



# campbellsbay tennis club

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## The New Season...

...Is just a few weeks away.

It may seem a little early for thoughts of Spring but we need to get organised slightly sooner for 2007-08 to meet junior interclub enrolment deadlines

Enrolment can be done in person at the Clubrooms from 10 a.m. onwards on:

**Sunday, 12 August.**

for Juniors and their families.

And for all others on:

**Saturday/ Sunday 25/26 August**

*Junior subscriptions must be paid on 12 August for entry to interclub teams.*

Gate locks will be changed on 24 August. Court gates will be taped open from that day until the official end of the season on 31 August. But night players please note: your old key will not open the park gate after 24 August.

**Club Opening Day for the new season:**

**Sunday, 26 August.**

Come along for a fun tournament, afternoon tea and a chance to try out a new racquet from the coach's pro-shop.

## Family Subs

This season the club is offering a capped family subscription to foster goodwill and family spirit within the club. This means that for as many family members as want to play it will cost the family no more than \$750.

This will be a saving for couples with two or more children in the junior or intermediate age groups (up to 17).

Club Coach Lee Radovanovich is offering a free 30 minute lesson for each family member who joins under this offer, so if you haven't played for a while, or you have a child keen to start, this is your chance.

(A family is defined as no more than two adults and their dependent children living at the same address, qualification being at the discretion of the membership secretary.)

To qualify for the family rate, and other discounts, subscriptions must be paid by August 31.

Despite the earlier enrolment date, membership will run, as usual, to August 31 next year.

## Club Champs for the 2006/2007 Season are:

**Ladies' Singles:** Christine Foote. R/Up: Renata Hryckiewicz

**Mens' Singles:** Warren August. R/Up: Ben Hunt

**Ladies' Doubles:** Renata Hryckiewicz & Christine Foote. R/Up: Rosie Curwen & Kara Morrison

**Mens' Doubles:** Lee Radovanovich & Adam McNeil. R/Up: Greg Wright & Michael Glading

**Mixed Doubles:** Delwyn & Bruce Morrison. R/Up: Christine & Roger Foote.



# Midweek Ladies

Hi to all the Midweek Ladies  
Just some dates to note for the coming year

**8 August** – The Soup Kitchen – a yummy lunch date at the club where we serve homemade soups and dessert (sticky date pudding, I believe). Bring a friend and enjoy the company. Only \$15 per person. This luncheon operates wet or fine. Fun tennis in the morning if fine then lunch at 1130am. A fundraiser for Premier singles (old Chelsea cup)

**5 September** Opening Day

**31 October** The June Harris Tournament. Choose a partner and join us in this tournament. A new list will be up on the board. Caters for all levels of players.  
**Rain day 7 November.**

**5 December** Our annual Midweek Ladies Xmas Luncheon. Diary this date NOW!!!!

The Interclub lists are on the board. If you wish to play summer Midweek Interclub please write your name down by the end of the month and trials will begin (if required) in August. Please note that there is a playing and coaching commitment to Interclub, but there is a social grade available to those who wish for something a little less competitive and demanding of your time.

That's it for now and happy tennis for the rest of the year.

## Singles Ladder

For competitive singles practise over the winter, why not join CBTC singles' ladder?

For more information call  
Kara Morrison 410 2113  
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# Resurfacing of Courts 1 and 2

An application for a substantial grant for this work has been filed with the ASB Community Trust. We hope to hear next month whether it has been successful. The committee regards the project as urgent and aims to have it done during the coming season.

Our two premier courts will consist of the highest quality Astrograss on a concrete base to be laid over the existing material. That will raise the level of the courts by 80mm to 100mm, making the fences that much lower than at present but this seems the best solution to iron out the undulations in those courts at present.

All going well, we will have two sparkling new courts, as flat as billiard tables, with new green net-posts matching those on courts 5/6, by the end of the season.



## Projects Approved

The Club is grateful to the Southern Cross Trust for a grant of \$15,000 to do some urgent maintenance. The trust has approved a number of projects, including the replacement of the now crumbling retaining wall that supports the bank overlooking courts 5 and 6, steps and the laying of a concrete court for the volley board in place of the mat that is now torn and lifting.

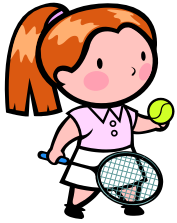
Weather permitting, the projects should be completed before the start of the new season.

# Annual General Meeting

The AGM was held on Sunday May 27, attracting an attendance of 44 members. Thank you to all who made the effort. The president's report highlighted problems with court repairs during the past season and outlined projects now under way. Concern was also expressed about a membership decline this season and the need for a campaign to boost junior enrolment. Members of the junior committee put a resolution to cap subscriptions for families at \$750, which was well supported. The Treasurer tabled the year's accounts showing that after an increase in subs last year income from subscriptions had fallen and the club had finished the financial year with a deficit of \$4048. However, the club continues to make annual provisions for depreciation and overall is in a strong financial position.

Officers elected for the coming season were: John Roughan (president), Ken Grant (club captain), John Smith (secretary), Rob Armstrong (treasurer), Ian Ayson (membership secretary).


Joining them on the executive committee are: Virginia Campbell (midweek ladies' rep), Karen Dye (juniors committee rep), Gerald Hewitt, Tiina Macey, John Braggins, Kara Morrison, Liz Brooks, Keith Morris, Dean (Blackie) Rangihuna and Jono Clark-Howard.



# CBTC Junior Tennis

Welcome to the 2007/08 tennis season. The challenges of interclub, social tournaments and club champs are just around the corner.

## Dates to put in your diary:

Sunday 12 <sup>th</sup> August 2007	Junior opening day at club. Please note there will be no organised tennis but members are encouraged to make use of the free courts should they wish to organise their own games. Time: 9.00am - midday.
To be advised	Junior interclub trials at Forrest Hill. You may be contacted should we wish to trial your child.
Sunday 16 <sup>th</sup> September	Junior Fun Day at CBTC. Come and enjoy a morning of tennis. Games will be organised and morning tea served. Time: 9.00 - 10.30 (beginners); 10.30 - midday (I/Club players).
Monday 8 <sup>th</sup> October	Junior I/Club coaching starts. Go to Tennis North Harbour website for draws and results.
Tuesday 9 <sup>th</sup> October	Junior Interclub Managers' meeting. This is to receive balls, draws and information for the upcoming season. Time: 7.00pm clubrooms.
Last Friday of the month	Monthly Friday Fun Nights. This will only apply to October, November, February March.
Fri 12 <sup>th</sup> / Sat 13 <sup>th</sup> October	Interclub commences.
Saturday 13 <sup>th</sup> October	Beginner coaching commences.
Friday 9 <sup>th</sup> November	Family Fun Night. Bring a picnic tea and enjoy the fun. Social games will be made up on the night. Parents are encouraged to participate with their children. Everyone welcome. Time: 6.00pm - 8.30pm.
Saturday 1 <sup>st</sup> December	All junior coaching finishes for the term EXCEPT for Monday and Saturday groups which finish Monday 3 <sup>rd</sup> & Saturday 8 <sup>th</sup> respectively to allow for Labour weekend.
Friday 7 <sup>th</sup> December	Years 7 and up Tournament. Entry Fee: \$5.00. Great Prizes. Sausage and drink provided. Time: 6.30-9pm. Please diary this popular event.
Monday 11 <sup>th</sup> February	I/Club coaching recommences and finishes depending on the allotted day Mon children: 11.02.08 to 07.04.08 Tues children: 12.02.08 to 08.04.08 Wed children: 13.02.08 to 02.04.08 Thurs children: 14.02.08 to 03.04.08 
Saturday 29 <sup>th</sup> March	Pre-interclub Saturday coaching mini club champs (rain day 5 <sup>th</sup> April 2008).
Sunday 6 <sup>th</sup> April (rain day 13 <sup>th</sup> April)	Junior Club Champs Finals and Junior Prize Giving.