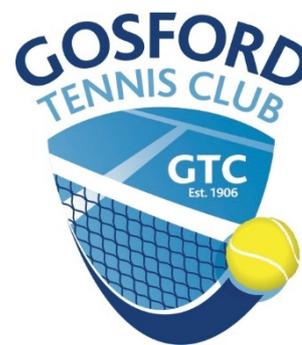


Gosford Tennis Club Newsletter

Nifty November Newsletter



Welcome Members, Guests and Players,

As the weather is heating up, we have a red-hot summer of tennis ready to roll.

This month Gosford Tennis Club is holding our 76th Club Championships event over 2 weekends; Opens Events 30th Nov, 1st Dec & 7th Dec and Aged Events 7th & 8th Dec. We will also be holding a Black Friday Pro Shop Sale (Friday 29th November) which will be running over the Open Events weekend of the Club Championships as well. This sale will include all racquets (new and demos), hats, grips and tennis bags, so make sure you get in quick!

Gosford Tennis Club is also proud to announce that we are working in-conjunction with Coasties Drought Aid - a group dedicated to helping the struggling farmers of NSW by people of the Central Coast & Ladies of the Land NSW - a page dedicated to the Ladies of the land who during the drought often put themselves last.

This Christmas GTC is asking for donations of hampers and gift bags to be delivered to the struggling families living out in Tenterfield - a regional town 3hrs out from the closest major cities Brisbane (276km) and Byron Bay (205kms). Donations can include;

- Non-perishable food; chips, biscuits, cereals, lollies and snacks
- Personal care items; soaps, toothbrushes/ toothpaste, clothing
- Gift cards and vouchers for online shopping (fuel, target, big W,)
- Dog/ pet foods and treats - as most families would have working/ family dogs/ animals

Anything that will assist these farmers and families battling these horrific conditions and help spread some joy over the Christmas period.

Todd Woodbridge Cup Regional Finals

On Friday 1st November Gosford Tennis played host to the 2019 Todd Woodbridge Cup Regional playoffs. This event brought an abundance of primary schools (Umina Public, Wyoming Public, Narara, Terrigal, Copacabana and Central Coast Sports Collage just to name a few) students in Years 3 & 4 together to compete against each other for a spot at the State finals.



With the sun shining and kids smiling we couldn't have asked for a better day for tennis! We would like to congratulate all the schools and teams who completed on the day and extend that to the Regional Winners Copacabana Primary School and finalists Terrigal Public School on their incredible success and dedication on the day!

Well done to all who completed and best wishes to Copacabana and Terrigal at the state finals!

Players Results

This month we congratulate Liam O'Neil and Jayden Shipley, who dominated their competition at the NSW State Championships. The boys battled it out for the top prize in the 16/U Boys Singles Final with Liam claiming victory in a nail biting 6 - 4 7 - 5 finals win over Jayden. The boys then teamed up for the Doubles final and breezed through with a 6 - 1 7 - 6 win!

We also congratulate Oliver Worrad who won the 16/U Boys Consolation Singles event. Congratulations to everyone on your performance and efforts over the weekend! We are all very proud of what you have achieved!



What's Happening this Month at GTC

Please note; due to low entries, the ANZ Corporate Cup and \$10'000 Doubles Classic Events have been rescheduled to next year (2020)

76th Club Championships - Our prestigious Gosford Tennis Club Championships event is fast approaching with events for all ages to participate, prizes for winners. This is momentous event provides all club members the opportunity to compete against some of our star players (both Junior and Senior) and claim a piece of our club's incredible history.

- **Open Events;** Saturday 30th Nov, Sunday 1st Dec and Saturday 7th Dec 2019 (some events will be played on the second weekend TBA)
- **Age Events:** Saturday 7th Dec & 8th Dec, play commences 10.30am

For more information regarding play commencement and event costs please see the entry form attached or contact the club (4325 2921)

Super Series

The Central Coast Super Series is now a UTR (Universal Tennis Ranking) registered event. UTR is a system that rates all players based on a 16-point scale regardless of age, gender or location. It is the only ranking system which reflects your skill level and performance. A UTR score is essential for those looking players looking to travel overseas or apply for US college scholarship positions.

When: Saturday 16th November 2019

Time: 1pm - 4.30pm

Where: Gosford Tennis Club

Format: Dependent on the week and altering between Singles and Doubles - to be announced each week

Anyone interested in joining this comp please contact Gosford Tennis Club and have your entry in by 6pm on Friday night! Contact: info@gosfordtennisclub.com.au or 4325 2921

Upcoming Events

Gosford Gold JT (Junior Tournament)

Saturday 28th December - Tuesday 31st December 2019

Online entry closes on Friday 20th December 2019 at 11.59pm

Gosford 2020 Bronze AMT & Silver JT Tournament

Saturday 25th January - Tuesday 28th January 2020

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We look forward to seeing you on Court!

Gosford Tennis Club Staff, Coaches and Volunteers