



St. Peter's Parish Tennis Club
East Keilor



CLUB NEWSLETTER

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Club Championships 2008

St. Peter's Parish Tennis Club will be holding its 2008 Club Championships over four Saturday afternoons. Junior events will be held on Saturdays **16 and 23 February** and Senior events will be held on Saturdays **1 and 15 March**. Events will include (subject to sufficient entries):

- **Boys' Singles and Doubles** — 10 & Under, 12 & Under, 14 & Under, 16 & Under
- **Girls' Singles and Doubles and Mixed Doubles** — 12 & Under, 14 & Under, 16 & Under
- **Open Men's and Ladies' Singles, Doubles and Mixed Doubles**

The competition is open to all members and in particular **all members of junior teams are encouraged to participate**. All events will be run in a Round Robin format with each entrant guaranteed at least two matches in each event.

An entry form, which contains all the competition details, is included in this newsletter. All junior competition players should have already received an entry form with their competition roster. Anyone who wishes to compete must return the entry form by the date listed on the form. Additional entry forms can be downloaded from the Club's website.

Members should note that the Club Championships use all four courts, therefore the courts will not be available for normal member use on these four Saturday afternoons. Members wishing to play on these days are encouraged to participate in the Club Championships.

Parish Centre Roof

All members are again reminded that **NO ONE IS PERMITTED ON THE ROOF OF THE PARISH CENTRE TO RETRIEVE TENNIS BALLS**. Since the notice in the last newsletter, at least one person was observed on the roof, contrary to Club rules.

Parish Occupational Health and Safety guidelines do not permit anyone to access the roof under any circumstances. Members who are concerned about losing balls on the roof are encouraged to play on courts 2, 3 or 4 instead of court 1.

Any member observed on the roof of the Parish Centre will be dealt with seriously by the Committee.

Night Time Round Robins

During the summer break between seasons, Round Robins were held each Thursday night. The turn out was excellent with a variety of competition and social players participating. The last two nights, 20 players attended, meaning all four courts were in use.

The Round Robins will be run again during the winter break and everyone is encouraged to come along again.

Coaching

Coaching takes place at St. Peter's every Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday afternoon. Club Coach John Elliott offers coaching for any age group including Aussie Mozzie Tennis which is aimed at kids aged 5 to 7 years, group coaching and private lessons for the more advanced students. School holiday clinics and tournaments are also offered.

Coaching is a great starting place for junior players interested in playing Saturday morning competition at St. Peter's and new students are always welcome. Anyone who wishes to be coached at St. Peter's or who wants further information can contact John Elliott on 0438 383 733.

Night Bookings



Night Court Hire:
\$10 per hour if a member present
\$16 per hour for non members
For further inquiries and bookings contact:
Ted Mahony
9337-6632

Next Edition

Anyone with anything to be included in the next newsletter can contact Robert McDonald on 9337-4736.

Calendar of Events

February	2	Junior tennis starts
	5	Night Tennis starts — Ladies
	7	Night Tennis starts — Men's
	13	Night Tennis starts — Mixed
	16	CLUB CHAMPIONSHIPS — DAY 1 (JUNIORS)
March	23	CLUB CHAMPIONSHIPS — DAY 2 (JUNIORS)
	26	Committee Meeting, 7:30 p.m.
	1	CLUB CHAMPIONSHIPS — DAY 3 (SENIORS)
April	15	CLUB CHAMPIONSHIPS — DAY 4 (SENIORS)
	25	Committee Meeting, 7:30 p.m.
	28	Committee Meeting, 7:30 p.m.
May	27	Committee Meeting, 7:30 p.m.
	27	Night Tennis Grand Final week
June		Junior Tennis Grand Finals
	21	Committee Meeting, 7:30 p.m.
	24	

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Night Tennis

Congratulations go to the four St. Peter's teams who won premierships in Spring 2007, a great result from the twelve teams entered.

In addition to the three teams pictured, the **Men's C Grade 2** team also won a premiership:

Gee Costello
Frank Emin
Paul Giordano

Vince Madaffari
Joe Mazzeo

Autumn 2008 has just started. Four teams have been entered in each of the Ladies, Mixed and Men's competitions, again making a total of twelve teams. All players who have not already done so are reminded to pay their \$45 fees as soon as possible.

All night tennis players are reminded to ensure the Parish Centre is left in clean state at the end of the night, all doors are locked and all lights are turned off, including the lights in both toilets.



Ladies C Reserve 2 — Premiers

(L-R) Grace Giordano, Jo Norrish,
Nicki Wierzbowski and Brigida Pichner
[absent: Rebecca La Fontaine]



Ladies C Reserve 3 — Premiers

(L-R) Rose Scolla, Leanne Puskaric, Sylvia Mezzatesta,
Olga Edera and Andrea Jones



Men's C Reserve 2 — Premiers

(L-R) Michael Crough, Jarred Hanks, Scott Seward, Jason Hucker and Robert Stubbs

Junior Tennis

Season 2 2007 saw three St. Peter's junior teams make the Grand Final, with two winning premierships. Both teams did very well after initially losing to their Grand Final opponents in the semi finals, winning through a preliminary final, then turning the tables on the opposition in the Grand Final to win the premiership.

A big thank you goes to all the team managers and parents who fulfilled their rostered duties and helped the season run smoothly.

It was pleasing once again to see a strong turn out at the End of Season Break-Up with nearly all players attending. Trophies were presented to the best players in the teams as follows:

Team	Trophy Winner
A Grade 3 Friday	Harry Overman
	Nicole Cashin
A Reserve 2 (Boys)	Nicholas Snook
A Reserve 4	Andrew Puskaric
	Ines Sumic
B Reserve 1 (Boys)	Daniel Nickels
C Grade 1 (Boys)	Alex Nanfro
C Reserve 1	Nicholas Busuttil
	Carla Santalucia
D Special 2	Robert Eccles
	Caroline Donovan
D Grade 3	Michael Carasavidis
	Senay Ince

St. Peter's will be fielding ten teams in Season 1 2008, with three based at St. Bernard's, one team playing on a Friday night and one combined team with Keilor East.

Our D Grade teams are both still looking for an extra girl, so if anyone knows a girl interested in playing Saturday morning junior competition tennis please contact Robert McDonald on 9337 4376 or 0403 508 443.



B Reserve 1 (Boys) — Premiers

Back row: Adam Tenace, Robert Dimitrovski, Peter Orlando and Daniel Nickels
Front row: Alexander Ould and Team Manager Alex Dimitrovski



C Grade 1 (Boys) — Premiers

Back row: Nicholas Ould, Daniel Cuda, Anthony Muscari and Matt Smith
Front row: Jamie Palermo [Absent: Alex Nanfro]



Season 2 2007 Trophy Winners

Back row: Ines Sumic, Caroline Donovan, Nicholas Snook, Daniel Nickels, Andrew Puskaric and Carla Santalucia
Front row: Michael Carasavidis, Nicholas Busuttil, Senay Ince and Robert Eccles
[Absent: Harry Overman, Nicole Cashin, Alex Nanfro]

Jumble

First unscramble the seven tennis related words below. One the words are unscrambled, rearrange the letters in the shaded squares to spell the surname of a famous tennis player.

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Name of famous tennis player: _ _ _ _ _

Solution to Sudoku in Edition 27

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2	4	1	3	7	5	8	9	6
3	7	8	9	1	6	5	4	2
9	3	6	4	5	8	7	2	1
4	1	2	7	6	9	3	5	8
7	8	5	2	3	1	9	6	4
1	5	4	6	8	3	2	7	9
6	2	3	1	9	7	4	8	5
8	9	7	5	4	2	6	1	3