

GOSFORD DISTRICT TENNIS ASSOCIATION

MINUTES OF MEETING HELD 06/11/96

The meeting opened at 8:00 pm.

APOLOGIES: Pat Healy, Troy Mahoney, Murray Vaughan, Tony Stuckey.

~~MEMBERS PRESENT: Steve Gibson, Mavis Slingsby, Dennis Stimson, Anne Thomas, Bryce Grossel, Neil Packer, Megan Healey.~~

~~MINUTES: Previous minutes had been distributed. Typographical error noted and will show that Gary and Rex had "done" a good job. It was moved by Neil Packer and seconded by Dennis Stimson to accept the minutes. Motion carried.~~

MATTERS ARISING: Data base update - Steve advised that Tennis NSW would be sending out the Advantage Receiver cards to our members this week.

Alan Bowler has not been contacted by Steve re sponsorship yet.

Mavis advised that letter to Greg Doyle went out as well as the letter to the Hardcourt Assn.

Steve has requested refund of liquor license money as Oct tournament did not proceed.

Privett check - Two bushes of privett will be removed.

Steve mentioned the membership renewal letter and discussion followed re the Monday night ladies who play only Monday Night Comp which begins in October. ~~It was decided that the same membership renewal letter would go to those ladies as was sent to all other members.~~

INCOMING CORRESPONDENCE:

- 1) 1997 Tournament Calendar
- 2) Promotional material from Grand Slam Sports.
- 3) Promotional material from Vince Barclay Coaching Academy.
- 4) Letter from the Starlight Foundation re its Pro/Celebrity Tournament. Notice to go on board.
- 5) Letter from Dunlop Slazenger advising that Bob Wilson has retired.
- 6) Letter and check from Central Coast Leagues Club (check amount - \$1050) for Members' Directed Sporting Allocation.
- 7) Bulletin from Tennis New South Wales - to go on notice board.
- 8) Letter from Tennis NSW advising of appointment of Simon Woinarski as Development Officer.
- 9) Letter from Tennis NSW advising that affiliation fees for 1997/98 will be \$10 adult, \$5.00 Junior and \$5.00 Senior.
- 10) Circular from Tennis NSW enclosing the Tennis NSW Strategic Plan for 1996-2001. Mavis to circulate amongst committee members.
- 11) Letter from Woy Woy Tennis Club re Sunday Morning Junior Comp. Steve advised that he had met with Lyn Graham to explain the GDTA position i e GDTA did not move the teams. Mavis to reply and state our position as well as to welcome any new team submissions from Woy Woy.

OUTGOING CORRESPONDENCE:

- 1) Letter to Greg Doyle requesting court hire fee of \$150.
- 2) Letter to Peter Roper (Central Coast Grammar) requesting court hire fee of \$80.00.
- 3) Letter authorising Janet Radcliffe to obtain items/goods/services for ~~fundraising activities on behalf of GDTA.~~
- 4) Letter to Stan Pedersen, Hardcourt TA. Steve attended the meeting. He advised that with regard to money being paid to players, he was told that ~~only existing members of 12 mos. standing were paid money to~~ play i/district (Eastern Suburbs). With regard to the late registration of players, he was advised that the HTA rules Committee would look into it. Regarding format change, there was discussion re a two division elite competition however no change was made to format.

TREASURERS REPORT: As the Treasurer was not present there was no report. Mavis to organise for check to be sent to WWTC for \$120 court hire.

~~JUNIOR SUBCOMMITTEE REPORT: (Minutes of meeting held 30/10/96). Dennis~~ advised that Shane Mayles as been invited into the regional squad for the 4th term.

It was noted that the Tennis Fun Day would now not interfere with our round robins in 1997.

Discussion re application by Gosford (Steve Gibson) to host the 16U National Titles from 1998-2000.

We were advised that it was decided at the Regional Meeting to hold the ~~Champion of Champions' Age Groups 12, 14 and 16 at one center next year.~~ Lee Maraga has been selected into the 14's State Carnival - no Gosford 14 girl(s) were selected.

LADIES MIDWEEK: Pat Healy not present. Mavis reported that the Fashion Show was well attended, well organised and very enjoyable. Discussion re liability for proposed play area. Mavis to query Dennis Meyer's office.

TENNIS SUBCOMMITTEE: (Minutes of 23/10/96) Tony Stuckey and Pat Healy not present. It was decided to discuss those minutes at next meeting as there were a number of concerns/queries.

GROUNDS & FINANCE SUBCOMMITTEE: (MINUTES OF 23/10/96). Discussion re lease tenders which close 18/11/96. Tenders will be opened and reviewed at our next meeting on 20/11/96 and recommendations will be made to the incoming committee. It was decided that it would be more appropriate to call this subcommittee the Grounds Subcommittee next year as all matters relating to finance must be handled by the Main Body Committee.

SOCIAL SUBCOMMITTEE: Discussion re Mr Tom Lea and whether or not he was a life member. Dennis confirmed (via Ron Hincksman) that Tom Lea had been made a life member many years ago. Steve will present him with his badge at either the AGM or the Presentation Dinner.

No General Business and meeting closed at 10:20 pm.