



SEASON 2014/2015

We have 80 registered juniors now playing at WPTC: 8 boys' teams and 5 girl's teams. Congratulations to the two boys team Div 5 GOLD, and the Div 11 Greenball, and the Div 5/6 girls who made it into the finals rounds.

We have 50 registered seniors combining to fill three men's teams, Div 1, 4 & 8, two ladies teams, Div 1 & 4, and three mixed doubles teams Div 1, 3 & 4. Congratulations to the Div 1 ladies, and the Div 1 mixed doubles that made it into the finals rounds.

At the time of writing this newsletter we have 4 teams make it to the Grand Final: Boys Div 5 Gold, Div 5/6 Girls, Div 11 Boys and in seniors: Div 1 Mixed Doubles.

Well done to all our players for season 2014/2015.

SA AQUATIC CENTRE STRENGTH & CONDITIONING PROGRAM

In 2014, the Committee was approached by the SA Aquatic & Leisure Centre to become involved with a Strength & Conditioning program specifically designed for junior tennis players. We decided to trial this program on our highest Division boys and girls teams who were playing in the winter competition. It was a 16 week program, split into two 8 week blocks. It was run for 1 hour each week, after school.

The Committee has been really impressed with both the professionalism of the program, and the results we are seeing in the participants. However we felt the 16 weeks was too long and a modified program is now being offered to all our juniors who are at least 12y.o. This program will be in 6 week blocks, and will run during school terms 2, 3 and 4, starting week 3 of the new school term. It is held directly after school, starting 4-4:15, with the day to be determined. The cost is approximately \$90pp. If you are a 'senior' player thinking this would be a great idea for your team, or a Mum / Dad of our juniors who would like to get together with other parents of our juniors and improve your fitness, this offer is now available for

you too! Speak with Andrew Selman (0416 937 163) for more details.

200 CLUB

The 200 Club is the WPTC's main fundraiser, and was held on the Sunday of the March long weekend. About 220 tickets were sold all up, proving this is THE major event on the WPTC social calendar. With DJ Tricky (0412 961 909) getting the party going, great weather, a unique roof top atmosphere, combined with a variety of quality prizes and auction items, it all helped to make this years' "Barnesys" 200 Club a truly memorable one. A big thank you goes out to Paul Smith and his committee, who put this event together, and helped make the day as great as it was.

COMMITTEE NEWS

The Committee's main focus in 2015 will be the negotiation of a new lease with Marion Council, setting a Strategic Plan to help the Club achieve its goals of new fences, new court surfaces, and the continued planning and implementation of great programs for our up and coming junior players. If you feel you can contribute in any way in helping us become a better Club, please speak with Club President, Mark Flynn, to find out more.

To those playing winter tennis, good luck for the upcoming season. To everyone else, thank you for your involvement in the WPTC, we trust that you enjoy your times here, and hope to see you again next season.

The WPTC Committee

