

MINUTES OF GDTA MEETING HELD WEDNESDAY 1ST AUGUST,
2001

Meeting chaired by Pat Healy

PRESENT: Pat Healy, Steve Gibson, Jennifer Ingall, Chris Cox,
Maralyn Brooks, Lynne Buchanan, Ian Lowcock,.
Bryce Grossel, Maureen Rowe

APOLOGIES: Hal Moir, Jamie Byrnes, Anne Thomas

MINUTES PREVIOUS MEETING: Moved Bryce Grossel
Seconded Maralyn Brooks

BUSINESS ARISING:

Steve will follow up with Jamie re L.M.W. funds and how to manage the GST segment.

Chris will look into having the L.M.W. books audited before our AGM.

Car park – no quotes as yet, but we will have to do something soon as it is in very poor condition.

Championships - no courts available on 19/8/2001.

CORRESPONDENCE IN:

- * Memo from Tennis NSW re expressions of interest 14 & under State teams event 2002 - Maureen to write reply that we are interested.
- * Memo Tennis NSW re applications for Country Directors - we will support application from Steve Gibson.
- * Letter from Department of Fair Trading advising our new Constitution has been accepted.
- * Poster re 8th Australian Masters Games – 5th to 14th October '01

(Correspondence cont'd)

- * Brochure from Sporting Pulse
- * Memo from Tennis NSW – Insurance Public Liability
- * Letter from NSW Schools Tennis Union advising that Jemma Everett has been selected in school team to play against Argentine and Brazilian school teams in Buenos Aires and Rio de Janeiro.

CORRESPONDENCE OUT:

- Letter to Tennis NSW with membership disk and cheque for fees.

TREASURIER'S REPORT:

In Jamie's absence, he left a memo for Maureen to read.

There was not sufficient time for Jamie to prepare a submission for a grant through the Dept of Sport and Rec. Jamie will make contact with Mike Salier of Tennis NSW so that we receive more time than one week to put a submission together.

To date Jamie had not received a Statement.

The BAS return was submitted and we received a refund of \$2,148.00. Jamie has realised he has not included GST to the lease/licence payments received and has contacted the ATO for a ruling on this.

Jamie would like to pursue changing to the Bendigo Bank – will discuss further when Jamie returns.

The books for the year ending October, 2000 are ready to go to Auditor and books to end June, 2001 are almost ready – will put them in together.

Jamie has \$6,000+ from Davis Cup tickets yet to bank and a cheque from LMW for \$1,683 also to be banked.

ACCOUNTS RECEIVED:

Gosford Business Machines	\$256.00	
“ “ “	\$400.01	
Office Works A/c	95.07	
“ “	47.58	
Cougar Security	219.19	July & Aug
“ “	201.76	
“ “	140.50	
Telstra	145.75	
Gosford Rates	1296.00	
R & B Technology	114.95	
Terry's Engraving	292.50	(pd 1/8/01)
Phone account – Pat Healy	19.48	“
Flowers for Hazel Guest	30.00	“
Inter-District Fee Northumberland	90.00	

Accounts – Gosford Tennis Centre

Interdistrict	\$776.30
Squad	530.75
Fee collection monies	197.60
Promotional fee	275.00
Mowing	110.00
Vouchers Tuesday Night and Sat comps	781.00

TENNIS COMMITTEE REPORT:

Jennifer advised that Troy expressed concerns about the finishing dates of our comps – they are finishing well prior to Christmas. Tuesday comp will be completed very early and perhaps we should look at something to fill in the weeks.

The meeting felt the comps should run on and just have a Christmas/New Year break.

Loss of membership. Steve will speak to a chap at North Sydney as to how they got members back. Jennifer will also look at some type of questionnaire form to contact current and past members.

JUNIOR COMMITTEE:

Minutes of Meeting 16/7/01 tabled.

Pennant was to commence last Saturday but it rained. There are 6 teams this time and they are not as strong. Last match will be on 20/10/01 with semi finals 27/10 and grand final 10/11/01.

Badge is going O.K. Forms are out for Championships.

The Eastwood-Thornleigh club wants to have an Inter-District club challenge for juniors (round robin). We will discuss this at the next junior meeting.

Junior Open forms for next year being completed. Dennis will be Tournament Referee. Dates are 16/1 - 21/1/2002. Entry fees are Singles \$16.00 and Doubles \$8.00.

There is a problem with Tennis Australia over the Nationals for next year. The Reid Cup will now only be 4 days from 29/12 – 1/1/02. There is no lead-in event and Nationals commence 1/1/2002.

Inter-District is now going along fine. There was a problem earlier with fill-ins, but everything is now running O.K.

L.M.W.

Minutes of Meeting 19/2001 tabled.

Discussion earlier in this meeting re L.M.W. funds and GST, etc. Steve pointed out that this Committee is ultimately responsible for any funds of the L.M.W. This will be sorted out after discussions with Jamie re the GST.

GENERAL BUSINESS:

Pat advised meeting that one of the junior boys had fallen through the roof of the men's toilet and maybe we should look at putting a new roof on this as it is very old and in poor condition. Steve asked Jenny to check with Rex and he will follow up with Rex ASAP.

There is a drainage problem at Court 5. Steve will organise someone to have a look at this. There is a hole with a pipe at Court 11 and will also get this looked into.

Maureen asked if a Social Player can play provided they have paid their Player Registration fee. Yes, this is being done with some of our comps at present.

Jennifer asked if anyone who is not a GDTA member can play in Championships – no, this is for members only. Anyone can play in the Open Championships.

Pat advised she spoke with Rosanna Del Villar re her Player Registration. She gave Pat the phone number of a Gary Robertson at Kincumber. Pat had a long conversation with him and he said the Kincumber Club is a sub-affiliate with Tennis NSW and they forward the player registrations down when they have collected them all. He was at a meeting 4 years ago at Gosford and said “they were accused for taking junior players from Gosford to play in a comp they run on Saturday morning. The comp he runs is only for the beginners. He stated he was a coach at Kincumber. Kincumber also pay some of their junior fees to play in the Badge Comp at Gosford.

He further stated the tennis is very low key – players not very strong and really on social tennis and a get together. He would be willing to come to a meeting, but would like a Rep from Tennis NSW to be there to explain the player registration system, etc. His phone number is 43 682630 home and work 43 239092 work.

Pat will look up old records and get the names and contact numbers for the outside Associations so that Maureen can write letters and invite them to a meeting to try and enhance junior tennis on the Coast.

Jamie can get a Web for GDTA for a fee of \$70.00 per annum if meeting in favour - Yes.

Meeting closed 10.10 pm.