



WAVERLEY AND DISTRICT TENNIS ASSOCIATION

# Annual Report 2023/24

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WAVERLEY TENNIS

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# Awards

## **WAVERLEY JUNIOR FEMALE PLAYER OF THE YEAR 2023**

Chloe Sitas was awarded the female player of the year for 2023

## **WAVERLEY JUNIOR MALE PLAYER OF THE YEAR 2023**

Anton Jusayan was awarded the male player of the year for 2023

Congratulations to both players on their outstanding contributions to Waverly Tennis.

## **LIFE MEMBERSHIP OF WAVERLEY TENNIS**

Tina Feely (Sunday Junior Records Secretary) was awarded life membership of Waverley Tennis at the 2022/23 AGM.

## **LIFE MEMBERSHIP OF TENNIS VICTORIA**

Mark Collins, immediate past President of Waverley Tennis, was awarded life membership of Tennis Victoria.

## **PREMIER CLUB AWARD**

Centenary Park won the Premier Club Award for the Summer 2023/24 season

## **JUNIOR AWARDS**

There are several awards presented throughout the year at inter-association junior events. Awards winners for these events are listed in the Junior section of this report.

## **TENNIS VICTORIA AWARDS - COACHING EXCELLENCE - CLUB OR CENTRE**

Tina Keown from Oakleigh Tennis Club won Tennis Victoria's Coaching Excellence Award in October 2023.

## **TENNIS AUSTRALIA (NEWCOMBE) AWARDS - COACHING EXCELLENCE - CLUB OR CENTRE**

After being shortlisted as one of the state finalists, Tina Keown from Oakleigh Tennis Club subsequently won Tennis Victoria's Coaching Excellence Award in December 2023.

## **VICTORIAN SPORT AWARDS - GALLAGHER COMMUNITY COACH OF THE YEAR AWARD.**

In June 2024, Tina Keown completed a treble of awards by being awarded the Gallagher Community Coach of the Year Award.

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## Committee of Management

- **PRESIDENT:** DELYTH SAMUEL (Whites Lane Mulgrave Tennis Club)
- **VICE-PRESIDENT 1:** MARCOS AHUMADA (Gladeswood Reserve TC)
- **VICE-PRESIDENT 2:** Vacant
- **ASSOCIATION SECRETARY & WEBSITE COORDINATOR:** IAN CHANTER (acting)<sup>1</sup> (Bayview TC)
- **ASSISTANT SECRETARY HANDBOOK & TROPHIES / WEBSITE MANAGER:** IAN CHANTER (Bayview TC)
- **ASSOCIATION TREASURER:** VICTOR YANG (Tally Ho TC)
- **ASSOCIATION BOOKKEEPER:** LINDSAY COSTER (Lum Reserve TC)
- **MATCH COMMITTEE CONVENOR & ADDITIONAL TROPHIES:** TREVOR SMYTH (Ashburton UC TC)
- **RECORD SECRETARY SENIOR & TEAM ENTRY REGISTRAR:** DAVID KIMBERLEY
- **RECORD SECRETARY JUNIOR SATURDAY:** MARGARET QUIGLEY
- **RECORD SECRETARY JUNIOR SUNDAY & FACEBOOK COORDINATOR:** TINA FEELY
- **NIGHT COMPETITION CONVENOR:** IGNAZIO (NASH) CANNIZZO (Whites Lane Mulgrave TC)
- **NIGHT COMPETITION & M-W MEN'S RECORD SECRETARY:** NEIL ARMSTRONG (Doveton TC)
- **TOURNAMENT MANAGER & JUNIOR DEVELOPMENT SQUADS LIAISON OFFICER:** LYN GILLEN (Doveton TC)
- **JUNIOR ADMINISTRATOR:** LYN GILLEN (Doveton TC)
- **GENERAL COMMITTEE MEMBER:** DONALD SMITH (Oakleigh TC)
- **MID-WEEK LADIES' DIVISION REP:** MARG CLARKE (Whites Lane Mulgrave TC)

### ASSOCIATE COMMITTEE MEMBERS

- **TENNIS VICTORIA ASSOCIATIONS JUNIOR LEAGUE CO-ORDINATOR:** BRIAN HOVEY (Wheelers Hill TC)
- **MID-WEEK MEN'S CONVENOR:** LINDSAY COSTER (Lum Reserve TC)
- **HOT SHOTS MATCH PLAY RECORD SECRETARY:** JIM BIRCH
- **MATCH COMMITTEE:** T. Smyth (Convenor) (Ashburton UC TC), N. Armstrong (Doveton TC), N. Cannizzo (Whites Lane Mulgrave TC), I. Chanter (Bayview TC), T. Feely, D. Kimberley, M. Quigley

**JUNIOR COMMITTEE:** L. Gillen (Chair) (Doveton TC), B. Hovey (Wheelers Hill TC), J. Jusayan (Whites Lane Mulgrave TC), R. Morris (Tally Ho TC), T. Peters (East Burwood TC), T. Smyth (Ashburton UC TC)

**MID-WEEK MEN'S COMMITTEE:** L. Coster (Convenor) (Lum Reserve TC), N. Armstrong (Record Secretary) (Doveton TC), I. Archbold (Glen Waverley TC), P. Cunningham (Burden Park TC), G. Kunti (Wheelers Hill TC), D. Maple (Glenvale TC), T. Smyth (representing COM) (Ashburton UC TC), D. Sowden (Glen Waverley TC), I. Tregear (Doveton TC)

**MID-WEEK LADIES' DIVISION:** President Marg Clarke (Whites Lane Mulgrave TC), Secretary Joy Kaias (Donvale TC), Treasurer Jenny Lomdahl (East Malvern TC), Noela Steinfort (Glenvale) Record Secretary, General Committee Members: Loreta Piggott (Glenvale TC), Judy Searle (Eildon Park TC), Kim Horton (Glen Waverley TC), Kym Bircham (Ringwood TC).

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<sup>1</sup> Mia Xu resigned as Association Secretary during the reporting period

## President's Report

As I complete my first year as President of Waverley Tennis, it is a good time to reflect on the past year and what has been achieved, through this annual report.

Firstly, it is important to acknowledge our immediate past President, Mark Collins.

I can't say enough about the incredible contribution to community tennis that my predecessor Mark Collins made over a period spanning more than 40 years. It was wonderful to see Mark's contribution recognised through the award of life membership from Tennis Victoria in June 2024.

The next part is the committee of management and our sub-committees. This army of volunteers has the running of our competitions down like clockwork. When you look at the composition of the volunteers and the clubs they represent, you will see we have representatives from around 20 of our member clubs. This is how it should be – the clubs that play overseeing the competitions they play, so they reflect the needs of the clubs.

Leading the way in overseeing how our competitions operate is our Match Committee Chair Trevor Smyth, quite possibly one of the most patient people on the planet. There are a lot of people involved in the running of our weekly competitions, from our team registrar David Kimberley to all our records secretaries (Margaret Quigley, David Kimberley, Tina Feely, Neil Armstrong) who put in a huge amount of effort every week to ensure the integrity of our competitions. In our mid-week men's and ladies' competitions, there are record secretary equivalents making it all happen. And for night competition we have seen a consolidation and strengthening of leagues, ably driven by Nash Cannizzo.

Trevor has the added role of managing all the complaints that come through and does so with due process and tact in what can be a very difficult job. We are looking to make changes to how complaints are managed in the new membership year and are seeking nominations for several club members to be available as part of a pool to assist in resolving complaints, as opposed to having a fixed sub-committee. This is both to share the load and to also provide clubs with an appreciation of the time and effort involved in resolving complaints. Perhaps it may even result in some fresh insights into approaches to nip mischievous complaints in the bud and save everyone's time.

Lyn Gillen leads our junior committee and junior development activities and is similarly on the go year-round, organizing inter-association event teams and several tournaments during the year. There never seems to be a break in her calendar. Lyn is ably assisted by the junior committee (with Toni Peters, Richard Morris, Trevor Smyth and Jude Jusayan) and Brian Hovey for Junior Pennant and Waverley representative team selection, and of course her husband Graeme Gillen, court scheduler extraordinaire. Changes to Hot Shots competition are happening thanks to Toni's efforts, which are greatly appreciated.

Ian Chanter is the glue that has been holding us all together, organizing trophies, medals and pennants for all competitions and tournaments. He also manages our website and has been acting as secretary for most of the year. Unfortunately, Mia Xu, who was elected as secretary at last year's AGM, had to step down from the role during the year for health reasons. We wish her a full recovery and hope to see her back in some capacity in the future.

We then have Donald Smith on our committee, who organised the supervisor vests this year,

and of course our Vice President Marcos Ahumada, who also acts as our Association Child Protection Officer. Our meeting times don't work well for coaches, and so we really value the contributions that Marcos can make, as he brings an important perspective to our discussions, as well as having played a key role in the running of our Hot Shots match play competition. Jim Birch, former secretary, continued to support the running of Hot Shots matchplay, despite being retired and living in country Victoria. Jim has also assisted me with the update to the Association's constitution, and with keeping the Association's governance and reporting up to date, given the discontinuity of the secretary position over the past couple of years.

Finally, huge thanks go Victor Yang and Lindsay Coster. We have been working hard behind the scenes to tidy up the financial management and reporting for Waverley Tennis and Doveton Tennis Club. Distinct budgets and financial reporting systems have now been put in place which will make it much clearer and easier in the future to understand the relationship between the two entities. Lindsay has also been instrumental in catching up on outstanding financial matters and chasing down late payments.

All in all, it has been a successful year, with strong team entries in all our competitions. Moving forward, there will be some changes to how we operate. This starts with the Waverley Constitution which is being updated and put before members to vote on at this year's AGM. As mentioned at previous meetings during the year, the constitution was no longer reflective of the rules, regulations and Acts that it needed to comply with, and in many cases was too prescriptive about the structure of committees and sub-committees to manage and run our Association activities.

Once the updated constitution is accepted by members, it must be accepted by Consumer Affairs Victoria, prior to being able to put the changes into operation. At this AGM therefore, we will be maintaining all the roles on the Committee of Management and membership types (full member and Associate member) and putting any changes into effect as of the beginning of the 2025/26 financial year. There are several operational changes in the pipeline:

- Move to on-line team entries for junior weekend competition Summer 2024/25
- Team entry strictly for financial member clubs only (commencing with Summer 2024/25)
- A copy of the club's certificate of Insurance Currency, to be requested at the time of membership renewal.
- Increase in team fees (from \$45 per team inclusive of GST to \$55 per team inclusive of GST). Discount on team entry fees for team entries paid by the due date.
- A plan to make complaints an on-line process and to request clubs to provide nominees to adjudicate on more complex complaints (that aren't referred to Tennis Victoria)

One principle I hold strongly is that our Association competitions should be run by our clubs for our clubs, that we are community tennis clubs and that we all have a responsibility to contribute to the health and sustainability of our Association competitions if we want them to exist. Participation in local Association tennis leagues provides a strong foundation for the volunteer involvement and commitment that keep our community clubs going. As we update our structure and try to lessen the load on our incredible current committee members (who almost all have an equivalent role in a local community tennis club), and as we implement new committees and projects, there are roles (temporary or ongoing) for anyone, regardless of age or experience, that wants to be involved and make a contribution. Please contact me if you think you have something to offer.

**Delyth Samuel, President Waverley Tennis**

## Secretary's Report

A major part of the position of Secretary is responding to the twice-yearly cycle of weekend competition, which includes both the receiving and distributing of timely information at both ends of the season. It has been good to see the numbers of Junior competitions continue their recovery in numbers over the past few seasons. There have also been team number increases in both Mid-Week Men's and Night Tennis.

The use of newer systems to aid in the collection and distribution of information is becoming a larger part of this position. We continue to look for better and more effective ways of communicating with clubs and teams. The Waverley website will continue to grow and have more information, of different types, available to be used as a resource for every member of the Association, whether you are a player or a club official.

We have been pleased to have the new President, Delyth Samuel, settle herself into a position held so ably by Mark Collins for many years. A different way of looking at the role, in several ways, and these will become more apparent to all as the months roll on.

**Ian Chanter, Acting Secretary, Waverley Tennis**

## Treasurers Report

Operation income has remained consistent from FY23 to FY24. Whilst advertising & sponsorship from tournaments, grants, advertising & donations revenue fell, however is offset by improved Doveton Tennis Club profitability, increased focus on enforcing and collecting fines and sundry income.

Operating expenses have also remained largely consistent from FY23 to FY24. We have begun raising accruals to properly reflect outstanding expenses that were missed in prior years and there was also a drop in the overall expenditure of Doveton Tennis Club.

Honoraria expenses include \$7,500 of under accrual from FY23. The executive committee has gone through a process of reassessing how Honorariums are determined and distributed across committee members. The amount paid to each committee member is based on time commitment, strategic direction and leadership required to fulfil their roles. WDTA Honorariums are an honorary reward for voluntary services that are rendered by all the volunteers on the committee, and are not considered a fee for any professional services that were voluntarily performed. The Waverley Development expense relates to \$5,000 that WDTA contributed to Newk's Tennis Camp as per last year, and there was no one-off large expenditure on items such as ClubMap that occurred in FY23, however we are in the process of properly updating WDTA's constitution and have engaged legal experts to ensure this is done correctly. The approximate cost will be \$5,000, with \$3,501 offset against the Development Reserve.

The overall net loss of \$1,163 reflects WDTA's position as a non-for-profit association, with the money generated going to the benefit and development of the district and the clubs that are members, including: junior development, purchases of trophies, balls, tournaments, hosting of ceremonies and competition facilitation.

Throughout FY24, we have started cleaning up the accounting practices within MYOB and our reported Balance Sheet and Profit and Loss statements, including utilising the Development Fund and ensuring

we account for expenses as they occur and raise accruals when we expect payment to occur in the future. There has been increased focus on outstanding debtor collection that has also seen a significant drop in debtors during the year.

The planned increase to the entry fees for teams from FY25 onwards and a decrease in the yearly club membership fee will further support WDTA in the future. Please continue to let the committee know what we can do to invest in, and make your clubs better, as your tennis association.

Finally, WDTA is in the process of properly recognising Doveton Tennis Club as a subsidiary of WDTA in our accounts, with intercompany charges to occur to properly recognise the economic activity that occurs within the tennis club. We will aim to provide a subsidiary and consolidated view from FY25 onwards.

**Victor Yang, Treasurer Waverley Tennis**

## Competition Reports

### Weekend Competition

The 2023/2024 reporting period has been another solid year for all our weekend competitions, with team numbers shown in the table below.

COMPETITION	SUMMER 2023/24 TEAMS	WINTER 2024 TEAMS
SENIOR	264	171
SAT JUN	248	245
SUN JNR	241	242
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>753</b>	<b>664</b>

As ever, winter team entries are lower, with many of our players joining VIC Pennant competition for the Winter season.

For the first time, a Sunday President's Cup section was run in the summer season as the standard is now similar to the top level Saturday competition.

Open format has been the only senior doubles rubbers format option for the last two years and seems to have become accepted now.

Once again, our Record Secretaries have done an outstanding job. Thank you to Margaret Quigley, Tina Feely and David Kimberley for the many hours each week spent to ensure the competitions run smoothly and matches are played within our by-laws. Also, for the onerous job of chasing up late match results and unregistered players/incomplete details, which can delay ladders being updated weekly.

David Kimberley has been Team Registrar once again and receives all team entries each season and keeps our historical statistical records of team numbers.

A big thank you for the support received from Delyth Samuel, Ian Chanter, Lindsay Coster and David Hocking.

It has been pleasing that the number of complaints has fallen significantly this year and the use of vests by Junior Supervisors for the first time has contributed to this positive situation.

The Hotline continues to assist those who have an issue needing clarification or if a difficult situation arises. Clubs are encouraged to use this facility if an issue cannot be resolved satisfactorily and can ensure an issue is resolved before it may escalate. All senior captains, junior supervisors and parents in your club should be made aware of this service.

The UTR rating system continues to be in operation with match scores being updated on a frequent basis (but not every week). The Match Committee and the Association get regular requests and communications on delay of UTR scores being updated and incorrect scores being entered on TROLS. Please communicate with your members that any requests for changed results will only be accepted via an authorised club official.

It is essential scoresheets are entered neatly and with all emergency player details (full names, DOB (juniors), previous playing experience and UTR rating (if applicable)). If this procedure was followed, our Record Secretaries workload would be reduced considerably.

We have an expectation that all clubs who enter a teams in the current season of competition attend both Council Meetings and Senior and Junior Match Committee Meetings which occur during the currency of that season. An automatic fine is imposed on any club not in attendance. We were pleased to be able to offer \$100 lucky draws at each meeting during the reporting year, thanks to long-time Waverley Tennis supporter and sponsor, Tension 24.

It has again been a pleasure to have been Match Convenor this past year and I thank our committee and all club officials for all your valued assistance throughout the past 12 months. We welcome any club feedback on all match committee issues and has adopted many ideas from our member clubs.

**Trevor Smyth, Match Convenor**

## Mid-Week Men's

Since last reporting we have successfully completed 2023 Spring and 2024 Autumn Seasons with results as follows –

### 2023 SPRING SEASON PREMIERS & RUNNERS-UP

- Section 1 – East Croydon Kilsyth defeated Glen Waverley Aces
- Section 2 – Wheelers Hill Frogs defeated East Croydon Kilsyth
- Section 3 – Whites Lane Mulgrave defeated Bayview
- Section 4 – Essex Heights defeated Clarinda
- Section 5 – Doveton Devils defeated Doveton Magpies

### 2024 AUTUMN SEASON

- Section 1 - Glen Waverley Stars defeated East Croydon Kilsyth
- Section 2 – Burden Park defeated Wheelers Hill Tree Frogs
- Section 3 – Whites Lane Mulgrave defeated Wheelers Hill Emerald Frogs
- Section 4 – Burden Park defeated Glen Waverley Blues
- Section 5 – Essex Heights defeated Hallam
- Section 6 – Burden Park defeated Lum Reserve Lizards

With team numbers increased to 31 teams for the most recent season we were able to move to 6 sections each with 6 team draws. Byes in 5 sections provided a good, and necessary, pool of emergency players. Come finals time and our strong desire to promote the social aspect of Seniors tennis we were confronted with the choice of playing some grand finals at the “home of Waverley Tennis – RRTC Doveton” and some elsewhere or breaking new ground and playing all six matches together at the newly opened Monash Tennis Complex – Jells Park. At the kind invitation of Glenvale Tennis Club we ventured to Jells Park, had a complete washout for the scheduled day but managed a highly successful return the following week. Playing surface, clubhouse, spectator viewing, café and overall layout made for a great day which concluded with our usual BBQ and presentations.

Thank you to City of Monash Deputy Mayor (Brian Little) and Waverley Tennis Vice President (Marcos Ahumada) for attending and presenting flags and trophies.

Looking to the Spring 2024 season we are seeking to grow our competition by welcoming new players and new teams, especially from Waverley Tennis clubs currently not represented. With six sections we offer a wide range in standards from our open section down to Senior Seniors congregating in section 6 taking advantage of the choice between 8 or 6 game sets, 6, 5 or 4 man teams, 3 or 2 sets or a week or two off for a holiday. It all works very well and even attracts some ladies to join the challenge and social scene.

Thank you to team captains and fellow sub-committee personnel for your valued contribution to our competition.

**Lindsay Coster, MWM Convenor**

## Mid-Week Ladies

In 2023/2024 we have had another 2 very successful seasons of Mid-Week Ladies tennis competition. Well done to all our ladies for your tennis talent, good sportsmanship, competitive spirit and enthusiasm.

- In season 2 of 2023 we had 36 teams in 5 sections
- In season 1 of 2024 we had 39 teams in 5 sections

In our next season for 2024, we are excited to welcome a new team from Box Hill and returning teams from Upper Pakenham and Wheelers Hill with a net result of 38 teams. In Season 1 2024, the winners for

- Section 1 were Donvale.
- Section 2 was Eildon Park
- Section 3 was Willison Park
- Section 4 was Clarinda
- Section 5 was Knox Gardens.

The Lorraine Clark trophy is presented to the team with the highest points for the season. Lorraine was the original president of our Mid-Week Ladies competition which started in 1980.

This season's winner was Eildon Park Section 2 who achieved 98 points with a percentage of 247%. Close second was Section 1 Donvale Blue with 97 points

We held our annual charity event at East Malvern Tennis Club last September. We had 56 players enjoying fast tennis, chicken and champagne lunch. We donated \$1500 to Ovarian Cancer Research in memory of Gill Quillinan.

This year the event is on again at East Malvern on Thursday September 5th.

Once again, several teams enjoyed Country tennis week at Wodonga in February. This is a great fun event which supports the local country businesses.

I would like to thank our dedicated committee members especially our secretary Joy Kaias and Record Secretary Noela Steinfort who do the majority of work. Loreta Piggott has organised our emergencies, Jenny Lomdahl is our treasurer, Kym Bircham runs our website and Judy Searl organised the Charity Event

We have nominated Joy Kaias and Jenny Lomdahl for Life Membership of WDTA and hope this has been accepted.

We welcomed a new committee member this year, Kim Horton, and we have 2 new volunteers to join us soon. I am stepping down now as President due to our 3-year rule and handing over to Jenny Lomdahl.

**Margaret Clark, President, WDTA Mid-Week Ladies Division**

## Night Tennis

WDTA's Spring 2024 Night Tennis Competition has 7 competitions involving 49 teams from 22 clubs. WDTA's Spring 2023 Night Tennis Competition had 5 competitions involving 37 teams from 20 clubs.

WDTA is pleased to see that more tennis players are enjoying the benefits of playing night competition tennis on Mondays and Tuesdays.

On Monday nights, we currently have the one B 1 doubles comp.

On Tuesday nights, we currently have:

- A Reserve 1 and B 1 doubles comps, and
- A 1, A Reserve 1, A Reserve 2 and B Special triples comps

Doubles competitions require 4 players per team, each player playing 3 sets of doubles with each of their partners. Triples competitions require 3 players per team, each player playing 2 sets of doubles with each of their partners and 1 set of singles.

Sets for doubles and triples competitions are all first to 6 games. If a set gets to 6-5, the set is either won 7-5 or after a tiebreaker is played at 6-games all.

The night competitions commence at a comfortable time of 7:30 p.m. and because two courts are required per home team, the competitions normally finish between 9:30 to 10:00 p.m.

WDTA strives hard to have each competition as even as possible. We appreciate the continued support of many clubs and aim to add more teams to our night competitions so that more players can enjoy playing night tennis on Mondays and Tuesdays.

I will be in constant communication with clubs that have teams competing in the night comps providing updates on matters of interest. I am easily approachable by mobile phone 0419 175 056 or e-mail [night.tennis@waverleytennis.asn.au](mailto:night.tennis@waverleytennis.asn.au) to answer any questions or listen to any comments. WDTA will consider all requests and attempt to please all, if possible.

Please do consider adding a team from your club in WDTA's Autumn 2025 Night Tennis Competition that will commence on Monday 3 February 2025 and conclude in mid to late June 2025, depending on how many washouts there are in the finals.

### **Nash Cannizzo, Night Tennis Convenor**

## **Hot Shots Matchplay**

Another year has flown by and it was wonderful to see so many young people on court having fun and learning more about tennis whilst playing in Hot Shots Orange and Green ball matchplay.

Hot Shots is a shortened version of triples matches. It is a way for young people (under 12 years) to participate in competition whilst still learning the rules, standing positions and scoring. The players also gain confidence playing singles and with their team mates in doubles matches.

During the year we had teams from many clubs participating including Endeavour Hills, Gladeswood, Mt Waverley, Noble Community, Rosswood, Rowville, Springvale North and Tally Ho.

The last round of each term was played at Noble Community where everyone also got fed a sausage or two and received their participation certificate and medal.

The spirit of the players and the parents was one of enthusiasm and genuine interest in the game of tennis.

### **Toni Peters, Hot Shots Coordinator and member of the junior committee**

## **Flex Leagues**

Flex Leagues are co-hosted by UTR and Waverley Tennis. In a nutshell, players are grouped with other players of similar ability and geographic location and get 4 matches to play in a 5-week period. Player use the UTR app to contact their opponents and organise the time and venue for their matches.

Waverley Tennis ran its first Flex League in March 2022 with 65 players. Since that time, we have run 16 leagues, 1 league is in progress and a further 3 are scheduled for 2024. Over 800 tennis players have participated in a league, with the number of players per league being 150 plus currently. The benefit of larger leagues is being able to place players groups with 0.5 or so UTR variation and in close proximity to other players in the league.

Whilst there were initially concerns that players would be "poached" from local competition to Flex Leagues, this has not proven to be true. Indeed, the leagues have provided a pathway for

many players wanting to return to competitive tennis who might not have otherwise done so. Players that want more matches often play both and are encouraged to join a local club so they have a place to play (as opposed to hiring courts by the hour).

The revenue Waverley earns from Flex Leagues has provided opportunities to better fund and support junior tennis and pathways, including sponsoring our soon- to - be annual trip to Newks, providing younger players interested in the college tennis pathway the opportunity to take part in an organised trip to train and play at the John Newcombe Tennis Academy in Texas.

**Delyth Samuel, Flex Leagues Convenor**

## Junior Development

### Waverley Tennis Junior Development Squad

We currently have a small group of young kids who train every Friday night at Glenvale TC under the leadership of Nectar Davos.

Our older group at Doveton is not operating at the moment.

**Enquiries:** Lyn Gillen 0412 567 496

**Waverley Squad information:** <https://www.waverleytennis.asn.au/squad-info.html>

The Waverley Tennis Junior Development Squad is a series of progressive squads where a player can enter at the appropriate level and be guided through their development to ultimately become a more complete and successful tennis player.

## Inter-Association and Tennis Victoria Events

### Tennis Victoria – Frank Sedgman Cup for 11 & unders

2023 Frank Sedgman Cup was held in Traralgon on Saturday 12 August and Sunday 13 August.

Twelve teams from metropolitan and country regions travelled to Traralgon to play a round robin against teams from across Victoria. In the first round we were beaten by NEJTA finishing 2nd in our round robin group. This enabled us to progress to the 1-4 playoff as the best 2nd placed team.

On Saturday night, we enjoyed a team dinner together keeping a close eye on the Matilda's soccer match. Unfortunately, our playoff match was against NEJTA again where we again lost in a much closer match finishing the event in 4th place.

A very exciting weekend for our young team.

### The Pat Pearce Carnival

This event was hosted by Eastern Region Tennis at Ringwood Central and Mooroolbark Heights on Friday 29 September and Ringwood Central Saturday 30 September. Teams from ERT, NSJTA, NEJTA and Waverley competed.

The event was WON by Eastern Region Tennis.

## *Awards*

- 13 & under girls – Elisa Mouhtaropoulos (ERT)
- 13 & under boys – Jack Keown (Waverley)
- 15 & under girls – Ruby Ward (NEJTA)
- 15 & under boys - Darren Lew (ERT)
- Best Player Award - Wally Freeman Perpetual Trophy – Samantha Morales (Waverley)
- Pat Semmens-Angelo Cianchi Perpetual Trophy – Jeshier Dodariya (NSJTA)

## **Tennis Victoria – Alicia Molik Cup**

On 2nd and 3rd December 2023 our 12-and-under Alicia Molik team headed to Kooyong Tennis Club to play representative teams from 16 Metropolitan Melbourne and Country Victoria in a round robin format.

By Sunday we had 4 wins and our last match against Bayside was the icing on top of the cake winning that match in a tie-break !!!! to win the Alicia Molik Cup in a nail-biting finish.

Our team was Ana Maric, Esther Meng, Niduk Liyanage and Zylar Zeuschner. For a team that had not played together before; they all did a fabulous job.

## **Daphne Fancutt Shield**

Played at Doveton on Saturday 13 & Sunday 14 January 2024.

This event is for 2 boys 2 girls 14s and 16s plus 1 boy 1 girl from 18s. Competing teams from ERT, NEJTA, NSJTA, Peninsula, Bayside & Waverley.

Rain came down on Saturday afternoon and play was abandoned at 3.30 pm. Two rounds of mixed previously completed were not counted in the team summary and only singles matches were played on the Sunday.

Our team was

- 14 Boys – Nathan Rato & Thom Kannampuzha
- 14 Girls - Victoria Shi & Sasha Minin
- 16 Boys - Seif Saleh & Steven Klasan
- 16 Girls – Chloe Sitas & Samantha Morales
- 18s - Anton Jusayan & Nikita Liyanage
- Waverley finished in 4th position.

## *Best Team Member Awards*

- Bayside - Jointly Savannah James & Ruby Ward
- ERT - Abhi Naresh
- NEJTA – Bianca Hristov
- NSJTA – Dylan Dinh
- Peninsula – Chloe Krings
- Waverley – Nathan Rato

Overall Excellence Award & Presentation of the Inaugural Joseph Family Sportsmanship Award to Arabelle Mancini (NSJTA).

Presentations to Association winners were made by Lynton Joseph our sponsor (AATC) with his twin 5-year-old daughters helping with the “Congratulations” - how cute were they!!!

A special thank you to all Team Managers for their support over the 2 days.

## Tennis Victoria – Pat Cash Cup

The 2024 Pat Cash Cup was played in Horsham on Saturday 24 & Sunday 25 February. With the threat of bushfires in the area at the time we were very keen to look out for each other and make sure that everyone was safe. Our Waverley Team joined together for a meal and a chance to get to know each other on the Saturday night.

This year the winners of each age group were presented with medals as State Teams Champions. The overall winner of the Pat Cash Cup was presented to Waverley Tennis.

Our team was

- Boys 12s – Noah Kaneda-Hession, Tyler Zeuschner – State Team Winners\*
- Girls 12s – Ana Maric, Melissa Fitzgerald – State Team Winners\*
- Boys 14s – Nathan Rato & Jovan Celic
- Girls 14s – Coco Philp & Samantha Morales – State Team Winners\*
- Boys Open – Seif Saleh & Vincent Gazzini – State Team Runners-up\*
- Girls Open – Sophia Brooks-Gay & Chloe Sitas

Team Manager – Lyn Gillen

\*\*State Team Winners & Runners-up were invited to Melbourne Park on a Sunday afternoon in July for a 5 hour session with Rohan Williams who has worked with 4 x 2024 Australian Wimbledon entrants. His sessions covered Strength & Conditioning, Team Strategy & Match Play and the College pathway.

## Tennis Victoria – Wayne Arthurs Cup for 10 & unders

Wayne Arthurs Cup (for 10 & Unders) was played at Kooyong on Saturday 6 April and Sunday 7 April, 2024.

In another nail-biting finish Waverley won the 2024 Wayne Arthurs Cup defeating the Moorabbin & District team in the final. We were equal on games and sets at the end of the singles and mixed. The No 1 pair Marcus & Scarlett then went on to play a 10-point match-tiebreaker which they won 14-12!!!

This 10-point match-tiebreak win meant that our Waverley Tennis team went on to be crowned the winners of the 2024 Wayne Arthurs Cup. Congratulations to our team of Marcus O’Reilly, Zayden Hanslo, Scarlett Lucaci and Lauren Ng on a great team effort.

### Lyn Gillen, Development Squads and Events

## Tennis Victoria – Associations Junior Pennant

Waverley Tennis entered 12 teams in the Tennis Victoria Associations Junior Pennant (AJP) season for 2023. Five of our Waverley teams made it through to the grand final.

The 5 teams were: 10A mixed, 12A boys, 14A boys and Open A boys were all successful. The 14A girls were runners up.

- 10A Mixed: Waverley 4.8.48 defeated Eastern Region 0.0.14
- 12A Boys: Waverley 5.9.62 defeated NSJTA 1.1.37
- 14A Boys: Waverley 6.9.63 defeated NEJTA 0.1.38
- Open A Boys: Waverley 3.5.49 defeated Eastern Region 3.5.42
- 14A Girls: Eastern Region 5.8.61 defeated Waverley 1.2.38

To win the top four A sections of the competition was a great result. We congratulate all players from each team.

The competition would not function without the dedicated support from the following parents who volunteered their time to be team managers.

Patrick O'Reilly, Stephen Gay, Pablo Feruglio, Philip Holm, Appu Babu, Tina Keown, Michelle Wood, Sophie Lee, Abhijeet Salunkhe, Mel Sitas, Lisa D'Amelio and Angelia Talagala.

I would also like to extend my thanks to the following clubs who allowed us to use their excellent facilities throughout the AJP season: East Burwood, Caulfield Park, Eildon Park, Hallam and Doveton.

We look forward to another successful season in 2024.

**Brian Hovey, Tennis Victoria Associations Junior Pennant Competition Coordinator**

## Tournaments

### 2024 JT PREMIER 250 WAVERLEY TENNIS EVENT

Friday 11 to Monday 11 March 2024

361 players, 436 entries, 399 matches, 51 courts, 4 days - Event played at Doveton, Dingley, MCC Glen Iris & Lauriston. With the high level of entries, we had to hire extra courts and personnel and add a Junior 125 Event with a Reserve List in some age groups causing a lot of administration plus refunding of entry fees.

The weather was very hot meaning monitoring/suspending some matches during midafternoon on Saturday and Sunday and resuming again at 6pm in the cooler part of the day.

Standard great with players from NSW, Queensland, South Australia and ACT. Perpetual trophies were awarded to winners of singles and doubles.

Winner of Elizabeth Peers Award – Talia Mirzayeva as winner of Girls 12 Singles and Doubles

## **2024 PREMIER \$10K WAVERLEY TENNIS EVENT**

Monday 29 April to Thursday 2 May – Venue Doveton Tennis Club. 151 players, 158 entries, 152 matches, 9 courts. Players from SA, QLD, NSW & NT

- Men's Singles – Chase Ferguson defeated Patrick Fitzgerald
- Men's Doubles – Ken Cavrak & Chase Ferguson defeated Corey Gaal & Timmy Karpinski
- Women's Singles – Zoe Hives defeated Belle Thompson
- Women's Doubles – Scarlett Dattoli & Chelsea Stergiopoulos defeated Caitlin Baker & Jemma Carbis

### **Lyn Gillen, Tournaments and Events**

#### **ASSOCIATION'S CUP**

Waverley Tennis once again joined forces with Northeastern Junior Tennis Association (NEJTA) and Eastern Region Tennis (ERT) to run the Association's Cup. This event was run for the first time in November 2022 over the Cup weekend. However, due to the 2023 Tennis Victoria tournament schedule, a decision was made to hold the event later in December over 2 days for 12 and under, 14 and under and 16 and under age groups.

Once again, players competed for the opportunity for players to win a week of free training and accommodation at the John Newcombe Tennis Academy as part of the Associations trip to Newks in September 2024. A stack of other prizes provided by our very generous event sponsors and supporters. As per the previous year, ran a compass draw format (singles only) so that players would have 4 matches in total over the weekend. Congratulations to all the players on a great event. Thanks to our referees and venue supervisor, and all the volunteers that assisted.

- 16's boy's winner - Florian Kostov
- 16's boy's runner up - Alexander Marshall
- 16's girl's winner - Katherine Harrison
- 16's girl's runner up - Vaishnavi Xiao
- 14's boy's winner - Mark Trbic
- 14's boy's runner up - Jovan Celic
- 14's girl's winner - Coco Philp
- 14's girl's runner up - Victoria Shi
- 12's boy's winner - Andrej Smitran
- 12's boy's runner up - Noah Kaneda-Hession
- 12's girl's winner - Claire Scuderi
- 12's girl's runner up - Wanda Bacskai
- 12 and under hosted by Northeastern Junior Tennis Association

Thanks also to the clubs that provided courts and the venue supervisors and referees:

- 12 boys Banyule Tennis Club (en tout cas) - Venue supervisor Jason Lindeman
- 12 girls Watsonia Tennis Club (venue (hard court) - venue supervisor Cam McColl
- 14 and under hosted by Waverley Tennis at Boys and Girls venue is Doveton Tennis Club (en tout cas) - venue supervisor - Lyn Gillen
- 16 and under hosted by Eastern Region Tennis Boys and Girls venue is North Ringwood Tennis Club (en tout cas) - venue supervisor Chris Thomson

### **Delyth Samuel, Tournament Director**

## Association's Trip to Newks

Waverley Tennis took a group to Newks about 10 years ago and following that initiative and the interest in US College pathways, Waverley Tennis led the initiative to organise a trip there in September last year. The purpose of the trip was to provide interested junior players the opportunity to check out the US tennis scene, see what is involved in full-time training at an academy, learn more about college pathways and develop networks and connections that will help them with their tennis development. Importantly, it was also intended to give juniors a trip away from home without their parents, to both make it affordable and to give them a taste of what living away from home would entail, in a safe and supervised way.

Newks is an important provider of players into the US College system. They have around 60 full-time students and have an almost 100% success rate in placing players in college with tennis scholarships. Relationships with the coaches who can vouch for a player's ability, potential and character are important to opening doors to the right college in the US.

Newks very generously provided a week free for winners at a tournament (initially called the Victoria Cup, now called the Association's Cup) to reflect that the trip is open to any junior who plays representative tennis across our Associations. They did the same for a tournament we held in December 2023, where some of the kids going on the September 2024 trip were able to get \$1500 off the price of the trip from the outset.

A great group of kids went on the September 2023 trip, from across a range of tennis associations and one player from Canberra, supervised by Delyth Samuel (President, Waverley Tennis) and Jason Lindeman (coach and committee for Northeast Junior Tennis Association (NEJTA)). We visited a variety of US colleges and met their coaches and players, learned how to play pickleball at the Country Club immediately adjacent to Newks, and trained and played a weekend UTR tournament in the Texas Heat. The 2023 group bought and ate every possible type of bad junk food and lollies they could get their hands on as part of their US experience. River floating on the day before we left was a great way to finish off the trip, in the cool spring water of the Comal river. And then on the way home, they all had their photos taken with Storm Hunter who we met at Dallas airport on her way back from winning doubles in a tournament in Mexico.

Prior to the trip, we held a number of fundraising activities, such as raffles, and a trivia night held at Notting Hill Pinewood Tennis Club). This not only built the team prior to departure, but also reduced costs for the individuals by at least \$2,000 per person.

The trip was very successful and will take place again in September this year, with 12 players locked in to travel with coach Jason Lindeman and his wife Nicole (also a tennis coach). You can also follow us on Instagram <https://www.instagram.com/newks24trip/>. Details of future trips will be on the Waverley website and the opportunity for kids to attend the 2025 trip will open up soon. We plan to host the Association's Cup December 21 and 22, which is the event where we will again lock in some free week prizes for participants.

The Association's Cup is next scheduled for December 21 and 22, 2024.

**Delyth Samuel, President Waverley Tennis**

# Financial Reports

## Statement by Members of the Committee

### WAVERLEY & DISTRICT TENNIS ASSOCIATION INC

ABN 57 026 531 361 Reg No: A11173E

Year Ending 30 June 2024

The Committee has determined that the Association is not a reporting entity.

The Committee has determined that this special purpose financial report should be prepared in accordance with the accounting policies outlined in Note 1 to the financial statements.

In the opinion of the Committee the financial report:

1. Presents fairly the financial position of the Association at 30 June 2024 and its performance for the year then ended.
2. At the date of this statement, there are reasonable grounds to believe that the Association will be able to pay its debts as and when they fall due.

This statement is made in accordance with a resolution of the Committee and is signed for and on behalf of the Committee by:

Delyth Samuel

President



Victor Yang

Treasurer



Date: 29/7/2024

## Profit and Loss Statement Year Ending June 30<sup>th</sup> 2024

<b>PROFIT &amp; LOSS STATEMENT- 2024</b>			<b>2024</b>	<b>2023</b>
<b>INCOME</b>			<b>\$</b>	<b>\$</b>
<b>Operating</b>	Competition & Tournament Entry Fees		119,498	115,417
	Advertising & Sponsorship - Tournaments		10,476	28,364
	Affiliation Fees		6,205	5,841
	Team Events		2,903	4,227
	Associations Junior Pennant		2,790	2,534
	Waverley Training Squad Fees		6,193	5,243
	Fines		15,191	11,385
	<b>Total Operating Income</b>		<b>163,256</b>	<b>173,011</b>
<b>Other Income</b>	Grants, Advertising & Donations		2,000	4,948
	Interest Received		1,919	321
	Sundry Income		4,724	2,431
	Doveton Tennis Club Income		38,271	28,620
	<b>Total Other Income</b>		<b>46,914</b>	<b>36,320</b>
<b>TOTAL INCOME</b>			<b>210,170</b>	<b>209,331</b>
<b>EXPENDITURE</b>				
<b>Operating</b>	Competitions & Tournaments		81,736	81,098
	Associations Junior Pennant		1,700	2,709
	Team Events		6,465	6,757
	Waverley Training Squads		5,279	3,624
	<b>Total Operating Expenses</b>		<b>95,180</b>	<b>94,188</b>
<b>Administration Expenses</b>	Affiliation & Reg. Fees		2,268	3,095
	Audit Fees		1,000	-
	Bank & Merchant Fees		572	679
	Depreciation		-	750
	Equipment & Software		6,652	6,506
	Facility Fee - RRTC		5,000	-
	Hall Hire		191	298
	Honoraria	Note 2	42,350	36,950
	Insurances		1,178	2,143
	Meeting Expenses		190	89
	Newsletter - Waverley Informer		-	970
	Phone, Website & Internet		2,866	3,307
	Postage		378	333
	Stationery & Copying		3,393	2,266
	Subscriptions		64	1,568
	Sundry Expenses		1,936	1,395
	Waverley Development		5,000	11,684
	WDTA Clothing		1,835	-
	Doveton Tennis Club Expenses		41,280	45,624
	<b>Total Administrative Expenses</b>		<b>116,153</b>	<b>117,657</b>
<b>TOTAL EXPENSES</b>			<b>211,333</b>	<b>211,845</b>
<b>NET (LOSS)/PROFIT FOR YEAR</b>			<b>(1,163)</b>	<b>(2,514)</b>

# Statement of Assets and Liabilities Year Ending June 30<sup>th</sup> 2024

		STATEMENT OF ASSETS & LIABILITIES - 2024	
		2024	2023
ASSETS		\$	\$
<b>Current Assets</b>			
<b>Bank Accounts</b>			
	Bendigo Bank Cheque Account	71,912	56,344
	Bendigo Bank Term Deposit	52,141	50,451
	Bendigo Bank Mastercard Account	961	130
	Bendigo Bank - Newk's Tennis	25,118	22,266
	Sandhurst Account CMA	8,469	8,241
	Bendigo Bank Doveton TC Account	14,623	16,093
	<b>Total Bank Accounts</b>	<b>173,224</b>	<b>153,525</b>
<b>Other Current Assets</b>			
	Trade Debtors	3,310	16,015
	Other Debtors	185	1,034
	Inventory at Cost	5,600	8,164
	Other Doveton TC Current Assets	3,218	3,561
	<b>Total Other Current Assets</b>	<b>12,313</b>	<b>28,774</b>
	<b>Total Current Assets</b>	<b>185,537</b>	<b>182,299</b>
<b>Fixed Assets</b>			
	Doveton TC Equipment at Cost	2,097	12,097
	Less Provision for Depreciation	(541)	(10,386)
	Doveton TC Leasehold Improv. at Cost	35,716	35,716
	Less Provision for Amortisation	(30,535)	(29,535)
	<b>Total Fixed Assets</b>	<b>6,737</b>	<b>7,892</b>
	<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>	<b>192,274</b>	<b>190,191</b>
<b>LIABILITIES</b>			
<b>Current Liabilities</b>			
	Trade & Other Creditors	41,637	33,807
	Newk's Trip Deposits & Reserves	25,252	22,266
	GST Payable	650	2,253
	Doveton TC Liabilities	3,309	3,204
	<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES</b>	<b>70,848</b>	<b>61,530</b>
	<b>NET ASSETS</b>	<b>121,426</b>	<b>128,661</b>
<b>ASSOCIATION EQUITY</b>			
	Development Fund	Note 3	3,427
	Opening Retained Earnings		122,061
	Prior Year Adjustments - Net		(2,899)
	Current Year (Loss)/Surplus		(1,163)
	<b>TOTAL ASSOCIATION EQUITY</b>		<b>121,426</b>

## Notes to the Financial Statements

### Note 1: Statement of Accounting Policies

These financial statements are special purpose financial statements prepared to satisfy the financial reporting requirements of the Associations Incorporation Reform Act 2012. The Committee has agreed that the Association is not a reporting entity and therefore does not need to prepare detailed statutory financial statements.

### Note 2: Make-up of Honoraria Expense

\$7,350 reflects additional expense as due to shortfall in accrual for FY23. \$35,000 Honoraria accrued for FY24 based on 15 committee members who have operated across 29 distinct roles.

### Note 3: Legal Fees

Fees of \$3,501 have been incurred to date, to update the Waverley Tennis Constitution and have been allocated directly against the Development Fund.

### Note 4: Income Tax

The Association is accepted as being exempt from Income Tax.

### Note 5: Doveton Tennis Club

Waverley Tennis has financial control of Doveton Tennis Club and as such the Club accounts have been consolidated on a summary basis. Separate Club accounts are available on request.

# Independent Review Report

To the Members of Waverley and District Tennis Association Inc.:

I have reviewed the accompanying financial report of Waverley and District Tennis Association Inc. (WDTA) which comprises Statement by Committee, Statement of Income & Expenditure, Statement of Assets & Liabilities and Notes to Financial Reports, for the year ended 30 June 2024.

## The Committee's responsibility for the financial report

The Committee of WDTA are responsible for preparation of the financial report in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards and the *Associations Incorporation Reform Act 2012*. The committee determines internal controls that are necessary to enable the preparation of the financial report that gives a true and fair view and is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

## Independent Review's responsibility

My responsibility is to express a conclusion on the financial report based on my review.

I have conducted my review in accordance with auditing standard on review engagements in order to state whether, on the basis of the procedures described, anything has come to my attention that causes me to believe that the financial report is not presented fairly, in all material respects, in accordance with the *Associations Incorporation Reform Act 2012*.

A review of a financial report consists of making enquiries, primarily of persons responsible for financial and accounting matters, and applying analytical and other review procedures.

A review is substantially less in scope than an audit conducted in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards and consequently does not enable me to obtain assurance that I would become aware of all significant matters that might be identified in an audit. Accordingly, I do not express an audit opinion.

## Independence

In conducting my review, I have complied with the independence requirements of the Australian professional ethical pronouncements.

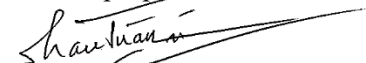
## Conclusion

Based on my review, which is not an audit, I have not become aware of any matter that makes me believe that the financial report of WDTA is not in accordance with the *Associations Incorporation Reform Act 2012* including:

- a) giving a true and fair view of WDTA's financial position as of 30 June 2024 and of its performance for the year ended on that date; and
- b) complying with Australian Accounting Standards as referred to in Note 1 to the financial statements.

## Basis of accounting and restriction on distribution

Without modifying my opinion, I draw attention to Note 1 to the financial report, which describes the basis of accounting. The financial report has been prepared to assist WDTA to meet the requirements of the *Associations Incorporation Reform Act 2012*. As a result, the report may not be suitable for another purpose



Anh Tuan Phan (Tony), CPA Australia (CPA # 9435944)  
Oriol Road, Ivanhoe VIC 3079, 29 July 2024

# Mid-Week Ladies Division Financial Statements

## WDTA Midweek Ladies Division STATEMENT OF INCOME & EXPENDITURE For 12 months ending 31<sup>st</sup> May 2024

### **INCOME:**

Fines	280.00	
Raffle	545.00	
Team Entries	1,475.00	
Charity Day Entries/Lunch	1,040.00	
Charity Day Sales/Overpayment	115.00	
		<b><u>3,455.00</u></b>

### **EXPENDITURE:**

Donation	1,500.00	
Honorariums	750.00	
Flags	614.90	
Charity Day Expenses	257.96	
Trophies	124.18	
Committee Dinner	198.20	
Flowers/Refund	166.98	
		<b><u>3,612.22</u></b>

### **DEFICIT**

**157.22**

### **TOTAL FUNDS**

Balance 31 <sup>st</sup> May 2023	2336.76 ✓
Minus Deficit	157.22
Balance 31 <sup>st</sup> May 2024	<b><u>2179.54</u></b> ✓

### **REPRESENTED BY:**

Westpac Bank Account **2179.54**

### **Auditor's Statement**

I have audited the financial accounts and statements of Waverley District Tennis Midweek Ladies Division for the year ending 31<sup>st</sup> May 2024 and found that they represent a true and fair view of the affairs of the association.

Robyn Christiansen  
Honorary Auditor

*RM Christian* 7/6/2024

## Waverley Tennis Sponsors and Supporters

We sincerely thank all Waverley sponsors and supporters for their contributions over the past year.

Organisation	Support Provided
AATC	Daphne Fancutt Shield perpetual trophy, prizes for junior development and events
Bendigo Bank	Tournament sponsorship
Education USA	Prizes for junior events and development
John Newcombe Tennis Academy	Prizes for junior events and development
Prelli Tennis	Prizes for junior events and development
Kooyong Classic	Prizes for junior events and development
Signum Pro Tennis	Prizes for junior events and development
Tennis Only	Prizes for junior events and development
Tension 24	Sponsorship for Waverley player of the year (male and female), prizes for the association to use (vouchers)
Tennis Direct	Prizes for junior events and development
Tennis Victoria	Prizes for junior events and development
UTR	Prizes for junior events and development
Wilson Tennis	Ball contract, prizes for junior events,

## More Information

Waverley Tennis uses its website to house important information about the competition leagues, events and tournaments that we run - [Waverley & District Tennis Association \(waverleytennis.asn.au\)](http://waverleytennis.asn.au)

We deal directly with clubs, whose various club officers and competition convenors provide the bridge between club players and our competitions.

We provide reminders on match rules through our WDTA Facebook Page <https://www.facebook.com/profile.php?id=100064867117592>

We also post information about more general news on our Waverley Informer Facebook page - <https://www.facebook.com/waverleyinformer/>

You can follow the progress of the juniors going to Newks on Instagram - <https://www.instagram.com/newks24trip/reels/>

You can also see if we have any events on where tickets purchases are required (such as for our fundraising trivia night) here [Events | Waverley Tennis | TidyHQ](#)

In the spirit of reconciliation, Waverley Tennis would like to acknowledge the traditional owners of Boonwurrung Country upon which we work, live and play. We pay our respects to their elders, past, present and emerging. Further we would like to acknowledge all cultures and diversity of backgrounds that are a part of the Waverley and District Tennis Association community.

As an organisation we will continue to strive to provide an open and respectful format for all participants.