

MINUTES OF GDTA MEETING HELD WEDNESDAY 4TH SEPTEMBER, 2002

PRESENT: Steve Gibson, Chris Cox, Pat Healy, Ian Lowcock, Bryce Grossel
Maureen Rowe

APOLOGIES: Hal Moir, Lynne Buchanan, Maralyn Brooks, Jamie Byrnes

AS THERE WAS NOT A QUOROM, MATTERS COULD ONLY BE DISCUSSED.

MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING were read and business arising was discussed

TABLES bottom complex need repair – Bryce will look into.

SHADE STRUCTURES - Bryce needs Plan of complex to get DA organised

TOURNAMENT BOX – Rex spoke to Steve, there is a 4 week wait for correct windows and hopes to start soon. Steve will order air-conditioning unit (get large one).

CORRESPONDENCE IN:

Memo from Tennis NSW re Facility Development Seminar on 13/9/02 – Bryce is attending

Memo from Tennis NSW for nominations for Chairman/Deputy/Treasurer
“ “ “ “ for Director Special Qualifications

Memo from Westfield Tugerarh re fundraising
Tennis NSW Minutes

CORRESPONDENCE OUT:

Letter to Ellen Gordon nominating Rod Rosenfield as GDTA rep on Northumberland Committee.

Letter sent to Cheatle & Assoc advising that their representative has not again made contact re Statement in relation to insurance claim of Sharon Valentine

Cheque sent to Tennis NSW for memberships

TREASURER'S REPORT: Steve gave report as Jamie not present

BENDIGO BANK CR \$16,000

COMMONWEALTH BANK CR \$ 5,600

Cheque sent to Tennis NSW for Memberships \$1,164.50

ACCOUNTS:

GTC - Squads	\$726.00
Mowing Bottom compl.ex	110.00
Inter-District	536.40
Promotional Fee August	275.00
% collection fees	310.35
Court Hire Championships	77.00

Invoice handed to Maureen from Rod for just over \$1,000 for replacement of "hand dryer" units in both men's and ladies toilets. (Meeting felt this was very high and asked for 3 quotes for this work).

Account from Basil Healy for 3 doors for Toilets (bottom complex)	169.70
Phone Account - Ian	34.60
" " Pat	17.57
Gosford Business Machines	295.90
Australia Post	83.31
R & B Office Machines	483.66

(Basil Healy ordering grills for bottom and also put up awning on office)

TENNIS COMMITTEE REPORT:

Ian gave report. Tabled Minutes of Meeting held 15/7/02

Last weekend was Vet and Handicapped Championships

7 entries for singles, 2 withdrew and we did not have enough entries to run other events.

Lee Maraga and Rodney Cattanach played in Final - Lee- won 6-3;6-3.

Troy did first weekend and Lynne came the second weekend, however it was raining so she left and later in the day (3PM) the Final was played.

October 13th is Opens and Specials (Jennifer and Lynne to run)

October 20th (Sharon and Troy)

Entries are not good and not covering our costs.

Correspondence received from David Sanders. They lost points in both Tuesday and Thursday Night comps. He feels Anne treated him badly and did not like the way she spoke. They had a name on the sheet who was not listed as a Member and it appears the wrong name was on the sheet and the correct person is registered. Should be Matthew Middleton (not Sullivan). It was decided to re-instate the points.

The other incident was using Geoff Moore to fill in for his side. He actually plays in his team on a Thursday. He was ineligible as he is in Div 2 and not Div 4 on the correct night, these points will not be re-instated. He has been notified of this in writing.

Thursday Night is at the end of the first round and Tuesday Night into about 3rd week.

Saturday Afternoon comp commences this Saturday with 25 teams.

Pat advised she was disappointed that Sharon rang many of the Badge players to play Saturday afternoon. Sharon rang Pat who gave her 3 names but it seems many others were rung and Pat feels they are not ready for Saturday afternoon. Ian read out names of players in lowest division, only a few were from Badge.

Steve asked that if 3 teams went up to Division, who came back.

Division 1	-	6 teams
Division 2		6 teams
Division 3		7 teams
Division 4		5 teams

JUNIOR REPORT:

Badge Championships have been run. 1 match in not finished in Division 1 boys, this will be completed this Saturday at 9AM (Maralyn & Betty will attend). Entries coming in for the next comp in October.

Junior Championship entries received 169 but we cannot run some of the events due to lack of numbers. Need 4 entries in each event to run.

Greg Scriven rang Pat re ID day. We gave a list of 9 for the Future's Squads, he should have been given a list separately for this. Suggested we list the 10 years old boys and Michelle Strong.

Steve received email of who is in the Future's & Regional Squads, will forward to Pat and Patrick.

Inter-District –

Mary's team made the semi-finals

Northerumberland – 5 teams in semi-finals

Junior Player of the Year Award:

Rod feels we cannot give it this year as there is nobody "outstanding". Steve said he agreed with Rod.

Maureen & Ian felt we need to check the criteria, as the award should be made each year having been given by the parents of Paul O'Sullivan for this purpose. Who set the criteria, the O'Sullivan's or the Committee. Steve said probably the Committee as Paul was not an "outstanding" player, just someone who enjoyed tennis and his parents wanted him remembered.

Check with Dennis re the criteria.

L.M.W REPORT:

The AGM will be on 12/9/02.

GENERAL BUSINESS:

Chris still waiting on information for Shields.

Ian advised that the Competition Committee discussed supporting an "under-privileged" player for Saturday Afternoon and had thought of Tim Denver and asked the thoughts of the Committee. When he participated in some of the Junior events last year Rod paid some of his fees.

Perhaps we could have a "Player Assistance Scheme". Pat mentioned Neil Packer pays some of the kids to hit with others and pays them for this, maybe we could look at him assisting at Badge. Will discuss further at the next meeting.

Meeting closed 9.35pm.