



THE HAWKEYE

Newsletter of the Hawthorn Tennis Club

Committee

At the recent AGM, Robert Payne retired as President of our Club having served with devotion for 24 years. Thankfully Robert is remaining on the Committee. The office holders for 2013 are -

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| President: | David Sartori |
| Vice Presidents: | Sue Chambers and Peter Robinson |
| Secretary: | Neil Pearce |
| Treasurer: | David Neyland |
| Social Secretary: | Janet Wainwright |
| Mid-week Rep: | Wilma Anderson |
| General Committee: | Elaine Cooper, Nadine Maloney, Cath Mukhtar Robert Payne, Peter Scott and Andrew Simpson |

Volunteers for Sub-Committees

The Committee welcomes any member who might like to be involved on one of its sub-committees. If you are interested in helping the

- Works and Maintenance sub-committee please contact Peter Robinson on 0404 985 714
- Social sub-committee please contact Janet Wainwright on 0404 644 982

Court Care

We are fortunate to have quality courts. But we need to look after them! It is essential that our courts be watered before and after each set, especially during the drier months. Ensure you water right up to the fence line. Please don't forget that courts must always be bagged and watered after the finish of play.

Shoes

The courts will be damaged if players do not wear correct tennis shoes. A tennis shoe must be flat with a herringbone sole pattern. Cross trainers, running and gym shoes **must not be worn** because their raised heel and sole patterns damage the surface. Further information can be found on the Club's website (<http://www.tennis.com.au/hawthorntcinc/tennis-shoes-and-court-care>).

Working Bees

In 2013 the Club will conduct some working bees. "Many hands make light work". Your help would be greatly appreciated even for a small amount of time. Dates will be advised.

Coaching

Our head coach, Kelly Bisinella, offers group coaching, squad coaching and private coaching for players of all standards. The occasional lesson can really sharpen up your game. Kelly can be contacted on:

T: 0414 874 482.

E: str8.sets@bigpond.com

Social Events

Saturday 1 December "Skyfall" at Palace Cinema, Balwyn followed by pizza at the Club
Ticket bookings can be made with Janet (E: kuching31@hotmail.com)

Sunday 9 December Christmas Party BBQ catering for all members young and old.
Social tennis from 2:30pm with a special visitor arriving around 6pm.

Donations for the Christmas hampers would be appreciated and may be left at the Club.