



## **ANNUAL REPORT 2010/2011**

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### **MATCH and PERMIT COMMITTEE**

**Robert McDonald (Chairman), Toni Cudmore, Sue Malins, Ian Openshaw,  
Cathryn Ryan, Lynne Seddon and Mara Cassar**

## **President's Report 2010/2011**

Again, it is my privilege to be able report that our Association is still able to continue to provide our member clubs and their communities with a healthy and viable sporting competition.

We are in the lucky position of being able to record a growing participation rate in our sport, where other associations and sports are struggling to maintain numbers. The Northern Suburbs region has always had a strong level of participation in tennis and we hope that this continues well in to the future, in all forms of the game.

Our ongoing challenge is the recruitment and development of people and resources to keep the competitions running smoothly and in a timely fashion. While I understand how difficult it is to attract volunteers into our various committees and club activities in today's environment, we will not survive for much longer unless we can achieve a reasonable level of renewal through new volunteers and ideas. We need new people in the running of our activities.

On behalf of all member clubs I would like to thank Committee members: Toni Cudmore, our Honorary Secretary; Sue Malins, our Assistant Secretary; Robert McDonald, Chairman of Match and Permit; Graham Sandman, our Treasurer; Maria Keys, our Vice President; and the members of the Match and Permit Committee: Ian Openshaw, Cathryn Ryan, Mara Cassar and Lynne Seddon for their time and effort in managing the affairs of the Association.

While the Committee Members perform the important tasks in organising the competitions, it is the Competition Co-ordinators who process the match result cards. Countless hours of exacting work, on behalf of the players, clubs and the Association, have been spent by Mara Cassar, Cathy Ryan Roberta Paddle, Ian Openshaw, Toni Cudmore and of course Sue Malins. Their continued dedication is one of the main reasons we have a strong competition. Their contribution is priceless.

Robert McDonald and Sue Malins spend many hours on the web site maintaining the level of information that our member clubs and their players demand. We have come a long way from the old paper ladder every couple of months in very short time to where we are today.

The Association is grateful to Gabriel Pelly of Pellysoft, for his continued support to our IT systems.

Daryl Jenkins should also be thanked for his services as the Association's Auditor over a number of years. A service that he has provided free of charge. Unfortunately, as a result of changes to the public liability insurance requirements now placed our auditor, he can no longer provide that service for us. Thanks sincerely for your support.

Thanks also to Cathryn Ryan and Ian Openshaw who have again been busy with the light meter and will continue to be seen around the clubs checking light.

I look forward to seeing each of you at the meetings and functions during the coming year.

**Peter Olney**

**President**



## **Match and Permit Committee Report 2010/11**

This year was my second as Chairman of the Match and Permit Committee, and saw a number of changes successfully implemented by the Association and its member Clubs.

The most significant reform was the introduction of an online results system for NSNTA matches. This major change has greatly improved the efficiency of the management of the competition by speeding up the time frame in which results are received by Grade Coordinators, and allowing ladders to be updated faster. The online system has also been embraced by players who can now view detailed match results online. It was very pleasing to see how quickly and smoothly Clubs and players transitioned to the new system, and my thanks go to all the Club Delegates who assisted in ensuring teams were aware of and able to use the online system.

Following a trial of online results in tandem with hard copy posted results in Spring 2010, Autumn 2011 was the first season for results to be sent to the Grade Coordinators entirely online. This was complemented by the replacement of match results cards with carbonated match result books. This innovation has again greatly improved the coordination of the competition, with both captains retaining a copy of every match result, making the chasing up of missing match results much easier. My thanks go to Sue Malins for her great efforts developing the match results books.

The Match and Permit Committee is continuing to look at further ways to improve the running of the competition and further work on the website is being planned. It is hoped an improved online results system will allow ladders to be updated automatically, making less work for Grade Coordinators. However, this is complicated by the high number of emergencies that play each week, and further work is being undertaken to ensure that the system allows Coordinators to easily monitor emergency players and record accurate player histories.

Another recent change was the adoption of a uniform 200 lux lighting standard for all courts within the competition. This change ensures that all players can be confident of appropriate lighting levels at all venues across the competition. The Association has continued to regularly check the lighting levels at all courts used within the competition and thanks go to Cathryn Ryan and Ian Openshaw for devoting their time to this important task. Currently only 16 out of 244 courts (7%) are below 200 lux, with only three below 180 lux. It is hoped that by the start of 2012 when the new policy takes full effect, all Clubs will meet this new standard, greatly improving the quality of lighting for all players.

Whilst these significant changes have been taking place, the three competitions themselves continue to remain in a very healthy position. Following a number of years of significant growth, the number of teams and grades in the competition has recently stabilised. The Men's competition continues to be the largest with 29 grades and 230 teams registered to play this Spring, meaning almost all the courts within the Association are full on a Thursday night. The Ladies continues to have 19 grades with 148 teams in Spring 2011 season. The Mixed remains steady at 18 grades with 139 teams participating in Spring 2011.

Finally, I would like to thank all the Club Delegates who have made my job easier by ensuring team entries are submitted on time, queries are followed up quickly and teams are well organised. I would also like to thank the following Grade Coordinators and tireless workers of the Match and Permit Committee: Mara Cassar, Toni Cudmore, Sue Malins, Ian Openshaw, Roberta Paddle and Cathryn Ryan as well as the members of the Association's Executive: Peter Olney, Maria Keys and Graham Sandman.

**Robert McDonald**  
**Chairman, Match and Permit Committee**

**N.S.N.T.A Inc Treasurers Report**  
**Income and Expenditure Statement for the year ended 30 June 2010**

<u>Income</u>	2010/2011	2009/2010
Annual Affiliation Fees	\$ 1,020.00	\$ 1,040.00
Club Autumn Defaults	\$ 1,515.00	\$ 1,305.00
Club Autumn Fines	\$ 3,075.00	\$ 2,620.00
Club Autumn Late Phone	\$ 70.00	\$ 90.00
Club Autumn Team Entries	\$ 13,050.00	\$ 13,150.00
Club Autumn Team Sheet Fines	\$ 185.00	\$ 190.00
Club Autumn Withdrawals	\$ 120.00	\$ -
Club Spring Defaults	\$ 1,965.00	\$ 1,620.00
Club Spring Fines	\$ 1,355.00	\$ 1,450.00
Club Spring Late Phone	\$ -	\$ 50.00
Club Spring Team Entries	\$ 12,875.00	\$ 13,000.00
Club Spring Team Sheet Fines	\$ 15.00	\$ 25.00
Club Spring Withdrawals	\$ 80.00	\$ 80.00
Clubs Non Attendance Meetings	\$ 310.00	\$ 265.00
Extra Glasses & Pennants Names	\$ 679.00	\$ 784.00
Interest Received	\$ 679.57	\$ 502.09
Sundry		\$ -
Total Income	\$ 36,993.57	\$ 36,171.09
 <u>Expenses</u>		
Affiliation Fee - TennisVic	\$ 220.00	\$ 220.00
AGM Meeting	\$ 130.75	\$ 331.44
Bank Charges	\$ -	\$ -
Clubroom Hire	\$ 240.00	\$ 240.00
Computer Maintenance	\$ 639.54	\$ 3,004.60
Consumer Affairs	\$ 41.80	\$ 40.90
Donations	\$ 80.00	\$ 60.00
Grading Night	\$ 193.00	\$ 314.00
Honorarium - M & P Committee	\$ 2,880.00	\$ 2,890.00
Honorarium - Management	\$ 2,275.00	\$ 1,700.00
Laptop/Printers Purchase	\$ 2,200.00	\$ 3,158.00
Light Meter Purchase/Maintenance		\$ 335.50
Lights - Autumn Finals	\$ 3,960.00	\$ 3,900.00
Lights - Spring Finals	\$ 2,925.00	\$ 2,970.00
Miscellaneous		\$ 60.50
Mobile Phone & Credits	\$ 1,137.00	\$ -
Premiership Glasses	\$ 4,019.20	\$ 3,952.40
Premiership Pennants	\$ 3,197.64	\$ 3,421.00
Stationery	\$ 203.64	\$ 406.33
Team Cards & Postages	\$ 8,148.49	\$ 5,412.15
Team Fixtures	\$ 2,407.48	\$ 2,999.80
Travel Allowance for Light Readings	\$ 931.07	\$ 270.84
Total Expenses	\$ 35,829.61	\$ 35,687.46
 <u>Income less Expenses</u>	\$ 1,163.96	\$ 483.63



# N.S.N.T.A inc Treasurers Report


## Balance Sheet as at 30 June 2010

30/06/2010	<u>FUNDS</u>	30/06/2010
\$ 6,464.02	Accumulated Total Funds from Previous Year	\$ 6,947.65
\$ 483.63	Add Surplus for the year	\$ 1,163.96
\$ -	Less Loss for the year	\$ -
<u>\$ 6,947.65</u>	<b>TOTAL FUNDS</b>	<u>\$ 8,111.61</u>

### REPRESENTED BY :

\$ -	Bendigo Bank Cheque Account	\$ -
\$ 7,396.10	NAB Cheque Account	\$ 880.49
\$ 11,001.55	NAB Investment Account	\$ 12,681.12
\$ 18,397.65	Cash at Bank	\$ 13,561.61
\$ 3,900.00	Unpaid Finals Lighting	\$ 3,900.00
\$ 1,550.00	Unpaid Honorarium	\$ 1,550.00
\$ 3,000.00	Unpaid Premiership Glasses	\$ -
\$ 11,450.00	Unpaid Premiership Pennants	\$ -
<u>\$ 6,947.65</u>		<u>\$ 5,450.00</u>
		<u>\$ 8,111.61</u>

  
 Mr Graham Sandman  
 Honorary Treasurer  
 2/7/11

  
 Mr Daryl Jenkins  
 Auditor  
 15 JUL 2011

## Winning Clubs Spring 2010

### Ladies Competition

A Grade	Essendon Black
A Reserve 1	Sunbury
A Reserve 2	Royal Park
B Special 1	Corpus Christi
B Special 2	St Vincents
B Grade 1	Essendon
B Grade 2	Greenvale
B Reserve 1	Taylors Lakes Black
B Reserve 2	Doutta Galla
C Special 1	Moomba Park
C Special 2	Craigieburn
C Special 3	Greenvale
C Grade 1	Glencairn
C Grade 2	Sydenham
C Grade 3	North Sunshine
C Reserve 1	Strathmore
C Reserve 2	East Coburg
C Reserve 3	West Brunswick
D Special	Essendon

### Mixed Competition

A Grade	Essendon Gold
A Reserve	Buckley Park
B Special 1	P.E.G.S.
B Special 2	Royal Park
B Grade 1	St Vincents
B Grade 2	Merlynston
B Grade 3	Green Gully
B Reserve 1	Moomba Park
B Reserve 2	Bulla Village
C Special 1	Avondale Heights
C Special 2	Merlynston
C Grade 1	St Thereses Black
C Grade 2	Mickleham Memorial
C Grade 3	Moomba Park
C Reserve 1	Maribyrnong Park
C Reserve 2	Tullamarine
D Special	Keilor

### Men's Competition

A Grade	Essendon
A Reserve 1	Delahey
A Reserve 2	Maribyrnong Park
B Special 1	Avondale Heights
B Special 2	Green Gully
B Special 3	Keilor
B Special 4	Taylors Lakes
B Grade 1	Doutta Galla
B Grade 2	St Peters
B Grade 3	St Peters
B Grade 4	Airport West
B Grade 5	Gladstone Park
B Reserve 1	Merlynston
B Reserve 2	Merlynston
B Reserve 3	Hillside
B Reserve 4	St John Bosco
C Special 1	Diggers Rest
C Special 2	Caroline Springs
C Special 3	North Sunshine
C Special 4	Hillside
C Grade 1	Merlynston
C Grade 2	Moomba Park
C Grade 3	Doutta Galla
C Reserve 1	Hillside
C Reserve 2	Maribyrnong Park
C Reserve 3	Craigieburn
C Reserve 4	Hillside
D Special	Keilor Park

## Winning Clubs Autumn 2011

### Ladies Competition Autumn 2011

A Grade	Essendon Red
A Reserve 1	St Vincents
A Reserve 2	Sunbury
B Special 1	O.L.N.
B Special 2	Tullamarine
B Grade 1	Royal Park
B Grade 2	Keilor
B Reserve 1	Strathmore
B Reserve 2	Moomba Park
C Special 1	Strathmore
C Special 2	Buckley Park
C Special 3	Essendon
C Grade 1	Sydenham
C Grade 2	Strathmore
C Grade 3	Essendon
C Reserve 1	Diggers Rest
C Reserve 2	West Brunswick
C Reserve 3	Coburg
D Special	Hadfield

### Mixed Competition Autumn 2011

A Grade	Essendon Gold
A Reserve	Strathmore
A Reserve 2	Sunbury
B Special 1	Essendon
B Special 2	Westmeadows
B Grade 1	Taylors Lakes
B Grade 2	Green Gully
B Grade 3	Strathmore
B Reserve 1	Sunbury
B Reserve 2	Merlynston
C Special 1	Westmeadows
C Special 2	West Brunswick
C Grade 1	Mt Carmel
C Grade 2	Keilor
C Grade 3	St Thereses
C Reserve 1	Sydenham
C Reserve 2	Maribyrnong Park
D Special	West Brunswick Red

### Mens Competition Autumn 2011

A Grade	Essendon
A Reserve 1	Strathmore
A Reserve 2	Deer Park
B Special 1	Buckley Park
B Special 2	St Vincents
B Special 3	St. Peters
B Special 4	Royal Park
B Grade 1	Coburg
B Grade 2	Fawkner
B Grade 3	Strathmore
B Grade 4	Sunbury
B Grade 5	Hillside
B Reserve 1	Craigieburn
B Reserve 2	Royal Park
B Reserve 3	West Brunswick
B Reserve 4	Sydenham
C Special 1	Caroline Springs
C Special 2	West Brunswick
C Special 3	Doutta Galla
C Special 4	Deer Park
C Grade 1	Essendon
C Grade 2	Hillside
C Grade 3	Keilor East
C Grade 4	East Coburg
C Reserve 1	Taylors Lakes
C Reserve 2	St Vincents
C Reserve 3	Princes Hill
C Reserve 4	Moomba Park
D Special	Essendon