services to its members were good but they gave constructive comments on how most services could be improved. Another general comment was that many members felt it was time the club tried some new ideas, function and tennis events, while keeping the strong tennis base it always has had.

It is too hard to generalise anymore and a complete summary of the responses is much too long to include in the Herald. Therefore, if anyone would like a copy of the summary report please contact me.

### TENNIS WEST REPORT -

Ken McIntosh

Hensman Park is again well represented on the Board of Tennis West with Andrea Mitchell elected as President and Dene Rundle as Vice President.

Doug Napier is again Director of Tournaments and Events.

Hensman Park's delegates to Tennis West are Dene Rundle, Debbie Napier and Ken McIntosh.

Tennis West has organised a better Advantage Receiver Card this year which will be sent out to all Clubs shortly.



### SOUTH PERTH RETRAVISION

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South Perth Retravision have a large range of electrical goods, gas appliances, fridges, freezers, sound equipment, television and video recorders as well as being stockists of mobile phones.

Their prices are extremely competitive and their management is most anxious to assist members of Hensman Park with their household needs

Annual Dinner suggestions - a la Picchetti.....

...to be held in Monte Carlo with the Rolling Stones as background music and the Three Tenors as the feature act.....



## MARK HLAWATY'S McHAPPY DAY- *Ken McIntosh*

On Sunday 13 October, Hensman ran a very successful day of novelty tennis to help raise funds for McDonald's McHappy Day.

Mark Hlawaty was in attendance all day to help organise the novelty sets and award spot prizes. The juniors in the morning and seniors in the afternoon all enjoyed the tennis format, especially the games of triples.

As a result of the success of the day and the money raised by the entry fee and serving competition, Mark Hlawaty was able to present a cheque for \$220.00 to McDonald's on the following Saturday 19th October, which was the national McHappy Day.

(McHappy Day aims to raise funds for Ronald McDonald charities).

See photos on display at the Club which show Mark serving at McDonald's South Perth, as part of the festivities.

A special thanks to Marlene Howes for liaising with McDonald's South Perth and Denise Dalton with advertising for McHappy Day and assistance with sets on the day.

Thanks also to those Club members who visited McDonald's South Perth for lunch that day to support the Hensman Park

display. Norm Burkett, Frank Thomas, Jamin, Kevin Fitzgerald, Auriol Heary and Dene and June Rundle all discovered a great new place to eat!

Mark's participation in the festivities at McDonald's South Perth was greatly appreciated by the management of McDonald's who were quite amazed at his natural public relations personality. Mark spent most of the afternoon of 19th October working either in "Drive Thru" or behind the counter taking orders. This proved to be quite an amazing sight for many customers.

### SUGGESTION BOX

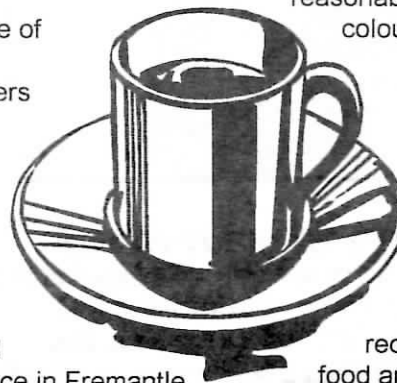
A "Suggestion Box" is situated in the hall opposite the Bar and members are reminded to use the box for any ideas or suggestions they may wish to put forward for consideration.

The Board of Management is open to suggestions from members for improvements on any aspect of the running of the Club.

## Culley's Tea Rooms & Bakery

Hensman Park is pleased to welcome **Bob Wegner** as a sponsor of the Club.

We are most appreciative of Bob's offer to become a sponsor and trust members will support Bob when in Fremantle. **Culley's Tea Rooms is situated at 116 High Street Fremantle** and is a long established, traditional tea rooms and (since 1925) meeting place in Fremantle.



Culleys bakes daily on the premises and supplies an extensive range of food at reasonable prices in the heart of colourful Fremantle.

Hensman Park and the State League Team in particular, also thank Bob Wegner for supplying the pies and sausage rolls which members enjoyed on the Brian Gardner Day. Many positive comments were received from members on the food and we compliment Bob on the standard of food supplied to us.

From and ex-Army man -

..... Army Colonel inspecting the kitchen and mess hut comments to the cook — "There are far too many flies in this place" —

The cook replies — "I'm sorry sir, how many should there be?".....

Sponsor -

Culley's Tea Rooms Fremantle

**MEMBERSHIP REPORT - Margaret Napier**

New Members welcomed at the October and November meetings were:

Kar Ming Chong, Keiicki Toyota, Shane Watkins, Paul Wharton, Natalie Bennett-Bremner, Sherrie Heather, Laureen Lindsay, David McNeil, Howard Robinson, Jeffrey Wai (Senior members), Roy Humfrey (country), Margaret Smith (mid-week).

Mark Snelling has reinstated his membership after spending some years in New Zealand.

We hope to see them all at the Club regularly enjoying the tennis and facilities we have to offer.

New members of the Junior Club are Jessie Hanson, Matthew & Courtney Bruce and

Richard Syme.

Kanan Rajappa has moved to Canada. Resignations include Peg Butcher and Mary Andrews who are now living north of the River, James Williams who plans to stay in the UK for some time, Peter Flottmann who has moved to Sydney, Tracey Bennie (Drake-Brockman) and Karin Klau who have moved to other Clubs.

I would just like to remind you that we welcome enquiries from prospective members. Invite your friends down to the Club as a visitor (\$6.00 fee) and encourage them to be part of Hensman Park.

New members  
- please make  
them welcome  
at our Club.

**TENNIS RESULTS  
VETS TENNIS WINTER COMPETITION**

**MIXED DOUBLES - SATURDAY**

Division 2 - Winners Hensman Park

|      |                |                |
|------|----------------|----------------|
| Team | A. Morcombe    | I. Green       |
|      | R. Raux        | P. Smith       |
|      | B. Artingstall | M. Artingstall |
|      | K. Green       |                |

Our successful  
"vets" .....

**VETS ROUND ROBIN GERALDTON WINNERS**

|          |             |
|----------|-------------|
| A. Heary | N. Burkett  |
| P. Smith | R. Raux     |
| B. Lyall | J. Bamfield |
|          | J. Spencer  |

**RESULTS - WOMEN'S TEAMS**

|                     |                   | <b>Wins</b> | <b>Draws</b> | <b>Losses</b> |
|---------------------|-------------------|-------------|--------------|---------------|
| Women's Sat. Div 1  | Kathy Williams    | 0           | 1            | 4             |
| Women's Sat. Div 2  | Lynnette Gardiner | 2           | 0            | 3             |
| Women's Sat. Div. 6 | Debbie Napier     | 1           | 1            | 3             |
| Women's Sun. Div. 1 | Natasha Brinsden  | 1           | 2            | 2             |
| Women's O/41 Div. 1 | Pam Smith         | 4           | 1            | 0             |

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**SOUTH PERTH RETRAVISION**  
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Hensman Park Tennis Club is delighted to accept the extremely generous donation of a Patio Mate gas barbecue to be used as a fund raising item for the Club.

South Perth Retravision have been very supportive of Hensman Park over the years and such support is extremely welcome.

We would encourage members to consider South Perth Retravision when requiring electrical goods, whitegoods or mobile phone purchases as this store provides a wide range of products at competitive prices.

Please remember to identify yourselves to staff as members of Hensman Park when next you shop at South Perth Retravision

**Parry & Whyte**  
ARCHITECTS

**Parry and Whyte** are presently working on seven individual houses, two respite homes and a six unit development for clients with disabilities. They have been appointed to a panel of architectural practices carrying out specialist design work through Community Housing programmes.

They are also involved on two projects in Carnarvon. One for the Lotteries Commission, with fellow Club member Ivan Zuvela of Contract & Management Services as project leader.

Our practice has been working in association with Philip McAllister (Architect) at Fremantle Prison Female Division which has been converted into a facility for the Jewellery and Textile Departments of the West Australian School of Art and Design.

They have a number of residential projects - new homes and additions and alterations to existing homes and unit developments. One of these projects is for Miriam and Lyndon Morgan Hobbs — construction has started after a long and difficult gestation period — thanks to various agency approvals.

**PROVISIONAL JUNIORS - John Spencer**

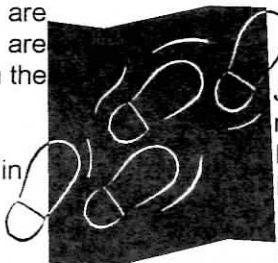
Over the past five weeks the Junior Pennant Competition has been taking place. Hensman Park has one girls' team and three boys' teams competing. The Under 12 boys Division 3 are currently in second position and are scheduled to play North Beach in the final round.

The under 16 girls Division 3 are in 4th place  
The Under 14 Boys Division 2 finished 4th  
The Under 16 Boys Division 1 are currently in fifth place  
The Under 12 boys Division 3 are currently in second place.

On 15 December the Juniors are invited to a Sausage Sizzle and Wind-Up at the Club. There will be no organised tennis for the Juniors from that date until February 1997 when Junior Pennants begin again - a new competition.

I would like to thank those Hensman Park players who have helped to organise Sunday morning tennis for the Juniors. Special thanks to Ben Whitehouse - a top organiser and leader.

I wish the Junior tennis players from Hensman Park Tennis Club a safe,, happy and holy Christmas.



Gas  
"Patio Mate"  
barbecue  
donation.

PJ's -  
the  
enthusiastic  
Juniors...

## ROSTERS

Listed below are the rosters for January to March. In the case of Sets Duty, please note that:-

- a. being on Sets Duty does NOT mean you will not be able to play yourself, i.e. you may alternate with the other person on duty, or perhaps ask someone else to put on one round of sets while you have a game.
- b. if you are unable to be on duty on the allocated day, arrange a swap with someone else on the roster, or ask someone who is not on the roster if they can help. If you are unsuccessful in both of the above, ask Cec Gardiner if he can assist you to find a replacement.

Rosters -

Please check  
for your Duty  
Roster.

| Supervisor<br>Date      | K. McIntosh<br>Opening                     | R. Raux<br>A/Tea               | C. Gardiner<br>Sets                | N. Burkett<br>Bar               | N. Burkett<br>Security |
|-------------------------|--|--------------------------------|------------------------------------|---------------------------------|------------------------|
| January 4<br>Saturday   | Randy Raux                                 | Leanne Davy<br>J. McGann       | Mike Howes<br>Marlene Howes        | R. Raux<br>A. Heary             | Randy Raux             |
| January 5<br>Sunday     | Norm Burkett                               | B. Hutchison                   | Jane Hamilton<br>Matthew Moylan    | Norm Burkett                    | Norm Burkett           |
| January 11<br>Saturday  | K. Fitzgerald                              | Shirley Davies<br>Joan O'Boyle | Dene Rundle<br>June Rundle         | Sue Taylor<br>Robyn Wilson      | K. Fitzgerald          |
| January 12<br>Sunday    | Ken McIntosh                               | Denise Dalton                  | Nicole Pound<br>Arnaud Lallenece   | Ken McIntosh<br>Denise Dalton   | Ken McIntosh           |
| January 18<br>Saturday  | Randy Raux                                 | Anne Hall<br>Mike Hall         | Colin Bailey<br>Diane Bailey       | Norm Burkett                    | Norm Burkett           |
| January 19<br>Sunday    | CHARLIE'S DAY - SOCIAL COMMITTEE - R. RAUX |                                |                                    |                                 |                        |
| January 25<br>Saturday  | Mike Howes                                 | Marlene<br>Howes               | Bill Artingstall<br>M. Artingstall | Geoff Groves                    | Geoff Groves           |
| January 26<br>Sunday    | Ken McIntosh                               | June Hatton                    | Sharon Lampard<br>K. Fitzgerald    | Frank Thomas                    | Barry<br>Bogaards      |
| February 1<br>Saturday  | Ken McIntosh                               | Lois Ker<br>Pam Gardiner       | Geoff Groves<br>Celia Whitfield    | Richard Ker<br>A. Morcombe      | Randy Raux             |
| February 2<br>Sunday    | Norm Burkett                               | Auriol Heary                   | Gwyn Thomas<br>Tony Tarzia         | Auriol Heary                    | Norm Burkett           |
| February 8<br>Saturday  | Ken McIntosh                               | Henny Anich<br>Jane Hamilton   | Alec Whyte<br>Sue Taylor           | K. Fitzgerald<br>Frank Thomas   | K. Fitzgerald          |
| February 9<br>Sunday    | Norm Burkett                               | Carolyn Burton                 | Pam Norcott<br>Peter Gruessing     | Ashley Burton<br>Carolyn Burton | Ken McIntosh           |
| February 15<br>Saturday | Ken McIntosh                               | Jan Bogaards<br>Sue Harwood    | L Morgan-Hobbs<br>S. Apostolou     | BarryBogaards<br>KevinHarwood   | BarryBogaards          |
| February 16<br>Sunday   | Norm Burkett                               | Charles<br>Brookes             | Elsie Carroll<br>Stan Voloczi      | Ken Smith                       | Randy Raux             |
| February 22<br>Saturday | Ken McIntosh                               | Celia Whitfield<br>Marg Howman | Arnold Jones<br>Marg. Napier       | Geoff Groves<br>S. Lampard      | Geoff Groves           |
| February 23<br>Sunday   | Norm Burkett                               | Frank Thomas                   | Denise Dalton<br>Roger Nicholas    | Frank Thomas                    | Norm Burkett           |
| March 1<br>Saturday     | Ken McIntosh                               | F. Totterdell<br>Gwyn Thomas   | Frank Thomas<br>Lyn Stoltze        | Frank Thomas<br>R. Totterdell   | K. Fitzgerald          |
| March 2<br>Sunday       | Norm Burkett                               | Frank Thomas                   | Joan O'Boyle<br>Darren Pearson     | K. Fitzgerald                   | Ken McIntosh           |



# CHARLIE'S MIXED CLASSIC DAY SUNDAY 19 JANUARY 1997

Registration at 12.20 p.m.  
Play commences at 12.45 p.m. sharp

Sponsor, Charles Picchetti, will be there to ensure an afternoon of fun tennis. There will be prizes for all group winners as well as novelty prizes, so you don't have to be a star to win.

Players are to enter as a mixed couple. Couples will be placed in groups of 6 and will play a round robin with a minimum of five (5) rounds. Games will be short deuce and run to a time limit. Presentation of prizes will take place at approximately 6.00 p.m. followed by a delightful beef dinner at 6.45 p.m. to cap a wonderful day's tennis, fun and friendship/

Please complete and submit your entry NOW as only the first 60 couples entered will be accepted. You can enter singularly and we will attempt to match you with a partner. Entries are not restricted to Club members.

|   |              |
|---|--------------|
| Entry Fees: To play, afternoon tea & evening meal | \$16.00 each |
| To play & afternoon tea                           | \$10.00 each |
| Evening meal only                                 | \$13.00 each |

**Entries close: 5.00 p.m. SUNDAY 12 JANUARY 1997**

Entries with money must be lodged at the Club Captain's Room or mailed to:-

Ken McIntosh, 7 Oberthur Crescent, Bullcreek, 6149  
(332 1836 A/Hrs, 316 5254 Bus. 316 5167 Fax)

ENTRIES ARE RESTRICTED TO 60 MIXED COUPLES (120 PLAYERS)

## CHARLIE'S MIXED CLASSIC DAY

Evening Meal

Name: ..... Phone No..... Rating ..... Yes/No

Name..... Phone No..... Rating ..... Yes/No

Name: ..... Phone No..... Rating ..... Yes/No

Name..... Phone No..... Rating ..... Yes/No

Names of people for meal only (\$13.00 each)

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ENTRY FEE ENCLOSED: ..... TOTAL \$ .....

Office use only:

Payment received by:..... on.....

Entry No..... Ranking .....

Group.....

We hear.....

Charles Picchetti may be a likely sponsor as a c h a - c h a teacher.....

### SUCCESS FOR MARK WILLIAMS

Mark Williams has been selected in the 18 and Under Linton cup team to represent Western Australia in the inter-State Tennis Championships, to be held in Adelaide in December.

Mark was also the winner of the 18 and Under singles at the State Hard Court Tennis Championships held at the State Tennis Centre at the end of September.

Mark was also singles semi-finalist and doubles winner of the Darwin International Tennis Federation Junior Tournament in July.

CONGRATULATIONS MARK!

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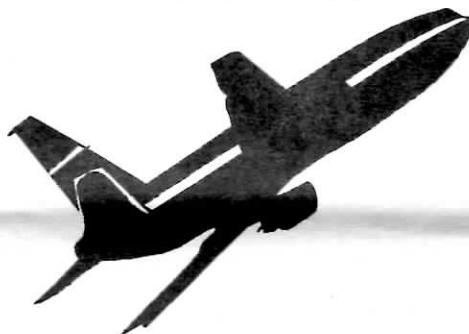
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Hensman Park encourages members to support our new sponsor and enjoy the professionalism they have to offer.

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MARLENE HOWES

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## ROSTERS

| Supervisor<br>Date   | K.McIntosh<br>Opening | R. Raux<br>A/Tea             | C. Gardiner<br>Sets            | N. Burkett<br>Bar          | N. Burkett<br>Security |
|----------------------|-----------------------|------------------------------|--------------------------------|----------------------------|------------------------|
| March 8<br>Saturday  | Ken McIntosh          | Elsie Carroll<br>Marg Napier | Max Heitman<br>Pat Heitman     | G. Walker<br>B. Daniel     | R. Raux                |
| March 9<br>Sunday    | Norm Burkett          | B. Hutchinson                | Sue Harwood<br>Kev Harwood     | Frank Thomas               | Norm Burkett           |
| March 15<br>Saturday | Ken McIntosh          | Lyn Gardiner<br>Pam Gardiner | Nick Roberts<br>Pam Gardiner   | Rob Tuffin<br>Ross Symonds | Barry Bogaards         |
| March 16<br>Sunday   | Norm Burkett          | Frank Thomas                 | F. Totterdell<br>R. Totterdell | R. Totterdell              | Norm Burkett           |
| March 22<br>Saturday | Ken McIntosh          | M. Howes<br>N.B-Bremner      | Bart Da Ruwe<br>Leanne Davy    | Keryl Chute<br>Randy Raux  | Randy Raux             |
| March 23<br>Sunday   | Norm Burkett          | Frank Thomas                 | N. Brinsden<br>Richard Hlobil  | K. Fitzgerald              | Norm Burkett           |
| March 29<br>Saturday | EASTER                |                              | Richard Ker<br>Lois Ker        | WEEKEND                    |                        |
| March 30<br>Sunday   | VOLUNTEERS            |                              | Henny Anich<br>Ivan Anich      | PLEASE                     |                        |

Rosters -

Please check  
for your Duty  
Rosters.

### Ian Hutchison Real Estate

Ian Hutchison has been a loyal member and supporter of the Hensman Park Tennis Club over many years, having first joined the Club nearly 30 years ago. Ian has been involved in the sponsorship of the annual Round Robin Event for over 12 years.

Ian first started in real estate 19 years ago with his father Don, in the family business, Kempe Hutchison. Nine years ago, after gaining experience in the industry, Ian started his own business in the South Perth area and eventually setting up in his present location in the Millstream Shopping Centre, Mends Street.

Ian Hutchison Real Estate covers all areas of the property market, particularly, residential and commercial sales and property management. Ian is very familiar with the local market and the locality and a chat with him demonstrates quite clearly his knowledge of the sales history of properties in the area. Whilst Ian is situated in South Perth, he has clients in most areas to Winthrop and Ferndale and therefore is quite familiar with a widespread of suburbs "South of the River".

Unit development in the South Perth/Como areas has been quite marked in

recent years and Ian mentioned a trend towards older flats being refurbished and strata-titled. Family housing has remained very popular in the area due to a number of factors, i.e. the close proximity to the City, easy access to almost every main highway, the fact that a large part of the City of South Perth is bordered by attractive river foreshores and the availability of facilities such as schools, sporting clubs, makes the City of South Perth a very desirable location to live. As families are growing, people are choosing to purchase larger homes in the area or alternatively extending renovating their existing homes. Ian sees the area maintaining a strong family housing presence whilst at the same time being a good area for investors to purchase rental properties.

Ian is a friendly and approachable person and particularly helpful for advice on the purchase of properties, whether your consideration is a residential or commercial purchase, investment interest or just keeping up with market trends. Should you be contemplating, purchasing or selling a property or would just like to discuss a query, give Ian a call, you will find him most happy to assist you.

**STATE LEAGUE - Ken Houston**

At the time of going to press, it is the end of Round 6. (Round seven is half way). Hensman is well on top with 5 outright wins and one "did not finish" (due to light).

Unfortunately only needed one more rubber and were ahead in 2 out of 3 doubles.

| Individual Scores |        |          |
|-------------------|--------|----------|
| Mark Hlawaty      | 6 wins |          |
| Ashley Burton     | 5 wins | 1 loss   |
| Casey Blanchard   | 5 wins | 1 loss   |
| Mark Williams     | 6 wins |          |
| Colin Napier      | 3 wins | 3 losses |
| Jeremy Muir       | 3 wins | 3 losses |

Great effort on the part of Mark and Mark!

Once again the doubles combination of Blanchard./Muir is proving pretty unbeatable. So things are looking pretty good!

Great night had by those who attended Cygnet Theatre to see "First Wives Club". Lots of ladies taking notes and husbands squirming in seats. We all look forward to the next one.

Please check notices for the first of our Champagne Breakfast due in mid-January. If you haven't been before make a note and check with anyone who has — they are a real ball.

Thanks to all supporters - wishing all a great Christmas from all of State League Team.

State League results .....

Mark Hlawaty and Mark Williams are unbeaten!

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### SOCIAL SCENE - *Randy Raux*

Twilight Tennis held at the Club recently has not been very successful. We will have more of them in the summer months and hopefully more members will attend.

Please refer to the blackboard for further details and dates.

#### Coming Social Events:-

Christmas at Hensman  
Twilight Tennis  
Charlie' Day - Mixed Classic  
Quiz Night

(See Calendar for dates)

Rosters for bar, Afternoon Teas and Security are displayed in the Club Rooms near the Bar.

Thanks for your support and many thanks to the Social Committee.

Merry Christmas!

### WELCOME TO THE WORLD OF COMPUTER SETS - *Mike Howes*

As members will be aware, we have been running computer sets on a trial basis.

We are currently trying out the program used by South Perth Tennis Club, which they have been running for over 3 years. Like many new systems we will have a few teething problems mainly caused by a mismatch in club information that has been input and player preferences.

You can help us in this regard. Remember that the computer only allocates sets based on the information it is given. Its main criteria is your match rating, which has been set up by Cec Gardiner, Ken McIntosh and Debbie Napier. If you feel that the players that you are being allocated are not a good match, let Cec, Ken or Debbie know, and they can review your rating (no promises that it will change).



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Calendar.

## TENNIS SUCCESS - Keith Begley

Tennis Australia has a new marketing slogan:

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and it certainly has been indicative of the play on the courts at Hensman Park so far this season. All members who have started the season have really been enjoying it and many public players have signed up for coaching classes - many of them new to tennis and are now hooked for life.

This term at Tennis Success (TS)- previously Keith Begley's Tennis Academy- sees the 10th start to the TS Summer Programs at Hensman. Kids as young as 5 years made a start in tennis this term and a total of 150 kids participated in the coaching programs.

TS aims to make coaching enjoyable as well as teaching the latest coaching methods so as to promote quick and easy to understand tennis skills.

Christmas time sees the start to the Hopman Cup in Perth, where we all get a chance to see tennis at its very best. TS will be doing the racquet restringing for all the top players, some who have been to Keith before. TS hopes to see you at the Hopman Cup - come up and say hello to Keith or Peter.

TS looks forward to moving into the new premises when construction is finished. In the meantime if you're looking for inspiration for Christmas gifts or have questions regarding restringing your racquet for play in 1997 see the staff in

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## TENNIS AND SOCIAL CALENDAR

|  |                             |
|--|-----------------------------|
| Finals Junior Tennis League                        | 8 December                  |
| Twilight Tennis                                    | 12 December                 |
| WA Open at State Tennis Centre                     | 9-15 December               |
| Last Tennis League prior Christmas break           | 21-22 December              |
| Tin & Bottle Tournament and Christmas at Hensman   | 21 December                 |
| Junior Hopman Cup at State Tennis Centre           | 26-29 December              |
| Hopman Cup at Burswood                             | 29 December to 5 January    |
| New Year's Day Social Tennis                       | 1 January                   |
| Social Tennis                                      | 5 and 6 January             |
| Twilight Tennis - 5.00 p.m.                        | 9 January (Thursday)        |
| President's v Captain's Challenge                  | 11 January                  |
| Champagne Breakfast State League                   | 12 January                  |
| Charlie's Mixed Classic incl. Dinner at 7.00 p.m.  | 19 January                  |
| Australia Day Weekend Tournaments                  | 25/26/27 January            |
| Start of Thursday Night Social Tennis              | 30 January                  |
| Tennis League recommences                          | 1-2 February                |
| Twilight Tennis - 5.00 p.m.                        | 13 February (Thursday)      |
| National Tennis Fun Day                            | 16 February                 |
| Last Round Tennis League                           | 22/23 February              |
| Labour Day Long Weekend Tournaments                | 1/2/3 March                 |
| Semi Final Tennis League & Last Round State League | 8 & 9 March                 |
| Tennis League Finals                               | 15 & 16 March               |
| State League Semi-Final                            |                             |
| Junior Tennis League Final                         |                             |
| Men's State League Final                           | 23 March                    |
| Quiz Night - 7.15 p.m.                             | 25 March (Tuesday)          |
| Women's Mid-Week Semi Finals                       | 26 March                    |
| First Week Club Tournament                         | 22/23 March                 |
| Easter Tournaments                                 | 28-31 March                 |
| Women's Mid-Week Finals                            | 2 April                     |
| Second Week Club Tournament                        | 5/6 April                   |
| 3rd Week Club Tournament                           | 12/13 April                 |
| Veterans State Tournament                          | 12/13 April<br>19/20 April  |
| Ian Hutchison Day                                  | 27 April                    |
| Anzac Day Long Weekend Tournaments                 | 25/27 April                 |
| Annual Club Dinner                                 | early May (to be confirmed) |

Hensman's

Social

Calendar -

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various dates

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