



# Gosford Tennis Club Newsletter

## Action-Packed August of Tennis

**Welcome** Members, Guests and Players,

With the start of term 3 well underway, the new junior coaching schedule proving highly successful with the addition of Jono to the club and now the thought that we're into the last month of winter and beginning to see the days getting longer and weather getting warmer what better way to kick off a new term!

This month sees Gosford playing host to an inaugural Platinum AMT event which has been lucky enough to be proudly sponsored by Central Coast Council, where we will witness some elite players travel across the country to take part. Majority of these players are highly ranked within Australia and/ or are competing at higher ITF levels. With overall prize money totaling \$15,000 we look forward to a great week of highly competitive tennis at our renowned tennis facility.

Furthermore, due to this Platinum AMT event there will be **NO COMPS FROM WEDNESDAY 7th AUGUST - SUNDAY 11th AUGUST** as all the courts are required for the event. For more information regarding coaching and lessons during this time please contact the club on 4325 2921 or Alex 0404 946 971/ Jono 0447 640 356.

Sydney Inter-district, Blackwell Cup Competition kicked off last Sunday 27th July, and our high flying Gosford boys consisting of Jonathon Cooper, Nick De Vivo, Alex Fielding, Liam O'Neil, Jayden Shipley, Brad Simpson and Captained by Riley Courtney, started off with an exceptional home win (9 sets to 0, 54 games to 12) first up against the boys from Hornsby Kuring-Gai. The Gosford team then travelled to South Western Sydney on Sunday 4th August to play the boys from Brennan Park, where they returned as winners in another close battle (6 sets to 3, 43 - 30). The boys are back in action next week when they take on MacArthur at home, anyone interested in heading down to watch, play will be starting at 12.15pm! Congratulations and Good-luck boys!

## **Gosford Bronze AMT Results;**

Congratulations to all the winners from our Bronze AMT and thank-you to everyone who participated and supported this event.

**Men's AMT Singles** – Winner; Jonathon Cooper 6 – 1 7 – 6, over Nathan Boniel

**Women's AMT Singles** – Winner; Jessica Stanmore 6 – 3 6 – 3, over Olivia Huang

**Women's AMT Singles Conso** – Winner; Kirsty White 3 – 6 6 – 4 10 – 8, over Lia Woods

**Men's AMT Singles Conso** – Winner; Adam Gadecki 6 – 3 6 – 2, over Brad Simpson

**Men's AMT Doubles** – Winners; Adam Gadecki and Liam Puttergill 4 – 6 6 – 2 11 – 9, over Nathan Boniel and Edwyn Ramos

**Women's AMT Doubles** – Winners; Ningali Forrest Freeman and Jessica Stanmore 5 – 7 7 – 5 10 – 2, over Sarah Munroe and Elyse Standing

**Open Mixed Doubles** – Winners; Jayden Shipley and Elyse Standing 8 – 4, over Nick de Vivo and Isabella Podesta

**Special Men's Singles** – Winner; Aaron George 6 – 1 4 – 6 10 – 8, over Eddie Westfall

## **Events this August**

**Gosford Platinum AMT** is an Australian Money Tournament commencing Wednesday 7th August - Sunday 11th August, with events including AMT Singles, Doubles and 18/U Singles. This event will see Gosford play host to a large contingent of high-quality tennis, with some players having &/or been ranked in the top 100 in Australia. This is a great event to get behind and support as Gosford Tennis Club has a considerable number of players entered, most under the age of 18 yrs. plus our coaches Alex, Brad and Jono are in the mix!

### **Events include;**

AMT Men's and Women's Singles, AMT Men's and Women's Doubles and 18/U Boys and Girls Singles

This month also sees the return of the prestigious **Central Coast Super Series Tennis Tournament!** Another great event for those looking to push themselves and take on some of the top players on the coast.

**When:** Saturday 17th August 2019

**Time:** 1pm - 3.30pm

**Where:** Gosford Tennis Club

**Format:** Dependent on the week and altering between Singles and Doubles - Mick to announce

Anyone interested in joining this comp please contact Mick Courtney and have your entry in by 6pm on Friday night!

Contact: Mick Courtney @ [coastalfss@bigpond.com](mailto:coastalfss@bigpond.com)

### **A special thanks also goes out to all our Sponsors;**

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Don't forget to get the latest updates on our Gosford Tennis Club Facebook page!

*We look forward to seeing you on Court!*

Gosford Tennis Club Staff, Coaches and Volunteers

## Junior Players



Alex and Jono have been working hard to organize and structure a new Term 3 class schedule for all our junior coaching with comps available for all classes. All class times and sessions are listed below. If you are interested in enrolling your child in a class, please contact Alex on 0404 946 971

<b>Term 3 Coaching</b>	<b>Friday Afternoon Match Play /Comps</b>
<b>Blue Ball;</b> Thursday 12.45pm - 1.30pm	
<b>Red Ball;</b> Monday - Thursday; 3.30pm - 4.15pm Saturday Mornings; 8.30am - 9.15am	<b>Red Ball;</b> 3.30pm - 4.30pm
<b>Orange Ball;</b> Monday - Thursday; 4.15pm - 5pm Saturday Mornings; 9.15am - 10am	<b>Orange Ball;</b> 4.30pm - 5.30pm
<b>Green Ball;</b> Monday - Thursday; 5pm - 6pm Saturday Mornings; 10am - 11am	<b>Green Ball;</b> 4pm - 5.30pm
<b>Yellow Ball;</b> Tuesday & Thursday; 4.30pm - 5.30pm	

## Adult Players



<b>Adult Coaching</b>	<b>Adult Comps</b>
<b>Adult Social Play/ Drill and Point Play;</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Monday (beginner); 6.30pm - 8pm</li> <li>- Wednesday; 7.30pm - 9pm</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>Monday Night Ladies</b> from 7pm</li> <li>- <b>Tuesday Open Doubles</b> from 7.30pm</li> <li>- <b>Wednesday Ladies Mid-week</b> from 9.30am</li> <li>- <b>Thursday Social Doubles</b> from 7.30pm</li> <li>- <b>Saturday Social Comp</b> from 2pm</li> </ul>
<b>Cardio Fitness;</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Tuesday; 9.30am - 10.30am</li> </ul>	
<b>Ladies Clinic</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Tuesday; 10 - 11am</li> <li>- Friday; 9.30 - 10am</li> </ul>	

**Adult Drill Point & Play** - Every Monday and Wednesday evening join our coaches to improve your tennis skills with structured drills and meet other fellow tennis players. In no time you will be playing one of our many social competitions.

**Get Fit without the Kids** - Gosford Tennis Club is running cardio tennis classes on Thursday mornings that will test your tennis fitness. If you would like to register or have any questions, please call Coach Alex on 0404946971.

## Community

The Garden Club is a great opportunity for members to get out and involved with the club. The Garden Warriors rely heavily on community support to help keep the complex decorative and well maintained. Anyone able to help out please give us a call.



Full Member Play for Free on Sundays and during Off-Peak times on week days. We will also throw in free personal injury insurance whilst on Court!



We have a sale on a range of Racquets from leading brands - Wilson, Head, and Babolat. We also have a range of tennis shoes for all sizes. Discounts apply to members.

Contact Alex to schedule your preferred Adult program by calling 43252921 or 0404946971 or email [coaching@gosfordtennisclub.com.au](mailto:coaching@gosfordtennisclub.com.au)