



News



IMPORTANT DATES 2026

Club Championships

Draw matches throughout May

PLEASE NOTE ALL MATCHES TAKE PREFERENCE OVER SOCIAL TENNIS

Sunday 24 May

Working Bee – 9am onwards

Sunday 31 May

Club Championship Finals

Friday 31 July

Last day to pay Annual Membership

Sunday 13 September

100+ Tournament

Sunday 15 November

Club AGM

Sunday 13 December

Christmas Drinks

Follow us on social media

[Instagram@AlbertParkTennisClub](https://www.instagram.com/AlbertParkTennisClub)

Keep informed with latest news, announcements and alerts.

Easter Tennis Clinic and Junior Competition

We had a wonderful turn out for the Easter School Holiday Tennis Clinic with Club Coach Nicole, assisted by Nigel and Jock Hogg. The week culminated with a junior competition round robin and finals.

Congratulations to our Junior Competition winners:

9 & Under Boys Winner: Thomas Calello

9 & Under Girls Winner: Audrey Ingram

10 & Over Boys Winner: Lloyd Wright.

10 & Over Girls Winner: Lauren Devitt

Advanced Boys Winner: Andrew Ferizis

Advanced Girls Winner: Tiffany Webb



Our recent 100+ competition, held on a very warm March Sunday was again a great success.

From L-R: Paul Leitinger and Helen Kelsall won the day; runners up were Michael Fisher and Josie Roxburgh.





Thank you Bruce and Rebecca

Thank you to both Bruce and for their years of service to the APLTC committee. Your dedication and contributions to the committee were greatly appreciated.

Bruce was instrumental in getting the Park Towers program off the ground, and his work in establishing our collaboration with the Team Sports for All program has truly strengthened our community ties. His efforts in introducing governance practices were deeply appreciated. It is a testament to the solid foundation he built that the committee is now focused on expanding and evolving those practices as we move forward.

Rebecca played a role in our club championships, where her commitment to encouraging female participation was evident. Seeing stronger enrolment numbers for the women’s events—both last year and again this year. Rebecca’s ability to connect with local mothers has strengthened our club community and made our junior families feel more welcome than ever.

Security Cameras

A number of unfortunate incidents at the tennis club over the last couple of years has prompted the committee to enhance our security with the installation of new cameras: one inside the club room and two covering the tennis courts.

These cameras can be accessed remotely by the committee, viewing at any time of the day. The footage remains available for one month as a record of any safety and security issues and is then removed to protect member privacy.



Member Opportunities

Member Protection Officer

The Club is committed to fostering a safe, inclusive and respectful environment for all members: we are seeking a club member to take on the role of Member Protection Information Officer (MPIO).

The MPIO should be independent of the Committee and act as the first point of contact for any enquiries, concerns, or complaints related to harassment, abuse, or inappropriate behaviour. They provide information, guidance, and moral support to individuals with concerns, ensuring that club policies and procedures are followed to resolve issues effectively.

For more information or if you would to take up this important role, please contact apltconline@gmail.com

@INSTAGRAM

We’re on the lookout for our very own social media broadcaster to manage our Instagram page.

If you’re keen to get involved, contact the club at apltconline@gmail.com

Sign the Visitor Book!

Please ensure **all visitors** are registered and signed in by a member - **Senior or Junior**. The visitor registration book is located just inside the clubhouse.

Even if no payment is required, ALL VISITORS MUST BE SIGNED IN

Parents of Junior Members without a membership of their own MUST SIGN IN AS A VISITOR.

Senior visitors must also remember to pay \$10 in the receptacle next to the visitor book or via PayID. Please state in the visitor book how you have made payment.



NOTE: Members found sharing their job with non-members will have their membership cancelled



Tennis attire and court bagging

As a courtesy to all members, please ensure that you dress appropriately when using the courts.

Playing shirtless is not acceptable or appropriate. Refrain from this as a courtesy to fellow members and the general public.

Appropriate footwear is a must to protect and preserve the surface of the courts. Tennis shoes should be non-marking and have a flat sole for best grip. Black soled shoes, boots and heels must not be worn on the tennis court as they can mark the surface.

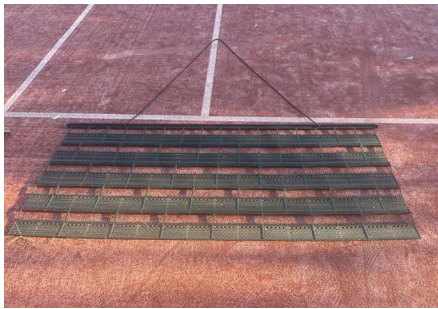
The club has invested a sizeable amount of funds upgrading the courts. While we have increased the frequency of maintenance with our surface

contractors, players must support the upkeep on a day-to-day basis. As members we need to ensure we do everything possible to maintain the integrity of the court surface. Our last court resurface lasted only 5 years: the expected lifespan should be 10 years!

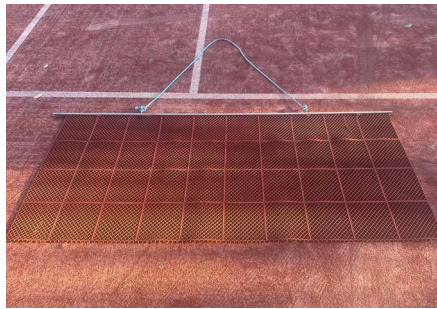
Courts are to be bagged upon the completion of each session of play. This is important to ensure the sand particles are distributed evenly around the court surface to prevent wear and tear in the more used areas of the court along the baselines and near the net.

DON'T ASSUME THE NEXT GROUP PLAYING WILL BAG THE COURT AFTER YOU!

Correct bagging of the tennis courts



Leaf litter collector: bag mat used for leaves and debris. **Use before play**



Medium and heavy mats: bag across entire court after play to gently distribute sand



Court availability

Coaching sessions, Men's and Women's Competitions, and Social Play times are listed on the club's online court availability calendar:

www.apltpc.com.au/court-availability



To avoid disappointment when planning to play, please check the calendar before coming to the courts.

The calendar is kept up to date and provides the most accurate information on court availability.

Regular club activities to get involved in:

Saturdays

From 8.00 am Junior Group Tennis Coaching with Nicole (\$6 per session. Membership not required.)

Sundays

From 9.00 am Social Mixed Doubles

Tuesdays

From 5.30 pm Men's Doubles (High standard)

Wednesdays

From 5.30 pm Social Mixed Doubles with BYO BBQ ingredients and drinks.

Thursdays

From 7.00 pm Casual Ladies Tennis (All skill levels) 4+ players to go ahead each week. Join the [WhatsApp group](#)

For more information visit:

www.apltpc.com.au/play-tennis

