

MINTUES OF GOSFORD DISTRICT TENNIS ASSOCIATION MEETING 2ND AUGUST, 2000

PRESENT: Steve Gibson, Bryce Grossel, Dennis Stimson, Lynne Buchanan, Jamie Byrnes,
Chris Cox, Hal Moir Ian Lowcock, Anne Thomas, Maureen Rowe

APOLOGY: Pat Healy

MINTUES PREVIOUS MEETING: Moved Bryce Grossel, seconded Steve Gibson

BUSINESS ARISING: Bubbler fixed
Bench seat fixed
Steve yet to speak to Malcolm re bottom courts.
Dennis reported that the Tennis Centre monthly payment has covered the cost
of lights as we could not get hold of cheque book. Rod will bill us for lights and then pay us the
normal monthly payment. The work should be done tomorrow. 3-8-00.
Dennis has not yet again spoken to Council re Lease.
Dennis advised Rod that the payment for Advertising/Promotion finished in May.

CORRESPONDENCE IN:

Account from Gosford Council re Lease Fee – Dennis to contact Council re this matter.
Memo from Hardcourt Association re Rule changes for Inter-District
Memo from Hardcourt Association re Slazenger 2000 Inter-District Dinner.
Tennis NSW – AGM 10th October, 2000 - Nominations for Chairman, Deputy Chairman, Treasurer
Tennis NSW 2000 Volunteer and Club/Centre or Association Awards (Moved Ian Lowcock,
seconded Lynne Buchanan that we should nominate Pat Healy from our Association for this award –
approved by all at Meeting.)
Tennis NSW 2000 State Squad Selections – Term 3
Tennis Nsw Consideration of Member details and effective communication – Steve to complete
Memo from ACE re "save White City"
Memo from Macquarie Generation Inter-District 2000
Northumberland Regional Futures Squad – refer Junior Committee
Quote from Raw Landscapes re driveway - (moved Ian Lowcock, seconded Steve Gibson we
Accept this quote – approved by Meeting – Hal to organise).
Letter from Council re sewerage charging from 1st July, 2000
Tennis NSW re OlympicOpportunity Tickets

CORRESPONDENCE OUT:

Card to Louise Martens after operation.
Letter to Mr and Mrs Freeman
Junior Committee sent card to young junior boy who was badly burned in accident.

TREASURER'S REPORT:

Jamie reported Statement shows credit balance \$54,000. We will have to pay GST around \$2,500 but
claim back \$1,000 from Tennis NSW Membership.

A/c from Terry's Engraving \$24.00

- Trophy World – engraving and cleaning trophies \$28.00 (check with Pat if this would be correct)
- .. for Water and Sewerage rates \$324.00 - Dennis to check if this is also for Band Hall.
- .. from Raw Landscapes \$520.00 – OK to pay

Treasurer's Report cont.

A/c from Tennis Centre - OK to pay
" from Robyn \$22.00 phone calls

Jamie had discussions with Rod re trophies. We now pay \$17.50 for \$20.00 vouchers, we will have to pay extra for GST. Suggestion that we may be able to increase the voucher to \$22.50 and the players would get a \$25.00 voucher on the shop. After GST this will cost \$20.00.

Maureen stated that she felt no increase was necessary as we are trying to get money to do other things around court. Matter discussed and decided to increase as above.

Cheque handed in from L.M.W. for \$1,782.00 being half team fees.

\$40.00 payment for 2 extra trophies.

TENNIS COMMITTEE:

Jamie reported they have had 2 meetings, one was an extra-ordinary meeting. 2 teams playing each other had requested a fill-in for semi-finals. A grade 9 lady played in semi-final against a grade 6/7 man. The team borrowing the grade 9 lady won the match.

Jamie also reported an incident where he had called at the courts one Saturday and Stephanie Bowler reported that her team had forfeited due to lack of players and then she filled in for Mary's team - Lee. Mark and Mandy had gone to Woollongong for a Tournament and they had to forfeit.

Jamie advised that he thought there was a technicality in her forfeiting and then playing for another team on that day.

The meeting decided that as only the team receiving forfeit have to fill in a card, she could not be penalised.

Jamie tabled minutes of last Meeting, but as photocopier not working we did not all have a copy.

We ended up with 30 teams, lost a couple and gained a couple.

We have two eight team divisions and the others are 5/6. David Graham did not put in a team, nor did Steve Guest.

Dennis reported that the Junior Committee is not happy with the raid on the Badge players and juniors. Jamie feels there should be a policy to cover this situation. There are players still playing Badge who have been approached to play Saturday Afternoon.

Two teams in Tuesday Night Div 5 found themselves with half team each. They have been joined together and that division now has a Bye. This meant a court was going to be left vacant and the Centre were not happy and they were asked if they could find fill-ins - OK.

Anne rang many players from the Thursday Night competition to try and get fill-ins, they would fill in but not every week. We ended up still merging the teams and added an extra team.

The first week two of the ladies were not members of the Association, Rod was to ask them about this.

Championships are coming up - at this stage entries are slow.

JUNIOR COMMITTEE:

Blackwell Cup – Eastern Suburbs only had 2, 3 and 4 and forfeited some sets and we were still defeated.

Northumberland is still a worry getting players each week.

Badge is running well, Liz has done a great job with this. Championship forms are out and have received quite a few back in.

Dennis feels we should ask the Region that when Dennis is not at the Regional Meeting, why Steve cannot have an extra vote.

L.M.W. - New competition commenced today. all went well.

GENERAL BUSINESS:

BOTTOM COURTS - Dennis read report from Jack Davies re bottom courts. Steve will speak to Malcolm Bergman .

Courts 10 & 11 - Dennis has asked for quote in the same surface as 5, 6, 7 and 12.

Steve moved, seconded Hal, that we pay the Tennis Centre a monthly figure of \$275.00 including GST for Promotional work backdated to 1/6/00. All in favour.

Meeting Closed 10.50 pm.