



Nelson Bay Tennis Club Inc.

May Newsletter 2017

Family Fun Night

Our family fun night was a huge success. Both children and parents enjoyed the tennis games and working out the ball machine. With a lot of energy used up, the sausage sizzle and pizzas were quickly devoured. Blake was kept very busy entertaining the crowd.



State High School Challenge

On Tuesday 2nd May students from Tomaree HS and Merewether HS played a knockout game to gain a position in the Stan Jones Trophy. The boys certainly played some very fine tennis. The Nelson Bay players were Zac Watson, Harrison Watson, Harley Watson and Oliver Custer. They were defeated by the Merewether team, who have been winning finalists for the past 4 years. Nelson Bay Tennis Club will host both the girls and boys state high school championships in August 8th, 9th and 10th.



Karingal Preschool Visit

Blake and Rod had the time of their lives teaching tennis skills to the students of Karingal. Hopefully some may be new recruits for the Hotshots program.



Competitions

Monday Night: The first competition final was played 3rd April with a surprise result. Ian Leggatt's team, which finished 4th in the competition rounds, came out victors against Pat Crow's team. Congratulations to Ian Leggatt, Sam Franov, Brett Goodwin and Jarrod Courts. The new competition is currently in its 4th week.

Tuesday Night : A great night of tennis again at the final of the Tuesday Night Comp on May 23rd. The match was close all night and could have gone either way when the players started the last 2 sets. In the end Paul Endersby, Cheryl Tyas, Debbie Jones and Brent Merryfull just had the edge over Dave Creenaune, Debbie Black, Dave Wellings and Rachael Wallbank. It was a long night of tennis, hard fought with long rallies and close games - a credit to all players. The final was well attended by players and supporters who enjoyed the tennis and BBQ. The next Comp starts on 30th May and any players interested in playing or being placed on the reserves list should contact Blake without delay. – Mike Fisher

Thursday ladies: The current competition is at the halfway mark.



Megan did a fine job replacing her husband on the bbq at the Tuesday night finals.



Tuesday Coaching Class

If you ever feel the need to refine your tennis skills then come along to Blake's Tuesday morning mixed coaching class. These ladies were happy to learn a few new techniques to improve their game. The class is 9am to 10.30am . The cost is \$15



NBTC July Holiday Tennis Camp



Wk 1: Tuesday 4th , Wednesday 5th and Thursday 6th

Wk 2: Tuesday 11th , Wednesday 12th and Thursday 13th

Full day 9-2pm \$ 40 (lunch included) family discount will apply

Children need to bring their own morning tea and
drink bottle.

Contact Coach Blake 0403634667



Find me a tennis player
new recruits so feel free to join in at any day.

Saturday morning social needs

And may we all stay very happy with tennis.

