



TENNIS QUEENSLAND

ANNUAL REPORT 2015-2016





2014 - 2017 STRATEGIC PLAN OVERVIEW

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VISION

Make tennis a part of life for every Queenslander

AT OUR CORE

Service our affiliates and grow participation

COMMUNITY - MAKE TENNIS THE MOST ENGAGING AND INCLUSIVE SPORTING COMMUNITY IN QLD

STRATEGIC OBJECTIVES

- Offer engaging tennis programs for Queenslanders
- Provide relevant and quality local competitions for all players
- Connect people to tennis by providing an informative and enjoyable online experience

IMMEDIATE PRIORITIES

- Reinvigorating clubs through healthy competitions
- Generate new partnership revenue for TQ

FACILITIES - MORE WELCOMING AND SUSTAINABLE PLACES TO PLAY

STRATEGIC OBJECTIVES

- Promote a variety of sustainable operating models
- Target areas for facility growth and consolidation
- Identify and build five priority projects based on need
- Develop better relationships with all levels of government

IMMEDIATE PRIORITIES

- Quality engagement with local councils and state government
- Regional club sustainability program
- Regional Tennis Centres - sustainability
- Develop feasibility plan for building new facilities in south east Queensland

CHAMPIONS - FOSTER AND CELEBRATE MORE CHAMPIONS* FOR TENNIS THAN EVER BEFORE

* A champion is someone who is passionate about our game!

STRATEGIC OBJECTIVES

- Support all administrators, volunteers and RAs by providing best practice models and transparent governance
- Offer high quality competition and training environments that are safe, demonstrate integrity and are available for all Queenslanders
- Promote past success whilst striving to provide world class training environments
- Reward fans with the best possible experience and encourage their participation in tennis

IMMEDIATE PRIORITIES

- Tightening governance at Regional Assemblies and affiliated clubs
- Promote FAST4 participation to Brisbane International fans

QUEENSLAND: BY THE NUMBERS

PARTICIPATION



42K

NO. OF REGISTERED PLAYERS IN QUEENSLAND DURING 2015



\$14.8M

AMOUNT INVESTED IN IMPROVING & BUILDING LOCAL TENNIS COURTS



245

CLUBS/CENTRES/ASSOC. AFFILIATED WITH TENNIS QUEENSLAND



226

NO. OF NEW & UPGRADED TENNIS COURTS BUILT IN 2014-15



33K

ANZ TENNIS HOT SHOTS & FITBIT CARDIO TENNIS PARTICIPANTS



226

SCHOOLS IN THE NATIONAL SCHOOLS PARTNERSHIP PROGRAM

TOURNAMENTS

7,014

PLAYERS REGISTERED TO PLAY IN TENNIS COMPETITIONS



222

SANCTIONED TOURNAMENTS WERE OFFERED FOR ASPIRING ATHLETES



19

QUEENSLAND PLAYERS RECEIVED SCHOLARSHIPS TO DEVELOP THEIR GAME



12

PLAYERS RANKED INSIDE THE TOP 500 OF THE ATP/WTA



209K

QUEENSLAND TOURNAMENT PRIZE MONEY FOR LEADING ATHLETES

PLAYERS

9

QUEENSLAND PLAYERS REACHED TOP 10 AUSTRALIAN RANKINGS WITHIN 2014-15



#1 AUSTRALIAN MALE
BERNARD TOMIC

#1 AUSTRALIAN FEMALE
SAM STOSUR

COACHES



62

TEACHERS BECAME TENNIS AMBASSADORS



553

NO. OF COACH MEMBERS DELIVERING TENNIS

FANS



97K

SPECTATORS ATTENDED BRISBANE INTERNATIONAL 2015



48K

FANS OF THE SPORT ENGAGED AT LOCAL TENNIS EVENTS & ACTIVATIONS

DIGITAL ACTIVATIONS



USERS VISITED TENNIS QUEENSLAND'S WEBSITE

46K+

'DOWN THE LINE' ENEWSLETTER SUBSCRIBERS



2,971

FOLLOWERS CONNECTED TO QUEENSLAND TENNIS VIA SOCIAL MEDIA



21K

NO. OF VIEWS ON TENNIS QUEENSLAND YOUTUBE CHANNEL



PRESIDENTS REPORT

On behalf of the Board of Tennis Queensland, it gives me great pleasure to present the President's Report for 2015-16.

A DEDICATED TEAM

Tennis Qld has recorded a tremendous year of growth with our registered players and ANZ Tennis Hot Shots participants passing 70,000 for the first time. Much of this can be attributed to the dedicated and hardworking Tennis Queensland (TQ) team under the leadership of our Chief Executive Officer (CEO), Cameron Pearson.

The TQ board is very proud of our progress towards achieving our strategic objectives. I would like to take this opportunity to pay tribute to our board members who have volunteered their time throughout the year to assist and guide our organisation. At our Annual General Meeting in October the board welcomed Nadeena Whitby and Warwick Nicol as Directors and said farewell to Doug Kingston who retired in accordance with the constitution after six years of service. On behalf of the board I would like to sincerely thank Doug for the valuable contribution he has made to tennis in our State both as a board director and tennis administrator.

I would also like to acknowledge the assistance from Tennis Australia, in particular Tennis Australia President Mr Steve Healy, Vice President Mr Chris Freeman and CEO Mr Craig Tiley. They work tirelessly at the highest level of our sport and have recently made significant

changes that benefit Queensland through the Australian Open Series, player development and various participation initiatives.

Cameron Pearson has held the dual role of TQ CEO and Brisbane International Tournament Director since 2010. In July, Cameron was offered and accepted an executive position with Tennis Australia. Unfortunately, Cameron's tenure as our CEO has come to an end and we wish him all the best for his new position. Mr Geoff Quinlan has been appointed by the TQ board as Cameron's replacement and will be commencing with us in September.

Cameron has made a permanent impression on the tennis landscape in our state. He has been involved in many projects and programs over the years from affiliation reform, the Brisbane International, Regional Tennis Facilities, 2011 Flood Fight-Back program and a host of participation initiatives such as FAST4, Cardio Tennis, ANZ Tennis Hot Shots Leagues and Asia-Pacific Tennis Leagues to name just a few. He has made many friends across our vast state and we thank him for everything he has achieved.

OUR PERFORMANCE

Financially, TQ has performed well with a surplus of \$273,491 and reserves of \$4,251,392 at balance date. We are in a very sound financial position and we continue to take a conservative financial position as we balance the immediate

priorities of the organisation against the future needs and requirements of the sport. I thank Cameron and his team for working within tight budgetary constraints, and delivering a high quality professional service to our stakeholders.

GRASSROOTS TENNIS

Our tennis community is comprised of many people who make a huge contribution to the sport. Volunteers from affiliated clubs right across the State work tirelessly to ensure their facilities are operated, maintained and open for the public to use. Over the coming year, new and exciting technologies will be available to clubs to assist with managing their court bookings and facility access. TQ will be looking to invest our resources heavily in this space to ensure these opportunities are available to all of our affiliates.

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Financial viability and sustainability of our affiliates is a prime focus for Tennis Queensland. Our strategy to assist clubs to build regular participation and engagement in their local community is working. Over the 2015-16 year, TQ developed and launched “Project 80” using funding acquired through Tennis Australia's TennisConnect initiative. The project aims to assist clubs to retain existing players and attract new members with a three-year goal to reach 80,000 connected players in Queensland.

MAJOR EVENTS

In April of this year Brisbane hosted the Fed Cup tie between Australia and the United States of America. Whilst the tie result wasn't what Australia had hoped for, the exposure for our sport and city was outstanding. TQ used the opportunity to promote our strategic priorities to government, engage the local community and increase the profile of tennis at local schools with player visits and other promotional opportunities.

A highlight of the weekend was the “Future Leaders Breakfast” which saw approximately 70 junior female tennis players enjoy an inspiring Q&A session with leading female sporting identities. I take this opportunity to thank Natalie Cook, Susie O'Neill, Samantha Squiers and Kimberly Birrell for graciously donating their time.

Brisbane International presented by Suncorp continued the success from previous years and saw the return of Roger Federer for his third year in Brisbane. With nearly 100,000 fans in attendance and a worldwide television audience, the tournament continues to provide high exposure to our sport and city. We thank the State Government and Brisbane City Council for their support of this event. TQ continues to work closely with the Brisbane International team to incorporate activities involving our registered players and affiliates; for example the Queensland Money Race Finals, Brisbane International Schools Challenge, Qld Coaches Forum, NSPP Teachers' Workshop, Clubs Master Class and the President's Morning Tea.

During the Brisbane International we welcomed Mal Anderson as a “Great of Queensland Tennis”. He joins distinguished company with Rod Laver, Roy Emerson and Ashley Cooper already members. In addition, the open space parkland at the former Milton Tennis site was named “Wendy Turnbull Green” to honour the achievements of Wendy and celebrate her contribution to womens' tennis.

PLAYER HIGHLIGHTS

From a performance perspective, Samantha Stosur and Bernard Tomic finished as Queensland's highest ranked WTA/ATP players respectively, with both

players securing a singles title on the world stage. Closer to home, we saw eight of our top juniors compete in the Australian Open Junior Championships, with Oliver Anderson winning the Singles title and Blake Ellis coming away with victory in the Doubles final. Finally, the Tennis Brisbane Chargers prevailed in the Asia-Pacific Tennis League finals in Melbourne, defending the title they won in January 2015.

THE ROAD AHEAD

In the coming year TQ will be developing a new strategic plan covering the period through to 2020. We are developing this plan with feedback from all stakeholders across our state to ensure our organisation best meets the needs of our sport moving forward.

I sincerely thank everyone associated with tennis in Queensland and look forward to continually giving my utmost to improve our sport in this great state.

MARK BLOOMFIELD
PRESIDENT



CEO REPORT

I am pleased to present my report for the 2015-16 financial year – my final one as CEO of Tennis Queensland.

COMMUNITY

The year was another successful one for Tennis Queensland both on and off the court. From a financial perspective the surplus of \$273,491 was another better than budget result that has pushed member equity above \$4m. This satisfying result and strong financial position will now allow the Board to re-establish Tennis Queensland's future financial direction and consider strategic tennis investment decisions.

OUR COMMUNITY

It has given me great pleasure to see the growth in participants across Queensland, and as we move into the final year of the current strategic plan there are more people taking up tennis than ever.

Registered player numbers through clubs have ticked over 42,000 for the first time, and we are on our way to contributing the Queensland share of the national target of one million players with over 33,000 ANZ Tennis Hot Shots and Fitbit Cardio Tennis players. This is a significant milestone for participation, coming off the back of innovative new programs and approaches.

PLACES TO PLAY

Whilst we have had steady court growth across the state, total court numbers in south east Queensland are still alarmingly low and well behind standard industry levels. This has been and should continue to be our number one priority, as poor access to facilities inhibits our ability to introduce new communities to tennis.

BRISBANE INTERNATIONAL PRESENTED BY SUNCORP

Our flagship event, the Brisbane International, continues to shine on a world stage and draw more fans than ever to the Queensland Tennis Centre. In 2017 we will see the strongest lineup of players to date – no mean feat when you look back at

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our field of competitors over the last eight years which has included a host of world No.1 players and Grand Slam Champions.

But perhaps what I’m proud of most when it comes to the Brisbane International is how the event has been embraced and owned by the community. The Queensland Tennis Centre is a hive of activity throughout the tournament, with on-court action stretching well beyond Pat Rafter Arena. Our best local players compete in the Schools Challenge, Money Race Finals and Queensland Wheelchair Open beside their Brisbane International heroes on the outside courts, whilst our newer players showcase ANZ Tennis Hot Shots and FAST4 Tennis in front of thousands on Pat Rafter Arena.

FUTURE DIRECTION

I would like to take this opportunity to welcome incoming CEO and Tournament Director, Geoff Quinlan to the role. Geoff brings a lifetime of involvement in tennis as a coach, administrator, club volunteer and tennis parent. He comes to us from Perth where he was most recently the Tennis West CEO and Hopman Cup General Manager.

Geoff has also led the national Coach Development team and held senior leadership roles in High Performance so

comes to Queensland very much ready to tackle the challenges that await.

A FINAL NOTE

In closing I would like to thank the entire TQ Board for their continued professional support and guidance. Led by President Mark Bloomfield, the Board volunteer many hours to serve Tennis Queensland and guide the direction of the sport in Queensland. The time and effort is enormous, and is greatly appreciated by the team.

As this is my final CEO report, I take this opportunity to acknowledge and thank all Board members who I have served under during my time in Queensland, particularly the Presidents – Mark Bloomfield, Peter Robertson and Ken Laffey. Mark, Peter and Ken all have a wealth of experience, and I thank them very much being such a strong and reassuring sounding board for me as CEO.

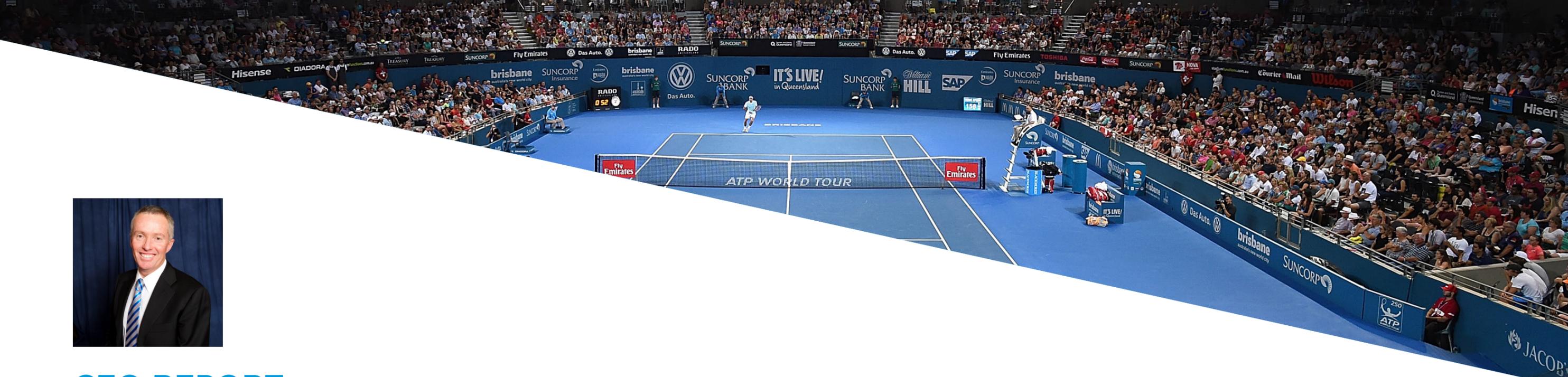
I look back with pride and with many fond memories of my time with Tennis Queensland. I’m extremely honoured to have led the Queensland team, and proud to have worked alongside so many passionate and enthusiastic people in the tennis community. I care deeply about the future success of tennis in Queensland, however I leave knowing it is in safe hands,

“I LEAVE KNOWING THE FUTURE OF TENNIS IN QUEENSLAND IS IN SAFE HANDS, GUIDED BY A STRONG BOARD, AN ENORMOUSLY TALENTED TEAM AND A STATE FULL OF HARD WORKING VOLUNTEERS WHO CONTINUE TO SERVE THEIR TENNIS COMMUNITY AND ENSURE OUR SPORT MAINTAINS ITS PLACE IN THE AUSTRALIAN SPORTING ENVIRONMENT.”

guided by a strong Board, an enormously talented team and a state full of hard working volunteers who continue to serve their tennis community and ensure our sport maintains its place in the Australian sporting environment.

It is an exciting time for Queensland with rapidly growing participation numbers, a number of innovative products and systems coming that will get more people playing and engaged, and a group of talented players starting to shine in the international arena. We can all look forward to the next period with great anticipation.

CAMERON PEARSON
CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER



CEO REPORT TENNIS AUSTRALIA

INNOVATE AND GROW

The innovative DNA that has long been infused into the organisation was realised in a very physical sense in the 2015-16 financial year.

The Book A Court initiative is just one example of our ongoing quest to innovate in all aspects of our business – not just for the sake of it, but also for increased depth and connection with players, fans, partners and broadcasters alike. Significant quality and efficiency improvements also arise from the focus and effort injected into these concepts.

There are many varied examples of our willingness to explore new and different ideas. They range from a strong focus on Hot Shots growth (particularly in schools and competitions), major new facilities, groundbreaking digital and broadcast content, commercial partnerships that add content value as well as financial benefit, and to a holistic approach to athlete wellbeing in player development. These are reaping dividends through tennis participation, revenue, quality of our content and elite athlete performance.

A special highlight has been the work that Tennis Queensland did to deliver the Fed Cup tie against the United States in April. It was a great two-day tennis spectacle, held on a magnificent clay court in Brisbane. More local events have been incorporated

into the Brisbane International to showcase the best of tennis from around the state and a new program has been introduced to support clubs with creating, running, promoting and sustaining competitions and leagues.

OUR SPORT

The ANZ Tennis Hot Shots program continues to provide the foundation for the successful growth of our sport. This entry program has become the envy of many, with much of its latest growth coming from an intensely focused effort in primary schools aimed at honing the program to provide maximum ease of implementation for teachers, parents and students alike – ensuring it has a relevance to their lifestyle, educational needs and skill set.

A recent International Tennis Federation survey on tennis participation in France, German, India, Japan, Poland, Sweden, UK, USA and Australia found we had the highest percentage of our population playing tennis with 2.1 million people playing once a year and 1.2 million playing 10 or more times. The stand out statistic was that 290,000 people started playing in the last 12 months – Hot Shots is clearly doing its job.

It is more evidence that we are on the right track and we have further increased our resources in this space to continue this upward surge with the aim of delivering

greater numbers of children from an initial Hot Shots experience into Hot Shots competitions and ongoing tennis experiences.

Nationally, an eight per cent increase in year-on-year Hot Shots numbers included 213,883 participants, that figure significantly boosted by the 1439 schools now delivering the program through a partnership with the Australian Sports Commission Sporting Schools Program. Additionally, 249 schools nationwide

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participated in a new School Play Program that was introduced to help support competition within schools.

This commitment to acquiring and retaining new participants in our sport was complemented by a coordinated effort across the nation involving many clubs, associations and Member Associations to improve the competitive and social tennis experience for current players – whether it be in reducing administration or piloting the new Book-a-Court initiative.

Book-a-Court pilot programs have been embraced in Queensland, with extremely positive feedback from players and administrators alike as well as growth in numbers and revenue. These pilots are being expanded. Improvements on the software are continually teased out based on real-time feedback from participants in the pilot programs.

FACILITIES GROWTH

Nationwide support for the construction and redevelopment of facilities included a funding commitment approaching \$2 million dollars in 2015-16. This contributed to a total stakeholder investment of \$34.4 million, allowing 327 new or resurfaced courts to be funded through the National Court Rebate. An additional 187 ANZ Tennis Hot Shots courts were also funded across the country.

OUR TEAM

The collective body of work completed by our dedicated team in the last 12 months has been nothing short of phenomenal. It is a credit to their professionalism and passion as we strive for constant improvement and reinvention.

Our work to improve Tennis Connect is continuing and has been supported by a new Project Management Office. This is one of the many actions being taken to improve the delivery, access to and tracking of our sport.

The co-operation between our tennis community and the commitment to keep putting our sport first has shone through. Players at all levels, coaches, volunteers, administrators, officials and fans continue to make tennis special in Australia. Thank you to all of you for your love of our sport and your efforts to keep making it so enjoyable and successful.

OUR FUTURE

Our future looks bright but not without its challenges.

Our great sport suffered some severe hits this year such as the allegations of widespread match-fixing made to coincide with start of our premier event, the Australian Open. Rest assured the

allegations were taken extremely seriously and any accusations were and will be followed up with intense rigour both domestically and internationally.

We always have and always will take the integrity of tennis seriously. That's why we are part of a global all-sport agreement to review integrity. As such we have made significant new investment in tennis integrity including our own Tennis Integrity Unit.

Financially we continue to build our reserves and plan to invest strongly in the protection of the Australian Open and intensify our investment in the sport with plans for greater funding to resource and deliver tennis across the nation.

We look forward to an exciting 12 months ahead.

CRAIG TILEY
TENNIS AUSTRALIA CEO

GROWING PARTICIPATION IN QUEENSLAND

ANZ TENNIS HOT SHOTS

The ANZ Tennis Hot Shots (ANZTHS) program introduces primary school aged children to tennis using modified rules and equipment tailored to their age and size. A staple in open days, primary schools and club activations across the state, ANZTHS is the first entry point into the sport for kids 12 and under.

Registrations for the program grew by nearly 15% in 2015-16, to exceed 43,000 Queensland players for the year.

An astounding 522 deliverers were registered to offer ANZTHS via coaching, Community Play and the federally funded Sporting Schools program (formerly NSPP). Through Sporting Schools, 270 Queensland primary schools have signed up to deliver ANZTHS to students as part of their curriculum.

HOT SHOTS LEAGUES

ANZ Tennis Hot Shots Leagues were launched during 2015-16, providing kids between 7 and 11 years a structured playing opportunity to put their skills into practice. Playing in teams and using FAST4 scoring, the league format

provides an engaging platform for young players to continue their development alongside teammates in a time-friendly match-play environment.

HOT SHOTS HIGHLIGHTS

- Ten clubs and 100 players participated in ANZTHS demonstrations on Pat Rafter Arena during Brisbane International 2016, presented by Suncorp
- ANZTHS featured at 54 "Free Tennis Days" hosted by affiliated tennis clubs
- Inaugural showing of an inter-club ANZTHS league at Logan Tennis City with teams from six clubs getting the opportunity to represent their local area, play against different players, and meet new challenges
- ANZTHS racquets hand delivered to prep students at St. Andrews Anglican College on the Sunshine Coast by John Fitzgerald former Australian Davis Cup Captain. Furthermore, racquets were also hand delivered to St. Thomas Moore Catholic Primary School on the Sunshine Coast by Josh Eagle, Australian Davis Cup Coach

FAST4 TENNIS

The concept of FAST4 Tennis has sparked great excitement and renewed energy around the sport in many communities across Queensland. Since its official launch in 2015 with international superstars including Rafael Nadal and Roger Federer, FAST4 format leagues have emerged around the state from grassroots social fixtures through to the Asia-Pacific Tennis League and everything in between.

FAST4 Tennis is the national leagues product, designed to be a fast and fun way to have a hit with friends. It focuses on building a social environment, with matches played to music and going for no more than 90 minutes, targeting adults looking for a fresh new way to play.

A pilot program of FAST4 Tennis was released for Queensland clubs in mid-October. Ten clubs were selected, ranging from four to 10 teams per pilot. Feedback overall from the deliverers and players was very positive. Players from the pilots became familiar with the rules and the format in the first two weeks. The newly introduced 'Power Play' was also received really well.

All feedback from the pilots were collated by Tennis Australia and adapted into the national launch in Term 1, 2016. The Queensland pilots will also be used as case studies for clubs across Queensland looking for new programs to run at their venue.

FITBIT CARDIO TENNIS

In January, the Cardio Tennis program received an energy boost with the fitness technology giant, Fitbit, announced as the naming rights sponsor. Throughout the year, nearly 1,500 players registered with Fitbit Cardio Tennis via one of the 132 registered deliverers across the state.

Thanks in part to the new partnership, players who register will receive the following benefits*:

- Access to a 25% discount code to purchase Fitbit products
- Access to Australian Open and AO Series ticket pre-sales
- Personal Accident Insurance

*Contact Tennis Queensland for full terms and information about these benefits.

IN FOCUS: SUPPORTING PARTICIPATION AT CLUBS THROUGH ORGANISED PLAY

Supporting tennis clubs in creating, delivering and reinvigorating organised playing opportunities has become a focus for Tennis Queensland (TQ) over the past year. Leagues and team competitions provide an excellent opportunity to attract, retain and develop tennis participants and due to this, they are vital to the sustainability of local clubs.

There are three elements within the support program that has been offered by TQ for affiliated tennis clubs (affiliates) during the year.

The first element is providing relevant products that can be tailored to suit a wide range of markets and communities. New products, ANZ Tennis Hot Shots Leagues and FAST4 Tennis have been developed with the modern consumer in mind. They have the flexibility to work in different environments, while still being recognisable under the popular Hot Shots and FAST4 brands.

These products are designed to tackle barriers of participation such as time constraints and the perceived difficulty of the sport to create a fun and social way to play.

The second element of support is training and education for league operators and volunteers. Since the release of these new league products, TQ has been working with local clubs to adapt these into their organised play offering. The Participation, Leagues and Marketing teams have been touring the state to meet with clubs one-on-one or in workshop environments and focus on their new leagues strategy. A new online resource hub has also been developed that affiliates can access to continue development beyond the on-the-ground training with TQ.

The third element which is key to the ongoing success of leagues is promotional support creating awareness amongst potential players. At Brisbane International 2016, TQ invested in a leagues campaign aimed at generating awareness of FAST4 format competitions, and where they can be played across Queensland. The campaign included an activation in Tennis Central where spectators could find out about FAST4, pick up a free pair of #FAST4 sunglasses and share photos of themselves in their new specs across social media. A FAST4 launch party was also held to further cement the brand amongst tennis fans. Finally, a competition rewarded four lucky FAST4 enthusiasts with courtside bean bag seats for a FAST4 exhibition match before the Brisbane International women's final was drawn.

TQ's support of organised play at clubs will continue into the future, with a three year strategy in place to create club sustainability through league participation.

ANZ TENNIS HOT SHOTS LEAGUES FOR KIDS



FITBIT ANNOUNCED AS CARDIO TENNIS SPONSOR



PAT CASH VISITS THE FAST4 ACTIVATION IN TENNIS CENTRAL



COACHES

Queensland's 553 registered Tennis Australia Coach Members continue to drive participation and performance across the state. During 2015-16 the following training courses were accessed by local coaches:

- Intro/National Schools Partnership Program (69)
- Junior Development Course (61)
- Club Professional Coaching Course (20)
- Other professional development (172)

DIGITAL ENGAGEMENT CONNECTING WITH PLAYERS & FANS

JOIN TENNIS

In a project to make it easier for fans and players to connect with the sport, Tennis Australia (TA) in conjunction with all Member Associations (MA's), began works to develop an online hub for 'everything Tennis'.

This hub will allow users to book courts, join local clubs, check their rating, sign up for tournaments, access pre-sales and ticket ballots, plus more through their 'tennis profile.'

The initial platform was released in early 2016, allowing users to create the basis of their profile, sign up to clubs and access benefits like priority ticket access to the Australian Open and Emirates Australian Open Series events. Other features will be released over the course of development.

MY TENNIS

My Tennis is a centralised online membership management and payment system used by affiliated tennis clubs. The system aims to minimise the workload of running a tennis club for time-poor volunteers.

Recent upgrades to the system, including the introduction of an online payment gateway and simplified communications tool, will help bring clubs into the digital age. It ensures they are more accessible to today's marketplace, and helps them to connect and engage easier with their players.

LEAGUE MANAGER & MATCH CENTRE

Queensland tennis clubs can now access a free and flexible system to administer their competitions (leagues). League Manager aims to reduce the administration burden of running a league and makes it easy for clubs to engage with players.

Match Centre, the consumer facing arm of the new system, is also available for players to log in and view their league results as well as draws, ladders and more.

Additional features that will further improve the experience for players and administrators will continue to be released, using feedback taken from users at the forefront of the technology.

WEBSITE

Tennis Queensland's newly designed website was launched in August following the success of the new look and feel of tennis.com.au. The new platform provides our digital audience with a simplified online experience that is user friendly, easy to navigate and optimized for mobile and tablet use.

SOCIAL MEDIA

Our social media channels give the Tennis team a chance to engage with tennis fans from across the state and showcase the best of tennis in Queensland and beyond as our best players take on the international circuit. Facebook is our key platform, with top posts reaching over 33,000 users and consistent growth each year. Our newest platform, Instagram, is also experiencing promising growth, with engagement and followers doubling over the past 12 months.

MARKETING CAMPAIGNS

MERRY CHRISTMAS FROM TENNIS QUEENSLAND

To celebrate the holiday season and generate excitement about the Summer of Tennis, TQ ran a Brisbane International

ticket giveaway on Facebook that gave tennis fans a chance to win a double pass to the event just in time for Christmas.

The campaign was a great success with over 27,000 people reached, Facebook followers grew by 11% during the campaign, and 15 fans won a Brisbane International experience to share with a friend.

As part of the giveaway, fans were asked to "join Tennis," connecting to the new digital platform being developed for tennis players and fans. A total 239 fans joined Tennis during the course of the campaign, which created a great boost to kick off the digital platform's engagement.

ROY EMERSON CROWDFUNDING PROJECT

To support the Blackbutt & District Tourism and Heritage Association, Tennis Queensland initiated a crowdfunding project to help raise funds towards building a commemorative sculpture of tennis legend Roy Emerson in his home town.

As part of our support, a media release was distributed and a Facebook campaign launched to generate awareness of the crowdfunding initiative and encourage more donations towards the project.

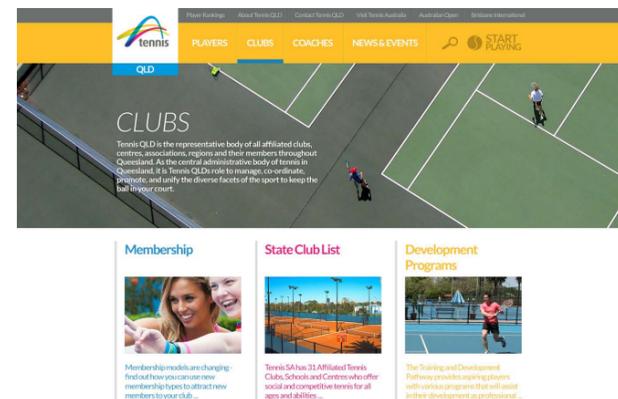
\$2,245 was raised through the crowdfunding project with an additional \$37,000 contributed by local council and communities.

MEDIA HIGHLIGHTS

Tennis was showcased throughout the year by our top players on the international stage. This creates excitement and generates interest in the sport locally, which ultimately leads to participation growth.

As well as the results of our leading players, other highlights that attracted media attention throughout the year included:

- The week of world-class action at Brisbane International presented by Suncorp, along with the player coverage and community stories that came about in conjunction with the event.
- Lara Walker selected to represent Australia at Longines Future Tennis Aces tournament in Paris during the 2016 French Open.
- Coverage by Channel 7 of Pat Rafter Arena on the 5 year anniversary of Queensland's major flood event.
- Queensland prodigy Ashleigh Barty returned to tennis after a 12 month break where she tried her hand at professional cricket.



Tennis Queensland's new website layout is user friendly, easy to navigate and optimised for our growing mobile audience



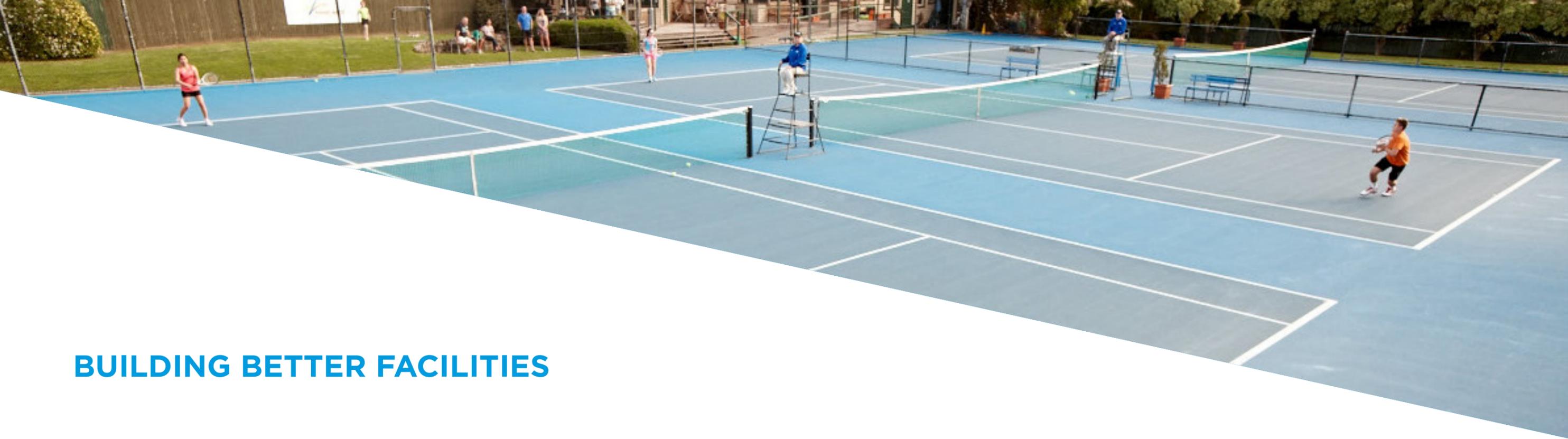
Roy Emerson with supporters of the Blackbutt & District Tourism & Heritage Association



Lara Walker receives some handy advice from Todd Woodbridge during a media event for her selection into the Longines Future Tennis Aces tournament



Courier Mail covers Ash Barty's exciting return to tennis



BUILDING BETTER FACILITIES

CREATING SUSTAINABLE AND SUCCESSFUL TENNIS FACILITIES

BUILDING PLACES TO PLAY

During 2015-16, Tennis Queensland has placed a strong emphasis on the need to develop new tennis facilities in areas of identified need. This need is based on the ratio of publically accessible courts for the area and how far above the “target ratio” these regions are.

The Queensland areas where the need is greatest include the greater Brisbane metropolitan region, and the rapidly growing corridors between Brisbane, the Gold Coast, Sunshine Coast and Ipswich. New facilities have therefore become a focus when talking with all levels of Government in these locations.

Securing funding for new facilities and upgrading existing centres is challenging for the sport, as the amount of grant opportunities have reduced in recent years. There is also an ongoing requirement to fund our existing facilities for semi regular maintenance, therefore our ability to create new facilities for the growing population of Queensland is heavily reliant on the support of councils and Government.

For the ongoing maintenance of our facilities, we strive for financial viability and sustainability to avoid reliance on grant funding. The success of our larger and busier facilities are great case studies of this, with Tennis and Government stakeholders using these examples to create successful practices at all new facilities moving forward.

HEALTHY FACILITY PRACTICES

The Places to Play (P2P) team has refined tools and resources to ensure Club Health Checks and operational reviews are efficient and beneficial for affiliates. Where requested, the team met with affiliates to review their existing range of tennis programs and overall court utilisation, as well as their business arrangements and practices to identify where improvements could be made or additional services offered to enhance business.

During 2015-16 a total of 95 Club Operational Health Checks (OHC's) were completed by affiliates with the assistance of the Participation Team exceeding their target of 57 OHC's for the year.

These checks allowed TQ affiliates to benchmark themselves against other clubs and identify areas of their operation that were performing well or required improvement.

Some of these reviews have led to more detailed discussions with these clubs to address any areas of improvement, as well as develop successful business practices through new or replacement agreements between affiliates and their appointed coaching provider or centre manager.

Sporting clubs with leases have become more accountable for facility maintenance as funding through councils decreases. Several council bodies have implemented reasonably detailed audit and review processes for facilities when leases are due for renewal. These audits include reviews of their governance procedures, business, marketing and communications plans, risk management and Workplace Health & Safety (WH&S) policies, as well as a number of other items. The results are taken into consideration when developing and offering new leases to these clubs.

Throughout 2015-16 the P2P team have provided assistance to a number of clubs going through this process with pre-audit and policy development preparation.

GRANTS & MAJOR PROJECTS

Over the course of the year, TQ distributed \$55,000 in various grants to 42 clubs across the state.

Three grants were awarded totalling \$10,000 at the annual President's Morning Tea at Brisbane International 2016. The successful recipients were three of more than 150 clubs that saw positive growth in club membership during the 2015 year, and were selected through a raffle process.

Mackay's Pioneer Tennis Club Inc. (North) took home \$4,000 while Woombye Tennis Club on the Sunshine Coast and Clifton and District Tennis Association each won \$3,000.

Additionally, Heritage Bank partnered with TQ in 2016 to allow all affiliates to apply for funding in the Heritage Bank Community Tennis Grants. Applications from 40 clubs were received with 25

of those receiving an allocation of the funding. Some of the projects approved included:

- Club signage upgrades
- Appliances for canteens
- Painting and upgrades to clubhouses
- Furniture, shade sails and BBQ's

RURAL SUSTAINABILITY

A new investment program was launched in 2015 to tackle club sustainability in rural areas of Queensland after this was identified as an immediate priority of the organisation.

One major element of this investment was a grant program where rural clubs could apply for up to \$5,000 of a \$25,000 pool. Thirteen clubs spread across Far North, West, Central and Sunshine Coast regions of Queensland were successful in attaining grants. Their projects ranged from clubhouse upgrades to the creation of new FAST4 Tennis leagues and the introduction of ANZ Tennis Hot Shots.

TQ identified additional clubs through

the grant process who are also in need of support, but had not applied for funding help. These clubs, situated in North Queensland, were visited by TQ management in June to explore their opportunities and challenges, as well as initiate plans for new organised play programs that will be key to long term sustainability.

An investment was also made in an effort to home grow coaches for rural clubs. Nearly \$15,000 was used to offset the cost of club representatives attending a Community Coaching Course. In total, seven courses were held in northwest and southwest rural communities with a total of 52 people attending.

QUEENSLAND FACILITIES DEVELOPMENT STRATEGY TO 2025

In the latter half of 2015, TQ conducted a significant review of its Facilities Development Strategy through to 2020. As part of this review, the vision was extended to 2025 and priority locations for potential new facilities in areas of need were identified, as well as existing facilities in urgent need of upgrade and expansion.

BUILDING BETTER FACILITIES

The updated strategy document outlines a network of Regional Tennis Centres and other major tennis facilities throughout the state that require relocation or upgrade to meet existing and predicted population demographics. This strategy identifies the location of 15 key Regional Tennis Centres required in Queensland, eight of which have already been developed. Another five are in various stages of planning or construction.

Discussions are continuing with the Gold Coast, Logan, Redland, Moreton Bay, Hervey Bay, Mackay and Maranoa (Roma) Councils to progress the planned development of new or upgraded Regional Tennis Centres in their respective Local Government Areas (LGA's).

Significant discussions are continuing with Brisbane City Council to identify sites within the city in desperate need of new facilities. The new Community Hub model that emerged from the Roy Emerson Tennis Centre at Milton will be a template for new tennis facilities

within the Brisbane metropolitan area in the coming years. Initial planning and feasibility is in motion for the first of these developments taking place in the new North Shore precinct at Hamilton.

TENNIS QUEENSLAND – COURT TECH

Court Tech is a registered business within TQ that offers a wide range of development advisory and professional consultancy services. This can range from answering simple questions such as clarifying court dimensions and surfacing options through to more technical matters such as lighting design and base construction specifications.

In 2015-16 Tennis Queensland - Court Tech consultancy services were provided with a number of projects involving both new tennis courts and facilities as well as the upgrade of existing courts. These projects included:

- Project management services for the development of 10 new courts, four

Hot Shots courts, satellite clubhouse and associated roadworks at the Gold Coast Seniors and Miami Tennis Clubs

- Project management services for the resurfacing and upgrade of 10 courts at Gympie District Tennis Association
- Project management services for the upgrade of the lighting of four courts at Pimpama Island Sports Association
- Project management services for the construction of two new multipurpose courts at Hilder Road State School in The Gap
- Project management services for the upgrade of two courts at Sinai College in Burbank
- Project management services for the upgrade of two courts at Elanora State School
- Project management services for the upgrade of 4 courts at Helensvale State High School

- Design review services for the development of six new courts at Sheldon College
- Providing site inspection reports for a small number of clients with dilapidated or recent poorly constructed / upgraded courts
- Providing Quantity Surveyor estimates for a number of projects seeking various funding grants

Consultancy fee proposals for other potential projects were provided in 2015-16 in conjunction with the State Government and Brisbane City Council grant funding program. To date, only a small number of these projects have successfully obtained the required funding to allow them to proceed to the tender award and construction phases.

It is anticipated that some of these projects will reapply for funding in the next rounds of State Government and Brisbane City Council grant funding programs.

SNEAK PEAK INTO THE NEW BOOK A COURT TECHNOLOGY

Following on from the recent success of "Opening Up Tennis" in Victoria, Tennis Australia and Tennis Queensland have started working on a similar pilot installation of the Book a Court pinpad technology system across five venues in the greater Brisbane metropolitan area.

These installations will provide better access to otherwise inaccessible (i.e. locked up) tennis facilities via an online court booking system that links to gate access and court lighting hardware at the chosen facility.

This system aims to:

- Provide a simple way for club members to book and reserve courts
- Provide a simple process for casual court hirers to book, pay for and access courts
- Ensure the facility is accessible when not normally open for business
- Ensure the facility remains accessible during regular usage activities (e.g. fixtures, competitions and coaching programs)
- Reduce the administrative burden of issuing and managing keys for members
- Allow clubs to access court usage information and patterns as well as monitor usage through reporting tools
- Increase club/venue revenues through higher levels of casual court hire and easier access
- Increase local community awareness of court accessibility leading to growth in the number of people (members and casual users) connected with the venue/club.

Once these pilot venues have had the opportunity to trial this innovative new technology, we will look to provide additional information, funding partnership and assistance opportunities for others to link in with this national initiative.

NEW FACILITIES AND UPGRADES

This year saw 45 new courts constructed against a target of 30 as well as 181 courts upgraded. The total investment into these projects was approximately \$14.8 million. Some of the more significant new and upgraded tennis facility projects completed this year are listed in the following table.

CLUB/CENTRE/ASSOCIATION	PROJECT
KDV Sport	20 new courts
Brisbane Grammar	4 new courts, 6 upgraded courts and new clubhouse
West Moreton Anglican College - Ipswich	4 new multipurpose courts
Somerset College - Mudgeeraba	2 new courts and administration facilities
Sommerville House	2 new rooftop courts
Kelvin Grove State College	4 upgraded courts
Ingham Tennis Association	10 upgraded courts
Innisfail & District Tennis Association	9 upgraded courts



STATE AND REGIONAL TENNIS CENTRES A SNAPSHOT

TOOWOOMBA REGIONAL TENNIS CENTRE - USQ

TENNIS OPERATOR: BG TENNIS (GAVIN WRIGHT & BREANNA TILLEY) / USQ STUDENT GUILD

A mutual decision was reached in September 2015 for the operating agreement in place to be terminated, with the tenure of the facility returned back to the University of Southern Queensland (USQ). The day-to-day management of this facility is now undertaken by the USQ Student Guild as an extension of their management in partnership with the Clive Berghofer Recreational Centre.

The centre conducted a very successful Pro Tour event in 2015 that received the Queensland Tennis Awards Most Outstanding Tournament of the Year, along with a national finalist position at the 2015 Newcombe Medal Awards.

A number of other local tennis tournaments and events were also successfully held at this facility throughout the year.



Toowoomba Regional Tennis Centre - USQ at sunset

TOWNSVILLE REGIONAL TENNIS CENTRE - KALYNDIA CHASE

TENNIS OPERATOR: TENNIS BLAST (TIM ROBINSON)

Tennis BLAST saw significant participation growth over the past 12 months. The business has strong coaching numbers, regular Cardio Tennis programs, weekly fixture competitions for both adults and juniors, a successful tournaments program as well as a successful organised social tennis program.

The centre also entered a team in the North Tennis League, a growing regional league for the area, and finished runner-up in 2016.

Tennis Queensland is in negotiation with the Townsville City Council to end the lease over this venue and the associated operating arrangements with the tenants. Part of these negotiations include TQ undertaking some minor repairs to the Clubhouse and resurfacing of the courts prior to handover.

CAIRNS INTERNATIONAL TENNIS CENTRE

TENNIS OPERATOR: TENNIS QUEENSLAND

Tennis Queensland manages the tennis operations at this facility, utilising a local Centre Manager to oversee day to day operations. Tennis participation numbers are on an upward trend for the facility, despite significant weather challenges over the last 12 months. Notwithstanding, the facility continues to host many top quality events every year, including another highly successful Pro Tour event.

The other major tenant in this facility, Jade & Mary P/L who operate the Chinese Restaurant on the upper level of the building have renewed their tenure and continue to run a successful and popular attraction at the centre. The other tenant based at this facility is Emma Miller's personal training business, who renewed her License to Occupy during the last 12 months.

Immediate priorities for the centre include court fencing and lighting system repairs, as well as facing the increasing cost for facility maintenance.



Cairns International Pro Tour, held at CITC in 2015

ROCKHAMPTON REGIONAL TENNIS CENTRE - VICTORIA PARK

TENNIS OPERATOR: TENNIS ROCKHAMPTON LIMITED

This facility started the year under the management of Head Coach David Glinster and Manager Sonia Glinster, who enjoyed steadily increasing participation numbers in their coaching programs and fixture competitions whilst in the role.

A new manager, Glen Vickery, has recently been appointed to take their place, relocating from Emerald to Rockhampton to take up the role.

A number of significant tournaments and events continue to be held at this facility every year, including:

- Head State Age Championships
- Two Town and Country events
- Junior Development Series event and Queensland Junior Development Series Finals
- Rocky Open
- Queensland Secondary Schools Cup



Rockhampton Regional Tennis Centre - Victoria Park

COPPER CITY TENNIS CLUB (MT ISA REGIONAL TENNIS CENTRE)

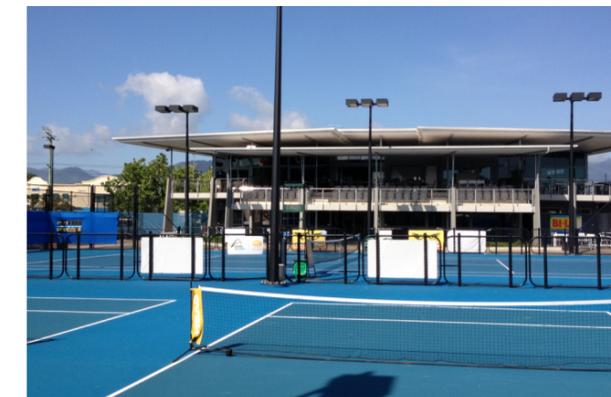
The Copper City Tennis Club manages this facility, holding a long term lease with the Mt Isa City Council. The club is run by a group of club volunteers and supported with a professional coaching program. They are currently preparing for the annual Kip McGrath Mt Isa Junior Championships and Buffs Club Mt Isa Open, both to be held in August 2016.

Court resurfacing works are scheduled to be completed in time for a series of tournaments taking place in August.

SUNSHINE COAST REGIONAL TENNIS CENTRE (CALOUNDRA TENNIS ASSOCIATION)

The Caloundra Tennis Association has a lease over this facility from the Sunshine Coast Regional Council and has an existing agreement in place with Elite Tennis International as their Centre Manager.

Since the completion of the courts in early 2015, the facility has hosted several minor tournaments with more significant events planned for the next 12 months.



Cairns International Tennis Centre

GEORGE ALDER REGIONAL TENNIS CENTRE (IPSWICH)

TENNIS OPERATOR: TOP TENNIS ACADEMY

The management rights for this facility expired during 2014-15 and Council advertised for a new manager. Following the tender process, the Council appointed Top Tennis Academy, and is working with the operator and Tennis Queensland to improve the financial sustainability of the facility. This includes the following potential plans:

- The hit-up wall to be extended to make another full sized court
- Two of the clay courts at the facility to be converted to acrylic surfaced courts
- Development of a number of Hot Shots mini courts on site to enhance the grassroots tennis program.

QUEENSLAND TENNIS CENTRE HIGHLIGHTS

VENUE OPERATIONS

Since taking over the management of the Queensland Tennis Centre (QTC) in April 2014, MWS Sport have been steadily increasing their participation numbers through a variety of coaching programs, fixture competitions, organised social play, tournaments and general court hire.

The management of the Café area was undertaken by a specialist caterer initially on a trial basis. TQ also engaged this caterer on a trial basis to manage the functions and events conducted in the Level 3 areas of the venue. After showing some initial promise, these trial arrangements were terminated by mutual agreement in May 2016 with MWS taking over the management of the café and entering into negotiations with Tennis Queensland to take over the functions and events business.

The QTC hosted multiple tennis events throughout the year including the final of the Asia-Pacific Tennis League North Conference, Brisbane Pro Tour and major events including the Brisbane International and Fed Cup by BNP Paribas. Further details on these events are covered later in this report.

Pat Rafter Arena was also utilised for functions outside of tennis including a

private birthday party in November 2015, regular usage by New Creation Ministries and other small regular bookings and oneoff events held throughout the year.

TQ, in partnership with Stadiums Queensland, began undertaking a detailed master planning exercise for the Queensland Tennis Centre in 2015. This exercise has identified potential expansion opportunities and has provided a framework for identifying and prioritising future capital works projects.

FED CUP HITS BRISBANE

In early 2016, QTC was selected to host the Fed Cup by BNP Paribas World Group Playoff. Rival nations Australia and the USA took to Brisbane on a transformed Pat Rafter Arena clay court in the hope of reentering the World Group.

Almost 8,000 fans were in attendance to see Australia's Sam Stosur, Daria Gavrilova, Casey Dellacqua and Arina Rodionova take on America's Madison Keys (world No.22), Coco Vandeweghe (36), Christina McHale (57) and Bethanie Mattek-Sands (89).

Although the Aussie contingent fought hard across the weekend's action, the powerhouse American team proved too

strong, taking out the tie 4-0.

FOR THE FANS

Free tennis, kids activities and giveaways were offered at the Fan Engagement Zone during the Fed Cup, allowing families to enjoy a taste of tennis for themselves. Tennis Queensland staff facilitated the zone, using the opportunity to tell families more about the programs available and where they can join ANZ Tennis Hot Shots or sign up for adult social leagues in their local community.

Guests also received further information about "joining Tennis" and the benefits of signing up, with iPads available on site to register there and then.

INSPIRE FUTURE STARS BREAKFAST

The inaugural "Inspire Future Stars" breakfast was held on the second morning of the World Group Playoff with 80 guests, mostly women and girls, in attendance. The mix of guests in attendance included school tennis captains and teams, Principals, School Heads of Sport, female coaches, female tennis administrators and competition winners. Attendees received a complimentary breakfast and two tickets to Day 2 of the Fed Cup tie.

The feature of the breakfast was a panel discussion featuring successful women in sport at different stages of their careers. Kimberly Birrell (Australian Fed Cup Squad member), Natalie Cook (Olympic Gold Medallist), Suzie O'Neill (Olympic Gold Medallist) and Sam Squiers (Channel Nine journalist and founder of Sportette) made up the panel, with discussion facilitated by 4BC Drive presenter Ben Davis. The panel spoke to the audience on the positive experience sport had played in their lives and the importance of ongoing female participation in sport through the teenage years.

The panel accounted stories with passion and humour inspiring a large group of attendees to continue to pursue their career ambitions, whether they be in sport or otherwise. The function will be the catalyst for a host of similar events across Australia in the future.

TRAIN WITH THE FED CUP TEAM - SCHOOLS EVENT

Local schools competing within the Queensland Girls' Secondary Schools Sports Association (QGSSSA) and Catholic Secondary Schoolgirls' Sports Association (CaSSSA) were invited to participate in an exclusive "Train with the Fed Cup team" event. Nearly

80 participants from 11-17 years of age, representing school from across Brisbane, signed up for the opportunity.

Sitting courtside on Pat Rafter Arena, all students previewed an open practice session in which the four Australian team members prepared for the weekend's action.

After the practice session, Sam Stosur and Daria Gavrilova participated in an on-court interview about life on the WTA tour, playing for Australia, preparing for the USA and the decision to play on clay. Daria and Sam then entertained questions from the students in attendance including "How often do you train during a week?", "What was your favourite match you have ever played?" and "How long have you been playing tennis?"

Following the Q&A session, attendees headed onto the courts of QTC for an exclusive training session with the Fed Cup team. The training session culminated in a one point shootout with the winning students playing a decider against Arina Rodionova and Casey Dellacqua in front of an excited crowd.

TALENT DEVELOPMENT CAMP

A girls' talent development camp

was hosted during the Fed Cup tie in Brisbane to provide aspiring young players with a unique chance to learn from a range of leading female coaches and the Australian Fed Cup team. Twenty-eight girls from across the state attended the four day camp lead by Queensland Talent Development Manager, Clint Fyfe.

The girls had the opportunity to meet the Australian & USA Fed Cup teams and were treated to player box seats over the weekend's action.

PLAY ON THE CLAY

A temporary clay court was constructed inside Pat Rafter Arena for the Fed Cup and was left in place until the end of June to give the public a unique opportunity to play on clay inside Pat Rafter Arena. The experience proved popular amongst tennis fans, providing a boost to social court hire for club operator MWS Sport.

In July 2016 the clay materials from the Fed Cup court will be recycled into a fifth permanent clay court at QTC. This is the first time in Australia a clay court has been recycled for this use and will create a permanent legacy of the Fed Cup event held in April.



Pat Rafter Arena, Tennyson, Brisbane



Train with the Fed Cup team - Schools Event



Talent Development Camp participants were treated to exclusive meet and greet opportunities



ANZ Tennis Hot Shots players make use of the temporary clay court on Pat Rafter Arena

BRISBANE INTERNATIONAL PRESENTED BY SUNCORP

THE EVENT

The Brisbane International 2016 delivered world class tennis to Brisbane over eight days of heart stopping action. Now in it's eighth year, the event consistently attracts attendance figures in the realm of 100,000 fans.

Twenty-three nations were represented among the 58 players competing in the singles main draw, including nine Australians. Seven Queenslanders featured in singles action, the highest number in tournament history, with local Oliver Anderson enjoying a breakthrough week, winning through qualifying for a berth in the main draw of an ATP World Tour event for his first time.

In the men's event, Milos Raonic (CAN) claimed his maiden Brisbane International crown and eighth ATP title with a win over top seed and defending champion Roger Federer (SUI). The world No.14 overcame the Swiss master 6-4 6-4, just his second win against the 17-time Grand Slam champion in 11 meetings.

In the women's event, world No.22 Victoria Azarenka (BLR) won her second

Evonne Goolagong-Cawley trophy and 18th career title, defeating fourth seed Angelique Kerber (GER) 6-3 6-1. Azarenka took out the inaugural Brisbane International title in 2009 and joins Andy Murray (GBR) and Serena Williams (USA) as the only players to have won multiple Brisbane crowns.

In the Men's doubles the final was dominated by Australians, with second seeds Henri Kontinen (FIN) and John Peers (Vic) taking the title over all-Aussie wildcard duo James Duckworth (NSW) and Chris Guccione (Vic) 7-6(4) 6-1. The pair collected their maiden ATP doubles title in their first ever tournament together. It was Peers' second Brisbane title after clinching the silverware with former doubles partner Jamie Murray (GBR) in 2015.

World No.1 pair Martina Hingis (SUI) and Sania Mirza (IND) won the women's doubles title with a 7-5 6-1 win over German duo Angelique Kerber and Andrea Petkovic. Kerber was the first female in tournament history to reach both the singles and doubles finals. It was the second time both Hingis and Mirza had won the women's doubles event, with Hingis securing victory

alongside Sabine Lisicki (GER) in 2015 and Mirza teaming with Bethanie Mattek-Sands (USA) for top honours in 2013.

In an exciting new addition for 2016, Grand Slam champions Pat Cash (Vic) and Goran Ivanisevic (CRO) contested the inaugural FAST4 Macca's Legends showdown prior to the women's singles final. In an entertaining, but still competitive, match-up, the greats showcased the FAST4 format to a packed Pat Rafter Arena, with four lucky TQ prizewinners invited to sit courtside and get up close and personal with the players.

VOLUNTEERS AND STAFF

A total of 634 staff, including 534 volunteers and 100 officials, worked behind the scenes to deliver the event. Many of the voluntary staff for the event return every year making up the "blue army," a workforce that is engaged in tennis, loves the event, and who become champions within the community. Volunteers come from a wide variety of backgrounds, from the young ball kids who often dream of playing on Pat Rafter Arena in the Brisbane International, to patron services

staff who are octogenarians that have loved and played our sport for decades and want to give back by volunteering their time. We are seeing a number of our volunteers come through the ranks to eventually apply for full-time jobs working with Tennis Queensland, a testament to the teamwork, excellence and professionalism of our team.

SUNCORP KIDS TENNIS DAY

A record crowd of 12,919 patrons attended Suncorp Kids Tennis Day on Sunday 3 January, the first day of the tournament. The event was highlighted by appearances from Roger Federer (SUI), Radek Stepanek (CZE), Bernard Tomic (Qld), Garbine Muguruza (ESP), Victoria Azarenka (BLR) and Carla Suarez Navarro (ESP), as well as Aussie music act At Sunset and Nickelodeon favourites Spongebob SquarePants, Dora and the Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles.

Kids Tennis Day provides children under the age of 16 the opportunity to engage with the sport and some of their favourite characters for free, particularly focusing on the ANZTHS program and encouraging them to participate in tennis.

BRISBANE INTERNATIONAL 2016 CHAMPIONS

MEN'S SINGLES:

[4] Milos Raonic (CAN) d [1] Roger Federer (SUI) 6-4 6-4

WOMEN'S SINGLES:

Victoria Azarenka (BLR, pictured below with Suncorp Ballkid finals squad) d [4] Angelique Kerber (GER) 6-3 6-1

MEN'S DOUBLES:

[2] Henri Kontinen/John Peers (FIN/AUS) d James Duckworth/Chris Guccione (AUS/AUS) 7-6 6-1

WOMEN'S DOUBLES:

[1] Martina Hingis/Sania Mirza (SUI/IND) d Angelique Kerber/Andrea Petkovic (GER/GER) 7-5 6-1

MILOS RAONIC CELEBRATES HIS FIRST BRISBANE TITLE



SUPERVISOR TEAM OF BRISBANE INTERNATIONAL 2016



ROGER FEDERER ENTERTAINS THE CROWD ON KIDS DAY



SERVING FOR A CAUSE

A total of 332 aces were served on Pat Rafter Arena during Brisbane International 2016, with tournament partner Treasury Casino & Hotel donating \$83,000 to Ronald McDonald House - South East Queensland as part of the Aces for Hearts initiative.

The ATP Aces for Charity program contributed an additional US\$15,000 to the cause, for an overall donation of more than \$100,000.





2016 Brisbane International Champions, Victoria Azarenka and Milos Raonic



Ronald McDonald playing a spot of mini tennis



SpongeBob Squarepants with Kids Day patrons



Samantha Stosur playing on Pat Rafter Arena



Priscilla Hon gets slimed on stage in Tennis Central



Bernard Tomic smiles for photos with Fig Tree Pocket State School students, winners of Brisbane International Schools Challenge Orange Ball competition

BRISBANE INTERNATIONAL INTEGRATING GRASSROOTS TENNIS

SHOWCASING TENNIS IN QUEENSLAND

As the largest tennis event in Australia outside of the Australian Open, and one of the biggest sporting events in Queensland, the Brisbane International provides a great platform for celebrating and promoting our sport to the community and the world. It continues to raise the bar each year with not only the ATP and WTA players it attracts, but also in the way it integrates with other sectors of the sport all the way down to the grassroots level.

Local players of all levels are given the opportunity to compete on court during the week through the Queensland Money Race Finals, the Queensland Wheelchair Open, the Brisbane International Schools Challenge, the State League Finals and Orange, Red and Green Ball Hot Shots events.

Furthermore, nine local coaches/clubs and ten of their ANZ Tennis Hot Shots participants were showcased on Pat Rafter Arena and Show Court 1, Cardio Tennis players had the chance to burn some calories in front of a packed PRA

stadium on two occasions, and 12 players with an intellectual disability were given the opportunity to practice alongside the professionals on the outside courts, take of tour of Pat Rafter Arena and ultimately play on PRA showcasing ID Tennis in front of a near capacity crowd.

ICONS AND FUTURE CHAMPIONS OF QUEENSLAND TENNIS

Mal Anderson joined the illustrious company of Ashley Cooper, Roy Emerson and Rod Laver when he was named an Icon of Queensland Tennis at a special presentation on Pat Rafter Arena on Wednesday 6 January. The 1957 US Open champion and three-time Grand Slam doubles champion, who reached a career-high ranking of world No.2, was immortalized in a bust unveiled during a ceremony before play, and is now permanently displayed at Queensland Tennis Centre.

The Queensland Champions presentation was held on Monday 4 January, with special guests Mark Bloomfield and Grand Slam Champion Sam Stosur recognising the wonderful achievements of 39 Queensland athletes in 2015.

Athletes that had represented Australia at the ITF Senior World Championships or World Championships for players with a disability, the Queensland team who won the Bruce Cup at the National Championships and local players who achieved finals or won ITF international events were acknowledged in a special presentation held before the first night session match on Pat Rafter Arena.

CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS

As the pinnacle event of the sport in Queensland, the Brisbane International provides TQ with a great opportunity to reward and say thank you to those who drive our sport in local communities across the year. Key stakeholders from clubs, schools, government and our FAST4 pilot program were invited to attend the Brisbane International as part of our reward and recognition program. As well as these, a number of opportunities to learn and engage with tennis were also provided through workshops facilitated on-site in the custom built function space in Tennis Central.

Highlights from the week include:

- Over 200 representatives from 100 affiliated tennis clubs attended the annual President's Morning Tea hosted by TQ President Mark Bloomfield. The event was a chance for club representatives to relax, network and enjoy the world-class tennis, whilst also hearing from guest speaker and former Tour player Scott Draper on his life in both golf and tennis. TQ Membership Grants totalling \$10,000 were also raffled off and an all-expenses paid trip to the Australian Open was awarded to a guest for winning a Brisbane International trivia contest during the Morning Tea.
- Affiliates were also invited to the TQ Club Masterclass led by the Places to Play team from Tennis Australia. Close to 80 participants were taken through an update on venue management, utilising Operational Health Checks and club sustainability. To finish off, each participant took part in "speed dating" sessions led by club administrators covering grant information, maximizing facility usage and club membership options.
- In a new initiative for TQ, 50 Physical Education teachers from Brisbane were treated to a networking breakfast in the Brisbane International Lounge and briefed on new initiatives coming up for the school year.
- Nearly 100 coaches attended the Queensland Coaches Conference headlined by guest speaker Paul Annocone and 10/U guru Mike Barrell who followed up with an on-court presentation.
- A FAST4 party was held for participants of the initial FAST4 pilot programs across the state, where guests enjoyed nibbles and networking over live music, addresses from the FAST4 team, presentation ceremony for the Regional League finals (a FAST4 league played during the tournament) and all the tennis action live from Pat Rafter Arena.

GRASSROOTS PROMOTION

To support the Queensland tennis clubs running social leagues, a major activation was held during the Brisbane International 2016 to promote FAST4 and the venues where you can play. Along with learning about the format, the activation aimed to give Brisbane International spectators a taste of the fast, fun and social characteristics of the FAST4 brand. Visitors were treated to a free pair of #FAST4 sunglasses at the activation, and encouraged to take a selfie and print this out using the Instagram printing station.

To further promote the brand and the clubs who are providing it, a showcase of the format was played on Pat Rafter Arena between Pat Cash and Goran Ivanisevic before the Woman's Final. Commentary was provided by an MC throughout the match explaining the rules and where to try it for yourself. The match was broadcast live on Channel 7, providing coverage across Australia.



FAST4 Activation in Tennis Central



FAST4 competition winners with Pat Cash



Scott Draper addressing guests at the President's Morning Tea



Guests at the Club Masterclass

TOURNAMENTS & LEAGUES HIGHLIGHTS

BRISBANE INTERNATIONAL SHOWCASE EVENTS

QUEENSLAND MONEY RACE

The Queensland Money Race offered over \$16,000 to athletes who had won the most prize money from Queensland AMT events in 2015. A total of 32 leading Australian players earned a place at the Finals held from 8-10 January during the Brisbane International.

Brendon Moore and Zuzana Zlochova were crowned as champions taking home \$3,200 each after defeating Calum Puttergill and Abigail Tere-Apisah in their respective finals.

BRISBANE INTERNATIONAL SCHOOLS CHALLENGE

Primary School teams throughout the state competed in local qualifying events for the annual Brisbane International Schools Challenge in 2015. Winners in three categories - Red Ball (up to grade 3), Orange Ball (grade 5) and Green Ball (grade 6) qualified for the State Finals held at Brisbane International 2016.

Students from the 32 qualifying teams rubbed shoulders with the likes of Roger Federer when they played the Finals on the outside courts during the week. The winners and all green ball teams were then invited onto Pat Rafter Arena for their presentations, receiving their trophies and high fives from idols Bernard Tomic, Samantha Crawford and Grigor Dimitrov.

For the first time since its launch in 2012, a state school took the coveted Green Ball title, namely the Gold Coast's Pacific Pines Primary School. Fig Tree Pocket State School won the Orange Ball competition and Brookfield State School took out the Red Ball competition for the third consecutive year.

QUEENSLAND WHEELCHAIR TENNIS OPEN

The 2016 Queensland Wheelchair Tennis Open was once again integrated into the 2016 Brisbane International presented by Suncorp, with 64 players travelling from all over Australia and the world to participate in this prestigious event.

In the Men's Singles final Takuya Miki (JPN) defeated Michael Jeremiasz (FRA) 6-3 6-2. The Women's Singles main draw saw Zhenzhen Zhu (CHN) defeat Sabine Ellerbrock (GER) 6-2, 7-6(6).

The 2016 event also saw the Quad event take place for a second year running. Dylan Alcott (AUS) defeated Jamie Burdekin (GBR) 6-1 6-1 to take out the Singles title. The event concluded with a presentation on Show Court 1 at the Queensland Tennis Centre where the champions of 2016 were presented with their trophies by Olympic Silver Medallist David Johnson.

JUNIOR TOURNAMENTS JUNIOR DEVELOPMENT SERIES

The Junior Development Series continues to provide an introductory competitive opportunity at a local level across the state. Queensland is divided into eight regions based on Regional Assembly areas. Each region selects a team across the year to take part in the state finals, which are held annually in Rockhampton.

The number of events has remained quite stable year on year, with entries increasing to over 6,000 participants playing in the series annually.

ROD LAVER QUEENSLAND JUNIOR CHAMPIONSHIPS PRESENTED BY TENNIS & GEAR ONLINE

A total of 790 players from all states and territories in Australia attended the 2015 Rod Laver Queensland Junior Championships presented by Tennis & Gear Online. The event is the biggest Junior Tour event in Australia. Six venues and 77 courts across Greater Brisbane were utilised for the week.

A total of 17 countries were represented including Australia, New Caledonia, Canada, Great Britain, Hong Kong China, Indonesia, Japan, Malaysia, New Zealand, Philippines, South Africa, Russia, Singapore, Serbia, Sweden, USA and Vanuatu. There were 130 international players in the draw, with more than 100 players from New Zealand.

The finals day was held at Queensland Tennis Centre with presentations of all singles winners and runners up made

by TQ President Mark Bloomfield, Tournaments Committee Chairperson Murray Whitbread, Top 100 ATP Player James Duckworth and two representatives from the Huddleston family for the Anne Huddleston Memorial Trophy.

HEAD QUEENSLAND STATE AGE

The Head Queensland State Age was held in Rockhampton during the 2015 September school holidays. The popular event attracted 274 participants with matches played at the Rockhampton Regional Tennis Centre and Yeppoon.

Thankfully the tournament wasn't affected by inclement weather as in the previous year.

QUEENSLAND JUNIOR TEAMS CARNIVAL

A total of 364 players descended upon Brisbane for the annual Queensland Junior Teams Carnival that was held across 5 venues in the month of December. The event has been growing in popularity over the past few years with teams from New Caledonia, South Australia, Northern New South Wales

and Northern Territory all taking part along with the teams from six regions of Queensland. This year's edition saw Metropolitan Region taking out the Regional Shield with a combined team total of 4 ahead of Gold Coast 6.88 and Sunshine Coast 8.64.

QUEENSLAND SECONDARY SCHOOLS TEAM TENNIS

The annual Secondary Schools Competition saw 72 teams take part in regional events battling for the State Title in Rockhampton over two days in September. Brisbane Boys College and St. Hilda's School took home the wins in their categories.

OPEN TOURNAMENTS

QUEENSLAND OPEN

A total of 237 players entered the 2016 Queensland Open held on 25-29 June with over \$16,000 in prize money on offer for participants in open, wheelchair and intellectual disability events.

Robert Smeets (Brisbane) and Abigail Tere-Apisah (Papua New Guinea) were crowned champions in the open events.



Queensland Money Race Winners Zuzana Zlochova and Brendon Moore



Takuya Miki and David Johnson



Junior Development Series - Central Team



11B Metropolitan Team



TOURNAMENTS & LEAGUES HIGHLIGHTS CONT.

PRO TOUR

CAIRNS TENNIS INTERNATIONAL

The 2015 Cairns Tennis International was played from 3-11 October and attracted players from 17 countries. Players competed for a share of \$40,000 in prize money and valuable ATP/WTA ranking points. Community events were held throughout the week for school groups to watch the world class tennis and participate in ANZTHS activities on site.

HUTCHINSON BUILDERS TOOWOOMBA INTERNATIONAL

The 2015 Hutchinson Builders Toowoomba International was played from 10-18 October at the Toowoomba Regional Tennis Centre. The event featured rising Australian players Oliver Anderson, Blake Ellis, Marc Polmans, Max Purcell, Priscilla Hon and Kimberly Birrell.

A corporate challenge was played on the final Friday night. Local businesses in Toowoomba rallied behind the concept with 32 teams taking part. The corporate teams' event raised valuable money for the official tournament charity partner.

The event also featured live streaming with fans able to watch the tournament from all around Australia and the rest of the world.

BRISBANE PRO TOUR

The inaugural Brisbane Pro Tour was held at the iconic Queensland Tennis Centre. The event was added onto the Australian Pro Tour calendar to give players more opportunities to get vital ATP/WTA points for their rankings.

In a fitting end to the Queensland Pro Tour swing, local Gavin Van Peperzeel took out the men's singles, whilst Priscilla Hon defeated Queensland National Academy training partner Kimberly Birrell in the women's singles. Queenslanders Steven De Waard and Thomas Fancutt featured in the men's doubles final with De Waard and his interstate partner proving too strong.

After the positive experience in 2015, the event will be confirmed on the Australian Pro Tour calendar for years to come.

REPRESENTATIVE TEAMS

BRUCE CUP

The Bruce Cup is a team-based 12/U competition with 14 players (7 boys and 7 girls) representing each state. The teams compete against other states and territories in Mixed Doubles, Boys/Girls Doubles and Singles. The competition is conducted by School Sport Australia (SSA) in partnership with Tennis Australia.

In 2015, Queensland won the Bruce Cup National 12/U Teams Championships in arguably the biggest upset of the event in over thirty years. After narrowly defeating both WA and NSW 13 rubbers to 11, QLD took on hot favourites Victoria on the final day and won 14 rubbers to 10.

School teachers Vanette Tobin and Kent Linyard, as well as Queensland Talent Development Manager (TDM) Clint Fyfe, travelled with the Team. Queensland's team spirit, doubles play and winning the four 3-set singles matches proved the difference.

AUSTRALIAN TEAM CHAMPIONSHIPS DECEMBER SHOWDOWN

Queensland once again sent representative teams to the National Teams Event finals held at the December Showdown in Melbourne. Teams and finish places are displayed in the table below.

DECEMBER SHOWDOWN

12s Girls (4th place overall)
Lara Walker, Hana Sonton, Jessica-Jade Haylo
Tim Low (Team Manager)

12s Boys (2nd place overall)
Philip Sekulic, Casey Hoole, Haru Sonton
Clint Fyfe (Team Manager)

14s Girls (5th place overall)
Olivia Gadecki, Megan Smith, Naomi McKenzie
Graeme Brimblecombe (Team Manager)

14s Boys (2nd place overall)
Dane Sweeny, Stephen Stoddart, Jack Barnett
Jamie Morgan (Team Manager)

FOUNDATION CUP

The annual Australian Made Foundation Cup is a national teams event that provides children 13 and under from across rural and regional Australia the opportunity to participate in competitive tennis at the highest level.

For the past three years Queensland selection criteria hadn't allowed for players from the Sunshine Coast or Gold Coast to be selected despite other states picking players who reside within an hour of capital cities. To remain competitive in the event, it was proposed that Queensland select players

from the Gold Coast and Sunshine Coast alongside the other regions of Queensland for the 2016 edition.

Teams and finish places are represented in the following table.

FOUNDATION CUP

Girls (3rd place)
Tamie Chew (Hervey Bay)
Leacy Argent (Cairns)
Rahni Parle (Rockhampton)
Amelija Swaffer-Selff (Moura)

Boys (6th place)
Matthew Rankin (Blackbutt)
Seth Trinder (Townsville)
Stanley Nyika (Mackay)
Ashley Wilson (Mackay)

TOURNAMENTS & LEAGUES HIGHLIGHTS CONT.

ASIA-PACIFIC TENNIS LEAGUE (ATL)

In November 2015, six Queensland teams competed in the redesigned North Conference of the ATL. For the first time in the ATL's history, Queensland was split amongst two pools and joined by additional interstate teams.

Five of the six Queensland teams were placed into Pool A of the North Conference, whilst the Sunshine Coast Breakers faced off against one Canberra and two Sydney teams for a spot in the semifinals where both pools merged.

Five of the six total Queensland teams qualified for the semifinals played in Caloundra, with Brisbane Sharks (men and women), Tennis Brisbane Chargers (men) and the Sunshine Coast Breakers (men) all winning through to the ATL playoffs.

The playoffs were held in Melbourne during the second week of Australian Open 2016. History was made when the Tennis Brisbane Chargers were able to repeat their run to the ATL Champion Title with three resounding victories while only dropping one rubber. They took home an increased record prize money of \$30,000.

MARQUEE REGIONAL LEAGUES

With the Brisbane Chargers cementing themselves as dual ATL champions, Queensland has now become a force to be reckoned with in team tennis leagues.

Team tennis is a format growing in popularity at grassroots and high-performance level. To cater for this, TQ have released marquee leagues in multiple regions of Queensland, to provide an avenue for our best local talent to compete for prize money and the chance to represent their home town in the Queensland State League Final.

These leagues give clubs and centres the opportunity to showcase their leading athletes and facilities as well as the FAST4 format to the local public. For players the leagues represent a new tier on the team tennis pathway

Three different regional marquee leagues were played in 2015. The established North Tennis League saw the Kalynda Chase Cavaliers defend their 2015 title, whilst the BGS Bulldogs took out the Brisbane Tennis League. The remaining place in the State League Final was secured by the Gold Coast Seniors Giants who were the first ever team to hold the trophy from the inaugural Gold Coast Tennis League.

As the pinnacle of the leagues structure in Queensland, the State League Final was hosted for the first time at the Brisbane International 2016. The three teams competed for the prestigious title along with \$ 12,000 in prize money.

After some delay due to wet weather the GCS Giants defeated BGS Bulldogs to be crowned the first champions of the event.

Team medallions and the prize money cheque were presented to the Giants by TQ President Mark Bloomfield during the FAST4 Party held during the following night's action at the Brisbane International.

IN FOCUS: OFFICIALS

From the 1st July 2015, all officials across the country became registered members of Tennis Australia. Previously, members were registered with Tennis Officials Australia, and their state division.

The national change has seen many improvements for officials - now receiving regularly monthly payments, improved transparent policies especially in relation to selection criteria's for many high level tournaments, a new national uniform by New Balance. In addition new membership website where officials can see news, policies, ordering of uniforms, applications for tournaments and much more, with the site continuing to evolve.

Officials in Queensland continue to play an important role ensuring the smooth conduct of tournaments and competitions. During 2015-16 Queensland officials assisted with local events right through to international Grand Slam finals.

Highlights from the year included:

- Simon Cannavan – Chair Umpire, Men'S Doubles Final, Australian Open (AO) 2016
- Rob Leak – Chair Umpire, Men's Singles Wheelchair Final, AO 2016
- Nick Marjason – Chair Umpire, Girl's Doubles Final, AO 2016
- Shannon Walding – Chair Umpire, Boy's Doubles Final, AO 2016
- Tomoko Narasada and Ben Green – Line Umpires, Women's Singles Final, AO 2016
- David Lecce, Aki Hashimoto, Russell Mann, Vince Robertson, Mile Bicevski – Line Umpires, Men's Singles Final, AO 2016
- Leanne White – Review Official, Main Draw Finals, AO 2016
- 17 out of the 19 Line Umpire team for Fed Cup 2016 in Brisbane were Queensland Officials (pictured below).

MEN'S 2015-16 ATL CHAMPIONS TENNIS BRISBANE CHARGERS



LACHLAN TREACHER FROM GCS GIANTS



GCS GIANTS CLAIM THE STATE LEAGUE FINAL TROPHY



OFFICIATING TRAINING & DEVELOPMENT

Six courses were held throughout the year for upskilling local officiating talent, as per the table below:

COURSE	NO. QUALIFIED
Court Supervisor	9
Line Umpire	7

A relationship has also been established with Fairholme Girls College, Toowoomba to run line umpire training sessions for students, with the goal to upskill students through sport and ultimately provide the opportunity to officiate at the esteemed Toowoomba Pro Tour in October 2016.



QUEENSLAND CHAMPIONS

TOP RANKED ATHLETES

The following Qld players obtained Top 500 ATP or WTA rankings in 2015-16

- #17 Bernard Tomic
- #60 John Millman
- #108 John-Patrick Smith
- #169 Jason Kubler
- #207 Ben Mitchell
- #251 Gavin Van Peperzeel
- #366 Maverick Banes
- #14 Samantha Stosur
- #66 Ajla Tomljanovic
- #295 Kimberly Birrell
- #305 Ashleigh Barty
- #315 Priscilla Hon
- #379 Sara Tomic
- #391 Olivia Tjandramulia
- #456 Naiktha Bains

HIGHLIGHTS

In 2015-16, Queensland players achieved the following significant international or national results and rankings

OLIVER ANDERSON

ATP ranking #639, ITF ranking #54
Winner 2016 Australian Open Junior Boys Singles
Qualified and R16 Canberra Challenger

NAIKTHA BAINS

WTA ranking #454
Qualified for Wimbledon Juniors Main Draw

MAVERICK BANES

ATP Ranking #366
Winner 2015 Netherlands F3 Doubles
Winner 2015 Italy F21 Doubles
Winner 2015 Australia F10 Doubles
Finalist 2015 Australia F11 Singles
Finalist 2016 Canberra Challenger Doubles
Winner 2016 Italy F13 Doubles

ASHLEIGH BARTY

WTA Ranking #305
Winner 2016 Perth 25K Pro Tour Doubles
Finalist 2016 Port Pirie 25K Pro Tour Doubles
Winner 2016 Canberra (1) 25K Pro Tour

Doubles
Winner 2016 Canberra (2) 25K Pro Tour Doubles
Semi Final 2016 Eastbourne 50K Pro Tour Singles

KIMBERLY BIRRELL

WTA ranking #295, ITF ranking #573
Member of 2016 Fed Cup Team
Winner 2015 Tweed Heads 15K Pro Tour Doubles
Finalist 2015 Brisbane 25K Pro Tour Singles
Semi Final Canberra 50K Pro Tour Singles
Finalist 2016 Hobart International Doubles
Qualified Wimbledon Juniors Main Draw

MOERANI BOUZIGE

ITF ranking #110
Finalist 2015 Latuoka Grade B2 ITF Doubles
Semi Final 2016 Wellington Grade 3 ITF Singles
Winner 2016 Chengdu Grade 3 ITF Doubles
Winner 2015 16s Nationals Singles

HARRISON BROWN

ITF ranking #293
Semi Final 2015 Latuoka Grade 5 ITF Singles
Semi Final 2015 Santo Domingo Grade 5 ITF Singles
Winner 2016 Queretaro Grade 4 ITF Doubles
Finalist 2016 Mayaguez Grade 4 ITF Singles
3rd Place 2015 16s Qld State Championships Singles

NATHANAEL CONSALVO

ITF ranking #248
Semi Final 2016 Gallipoli Youth Cup (Melbourne) Grade 4 ITF Singles
Final 2016 Gallipoli Youth Cup (Melbourne) Grade 4 ITF Doubles
Semi Final 2016 Melbourne Grade 4 ITF Singles
4th Place 2015 16s National Singles
Winner 2015 16s National Doubles

ALEXANDER CRNOKRAK

ATP ranking #1803, ITF ranking #236

Member of 2016 Junior Davis Cup Team
Semi Final 2015 Burleigh Waters Grade 4 ITF Singles
Winner 2015 Burleigh Waters Grade 4 ITF Doubles
Semi Final 2015 Latuoka Grade 5 ITF Singles
Semi Final 2016 Gallipoli Youth Cup (Melbourne) Grade 4 ITF Singles
Finalist 2016 Melbourne Grade 4 ITF Doubles
Winner 2015 16s Qld State Championships Singles
Finalist 2015 16s Qld State Championships Doubles

ALEKSA CVETICANIN

ITF ranking #265
Finalist 2015 Burleigh Waters Grade 4 ITF Singles
Finalist 2015 Burleigh Waters Grade 4 ITF Doubles
Semi Final 2015 Guangzhou Grade 3 ITF Singles
Semi Final 2016 Gallipoli Youth Cup (Melbourne) Grade 4 ITF Singles
Finalist 2016 Melbourne Grade 4 ITF Doubles

BLAKE ELLIS

ATP ranking #1432, ITF ranking #30
Member of 2015 Junior Davis Cup Team
Winner 2015 Latuoka Grade B2 ITF Singles
Winner 2015 Latuoka Grade B2 ITF Doubles
Finalist 2016 Traralgon Grade 1 ITF Singles
Winner 2016 Australian Open Junior Boys Doubles
Finalist 2016 Melbourne Grade 4 ITF Singles
Semi Final 2016 Belgium Grade 1 ITF Singles
Semi Final 2015 18s National Singles
Helped Australia to 5th place at Junior Davis Cup in Spain by winning 6 out of 7 matches

OLIVIA GADECKI

ITF ranking #551
Member of 2016 World Junior Teams Team
Finalist 2015 Burleigh Waters Grade 4 ITF Doubles

Finalist 2015 14s Qld State Championships Singles
Winner 2015 14s Qld State Championships Doubles

PRISCILLA HON

WTA ranking #315, ITF ranking #838
Winner 2015 Leipzig 15K Pro Tour Doubles
Finalist 2015 Tweed Heads 15K Pro Tour Doubles
Winner 2015 Brisbane 25K Pro Tour Singles
Winner 2016 Santa Margherita Di Pula 10K Pro Tour Singles
Winner 2015 18s Nationals Singles
Qualified Wimbledon Juniors Main Draw

CASEY HOOLE

Finalist 12/U NSW State Titles

ELLA HUSREFOVIC

ITF ranking #354
Finalist 2015 Latuoka Grade 4 ITF Singles
Semifinal 2016 Wellington Grade 4 ITF Singles
Finalist 2016 Wellington Grade 4 ITF Doubles

DANIELA KOVACEVIC

ITF ranking #377
Winner 2015 Burleigh Waters Grade 4 ITF Singles
Finalist 2016 Melbourne Grade 4 ITF Singles
4th place 2015 16s Qld State Championships Singles

JASON KUBLER

ATP Ranking #169
2015 US Open Qualifying
Quarter Final USA F6 Singles
Semi Final USA F8 Singles

WILL MAHER

ITF ranking #456
Finalist 2015 Burleigh Waters Grade 4 Singles
Winner 2015 Burleigh Waters Grade 4 Doubles
Finalist 2016 Melbourne Grade 4 ITF Doubles
4th Place 2015 16s Qld State Championships Singles

JOHN MILLMAN

ATP ranking #60
Winner 2015 Kentucky Bank Tennis Championships
Winner 2015 Comerica Bank Challenger
Winner 2015 Kobe Challenger
Semi Finalist 2016 Busan Open Challenger Tour Tennis
Quarter Finalist Seoul ATP Challenger Tour
Semi Finalist 2016 Winston-Salem Open

BEN MITCHELL

ATP ranking #207
Winner 2015 Canberra Challenger
Winner 2015 Wollongong Future

GABRIELA MCLAUGHLIN

ITF ranking #1256
Finalist 2015 16s Qld State Championships Singles
Finalist 2015 16s Qld State Championships Doubles

KAYLAH MCPHEE

WTA ranking #1248, ITF ranking #1060
Quarterfinal 2015 18s Nationals Singles

JOHN-PATRICK SMITH

ATP Ranking #108
Qualified for 2015 Wimbledon Singles
Qualified for 2015 US Open Singles
Semi Final 2015 Newport ATP 250 Singles
Finalist 2015 Vancouver Challenger Singles
Winner 2016 Seoul Challenger Doubles

PHILIP SEKULIC

Member of 2016 World Junior Teams Team
Finalist 2015 12s Qld State Championships Singles
Semi Final 2015 12s NSW State Championships Singles
Winner 2015 12s Nationals Singles

HARU SONTON

6th Place 2015 12s Nationals Singles
Finalist 2016 12s Grass Nationals Singles

SAMANTHA STOSUR

WTA ranking #14
Winner 2015 Bad Gastein International Singles
Semi Final 2015 Washington International Singles
Semi Final 2015 Hong Kong International Singles
Finalist 2016 Prague International Singles
Semi Final 2016 Madrid Premier Singles
Semi Final 2016 French Open Singles

CYAN SUN

Finalist 2015 12s Qld State Championships Singles
Winner 2015 12s Qld State Championships Doubles
Finalist 2016 14s Grass Nationals Doubles

DANE SWEENEY

Member of 2015 World Junior Teams Team
Semi Final 2015 14s NSW State Championships Singles

OLIVIA TJANDRAMULIA

WTA Ranking #391
Participated in the main draw of Wimbledon Juniors
Semi Finalist 2016 ITF \$25,000 Canberra

BERNARD TOMIC

ATP ranking #17
Winner 2015 Claro Open Colombia
Finalist 2016 Abierto Mexicano Telcel
Semi Finalist 2016 Aegon Championships
Quarter Finalist 2016 Western & Southern Open

SARA TOMIC

WTA ranking #379, ITF ranking #261
Finalist 2015 Sharm El Sheikh 10K Pro Tour Singles
Winner 2015 Sharm El Sheikh 10K Pro Tour Doubles
Finalist 2015 Sharm El Sheikh 10K Pro Tour Singles
Semi Finalist 2016 Mildura 25K Pro Tour Singles
Winner 2016 Sharm El Sheikh 10K Pro Tour Singles
Winner 2016 Sharm El Sheikh 10K Pro Tour Doubles
Quarterfinal 2015 18s Nationals Singles

QUEENSLAND CHAMPIONS CONT.

AJLA TOMLJANOVIC

WTA Ranking #66
Quarter Final 2015 Stanford Premier Singles
Semi Final 2015 Tokyo International Singles

GAVIN VAN PEPPERZEEL

ATP Ranking #251
Winner 2015 Serbia F7 Singles
Finalist 2015 Germany F11 Singles
Winner 2015 Australia F9 Singles
Finalist 2016 Australia F3 Singles
Finalist 2016 Australia F3 Doubles
Finalist 2016 Australia F4 Doubles
Winner 2016 Italy F13 Doubles
Finalist 2016 USA F19 Singles
Winner 2016 USA F20 Doubles

LARA WALKER

Winner 2015 12s NSW State Championships Singles
Finalist 2015 12s Australian Primary Schools Singles
Winner 2015 12s Nationals Singles
Finalist 2015 12s Nationals Doubles
4th Place 2016 12s Grass Nationals Singles
Winner 2016 12s Grass Nationals Doubles

ADAM WALTON

ITF ranking #170
Semi Final 2015 Latuoka Grade B2 ITF Singles
Winner 2016 Wellington Grade 3 ITF Singles
Quarter Final 2015 18s National Singles

GRAND SLAMS US OPEN

John-Patrick Smith and Jason Kubler contested qualifying events at Flushing Meadows with Smith making his way through 3 rounds of qualifying and into the main draw. In the main draw Bernard Tomic progressed to the third round but lost his match in straight sets to Richard Gasquet (FRA) after ending Lleyton Hewitt's US Open in a toughly fought 5 set match in the second round. John Millman and John-Patrick Smith were both first round casualties after both being eliminated in 4 sets. In the women's draw Ajla Tomljanovic was knocked out first round in 3 sets whilst Samantha Stosur was eliminated in the fourth round by eventual winner Flavia Pennetta.

AUSTRALIAN OPEN

Samantha Stosur, Ajla Tomljanovic, Priscilla Hon and Kimberly Birrell all competed in the main draw of the Australian Open but were all unfortunately eliminated in the opening round. John Millman and Bernard Tomic were our lone Queenslanders in the men's singles and after both getting through their opening 2 rounds met each other in the third round which saw Tomic defeat Millman in straight sets. Tomic was eventually knocked out by finalist Andy Murray in 3 tight sets. Naiktha Bains, Olivia Tjandramulia, Sara Tomic, Benjamin Mitchell, John-Patrick Smith, Gavin van Peperzeel and Oliver Anderson all played in the qualifying singles.

ROLAND GARROS

A total of four Queenslanders competed in the 2016 French Open. Benjamin Mitchell competed in the qualifying event and in the main draw was Bernard Tomic, John Millman and Samantha Stosur. Millman and Tomic were knocked out in the first and second rounds respectively, with Stosur making it all the way through to the Semi Finals where she lost to eventual winner Garbine Muguruza.

WIMBLEDON

Queensland was well represented at Wimbledon with Ashleigh Barty and John-Patrick Smith in the qualifying whilst Samantha Stosur, John Millman and Bernard Tomic in the main draw. Millman won his two rounds before losing to eventual winner Andy Murray in the third round. Bernard Tomic lost a close match in five sets in the fourth round whilst Samantha Stosur was eliminated in the second round.

JUNIOR GRAND SLAMS

Eight Queensland players competed in the main draw of the Australian Open Juniors. This is a great achievement considering the tournament only caters for the best 128 players in the world. Special mentions to Oliver Anderson who took out the Boys Singles event, Blake Ellis who won the Boys Doubles and Sara Tomic who reached the Semi Final of the Girls Singles event. Those 3 were joined in the main draw by Adam Walton, Nathanel Consalvo, Moerani Bouzige, Olivia Gadecki and Aleksa Cveticanin.

QUEENSLAND TENNIS AWARDS

The Queensland Tennis Awards ceremony was held at the Brisbane Convention and Exhibition Centre in November, with 273 guests attending to celebrate the night of nights for tennis in Queensland.

The event showcased the best players, coaches, volunteers and clubs, and their service to tennis throughout the year. A new award was introduced this year to recognise a school that has aligned with Tennis, has strong links with a local club and coach, and has incorporated tennis into the curriculum. Schools are key to getting more kids into sport and therefore this award provided an opportunity for Tennis Queensland to thank the schools who bring our game to life all across the state.

Congratulations to all 2015 finalists as well as the winners listed below:

AWARD	RECIPIENT
Queensland Club of the Year	Redcliffe Tennis Association (pictured)
Ashley Cooper Medal – Athlete of the Year	Samantha Stosur
Wendy Turnbull Medal – Junior Athlete of the Year	Kimberly Birrell
Eddie Machin – Junior Regional Athlete of the Year	Jayden Court & Megan Smith
Most Outstanding Tournament	2015 Hutchinson Builders Toowoomba International
Most Outstanding 35+ Senior	Mike Ford
Most Outstanding Athlete with a Disability	Archie Graham
Coaching Excellence – Talent Development	Gary Stickler
Coaching Excellence – Club	Ross Orford
Coaching Excellence – ANZ Tennis Hot Shots	Jamie Wareham
Most Outstanding School	Brisbane Boys' College
Geoffrey E Griffith – Volunteer of the Year	Nathan Costello
Excellence in Officiating	David Best
Regional Shield	Coolum Tennis Club & Barcaldine Lawn Tennis Association

WENDY TURNBULL MEDAL WINNER, KIMBERLY BIRRELL WITH 'AUSSIE' AJLA TOMLJANOVIC



MAL ANDERSON HONOURED AS THE FOURTH ICON OF QUEENSLAND TENNIS



ICONS OF QUEENSLAND TENNIS

Tennis legend Mal Anderson was named an Icon of Queensland Tennis at a special ceremony on Pat Rafter Arena, joining fellow Queensland greats Rod Laver, Roy Emerson and Ashley Cooper in the elite group.

A commemorative bust in Mal's honour is on displayed at Queensland Tennis Centre.



2015-16 RESULTS

AUSTRALIAN PRO TOUR - QUEENSLAND

VENUE	EVENT	WINNER	R/U	SCORE	WINNER	R/U	SCORE
MEN'S				WOMEN'S			
2015 Hutchinson Builders Toowoomba International							
Toowoomba	Singles	Robin STANEK (CZE) (5)	Finn TEARNEY (NZL) (3)	6-2 6-2	Misa EGUCHI (JPN) (4)	Susanne CELIK (SWE) (8)	7-6(6) 7-5
	Doubles	Steven DE WAARD (AUS)/Marc POLMANS (AUS) (1)	Jake DELANEY (AUS)/Max PURCELL (AUS) (WC)	6-4 6-3	Misa EGUCHI (JPN)/Eri HOZUMI (JPN) (1)	Veronica CORNING (USA)/Jessica WACNIK (USA)	4-6 7-5 [10-5]
2015 Cairns Tennis International							
Cairns	Singles	Finn Tearney (NZL) (6)	Alex BOLT (AUS) (2)	6-7(5) 6-3 6-3	Dalma GALFI (HUN)	Olivia TJANDRAMULIA (AUS) (Q)	6-4 6-7(9) 6-1
	Doubles	Xin GAO (CHN)/Zhe LI (CHN) (1)	Finn TEARNEY (NZL)/Yusuke WATANUKI (JPN) (4)	6-1 6-2	Jessica MOORE (AUS)/Storm SANDERS (AUS) (2)	Jennifer ELLIE (USA)/Asia MUHAMMAD (USA)	6-0 6-3
2015 Brisbane Pro Tour							
Tennyson	Singles	Gavin VAN PEPERZEEL (AUS) (4)	Luke SAVILLE (1) (AUS)	7-6(6) 2-6 7-6(7)	Priscilla HON (AUS) (WC)	Kimberly BIRRELL (AUS) (WC)	6-4 6-3
	Doubles	Steven DE WAARD (AUS)/Marc POLMANS (AUS) (3)	Thomas FANCUTT (AUS)/Darren POLKINGHORNE (AUS)	6-0 6-1	Lauren EMBREE (USA)/Asia MUHAMMAD (USA) (4)	Noppawan CHEEWAKARN (THA)/Varatchaya ONGTEANCHAI (THA) (3)	6-2 4-6 [11-9]

ITF JUNIOR EVENTS

VENUE	EVENT	WINNER	R/U	SCORE	WINNER	R/U	SCORE
MEN'S				WOMEN'S			
2015 Queensland Junior Winter International 1							
Caloundra	Singles	Moerani BOUZIGE (AUS) (2)	Alexander CRNOKRAK (AUS)	3-6 6-4 7-5	Michaela HAET (AUS) (1)	Petra HULE (AUS) (2)	7-6(0) 6-4
	Doubles	Jesse DELANEY (AUS)/Jack WALTON (AUS) (3)	Alexander CRNOKRAK (AUS)/Will MAHER (AUS)	1-6 6-4 [10-4]	Petra HULE (AUS)/Nicole KRAEMER (AUS) (1)	Michaela HAET (AUS)/Brooke WINLEY (AUS) (2)	6-1 6-3
2015 Queensland Junior Winter International 2							
Burleigh Waters	Singles	Brian TRAN (AUS) (1)	Will MAHER (AUS)	6-2 6-1	Daniela KOVACEVIC (AUS) (6)	Aleksa CVETICANIN (AUS) (2)	6-3 7-5
	Doubles	Alexander CRNOKRAK (AUS)/Will MAHER (AUS) (4)	Mitchell HARPER (AUS)/Patrick HARPER (AUS) (WC)	6-4 6-7(6) [10-7]	Natasha RUSSELL (AUS)/Selina TURULJA (AUS)	Aleksa CVETICANIN (AUS)/Olivia GADECKI (AUS)	6-4 3-6 [10-4]

MAJOR QUEENSLAND TITLES

VENUE	EVENT	WINNER	R/U	SCORE	WINNER	R/U	SCORE
MEN'S				WOMEN'S			
2016 QLD Money Race Finals							
Tennyson	Singles	Brendon MOORE (2)	Calum PUTTERGILL (1)	6-2 6-2	Zuzana ZLOCHOVA (1)	Abigail TERE-APISAH (3)	6-2 6-2
2016 Horizon Accounting Toowoomba 86th Easter Gold Cup							
Toowoomba	Singles	Steven DE WAARD (2)	Mitchell ROBINS (5)	6-7(2) 7-6(2) 6-0	Lizette CABRERA (1)	Somer DALLA-BONA (5)	6-3 7-5
	Doubles	Steven DE WAARD/Scott PUODZIUNAS (1)	Ryan SIMMONS/Robert STIRLING	6-7(8) 6-1 [10-4]	Somer DALLA-BONA/Helen PARSONS (3)	Lizette CABRERA/Kaylah MCPHEE (1)	6-1 6-2
2016 Eastside Open							
Morningside	Singles	Robert SMEETS (2)	Mitchell HARPER (WC)	7-6(3) 6-1	Lizette CABRERA (1)	Abigail TERE-APISAH (2)	6-1 3-6 6-4
	Doubles	Jordan MARSHALL/Mitchell ROBINS (5)	Daniel DOSSETOR/Thomas FANCUTT (6)	6-4 1-6 [10-8]	Kaylah MCPHEE/Abigail TERE-APISAH (2)	Lizette CABRERA/Alicia SMITH (1)	3-6 6-4 [10-3]
2016 Shaw Park Open							
Shaw Park	Singles	Benjamin MITCHELL (1)	Thomas FANCUTT (2)	6-2 6-0	Violet APISAH (7)	Lizette CABRERA (1)	6-3 6-2
	Doubles	Cody BRACKENREG/Thomas FANCUTT (2)	Mitchell HARPER/Adam WALTON (8)	7-6(4) 6-3	Violet APISAH/Alexandra OSBORNE (8)	Patricia APISAH/Olivia GADECKI (1)	6-2 6-7(9) [10-5]
2016 Queensland Open							
Tennyson	Singles	Robert SMEETS (2)	Thomas FANCUTT (1)	6-3 7-6(3)	Abigail TERE-APISAH (2)	Lizette CABRERA (1)	2-6 7-5 6-1
	Doubles	Joel LINDNER/Robert SMEETS (2)	Lachlan MCPHEE/Mitchell ROBINS (7)	6-4 6-2	Patricia APISAH/Abigail TERE-APISAH (8)	Imogen CLEWS/Catherine KRUEGER (3)	6-3 6-3
2016 Rio Tinto and QAL Gladstone							
Gladstone	Singles	Calum PUTTERGILL (1)	Bradley CLEWS (3)	6-2 6-1	Shan-Ying BARR (2)	Gabriela MCLAUGHLIN (1)	5-7 7-5 6-1
	Doubles	Jake ALCHIN/Phillip JANZ	Alex ALEY/Brad JOHNS	6-3 6-2	Taylor DOUGLAS/Naomi MCKENZIE	Karen PEARCE/Emma WESTMAN	6-1 6-4

2015-16 RESULTS

MAJOR QUEENSLAND TITLES (CONTINUED)

VENUE	EVENT	WINNER	R/U	SCORE	WINNER	R/U	SCORE
MEN'S							
2015 Griffith University Open							
Mount Gravatt	Singles	Brendon MOORE (7)	Mitchell ROBINS (3)	6-3 6-1	Kaylah MCPHEE (3)	Aleksa CVETICANIN (5)	6-3 6-0
	Doubles	Scott PUODZIUNAS/ Calum PUTTERGILL (1)	Blake ELLIS/Adam WALTON (2)	Withdrawal	Daniela KOVACEVIC/ Gabriela MCLAUGHLIN (1)	Kelly MARTIN/Lara TUPPER (4)	6-2 6-4
2015 Elite Tennis International Open							
Caloundra	Singles	Calum PUTTERGILL (2)	Gavin VAN PEPERZEEL (1)	6-3 7-5	Zuzana ZLOCHOVA (1)	Yuki CHIANG (2)	4-6 6-1 6-4
	Doubles	Scott PUODZIUNAS/ Calum PUTTERGILL (1)	Chase FERGUSON/ Will MAHER (2)	7-6(3) 6-1	Lizette CABRERA/ Yuki CHIANG (1)	Samer DALLA- BONA/Ivana MARINOV (2)	6-0 6-0
2016 Sunshine Coast Open Championships							
Kawana	Singles	Ryan SIMMONS (7)	Daniel DOSSETOR (WC)	Not Played	Somer DALLA- BONA (5)	Ivana MARINOV (2)	Not Played
	Doubles	CJ BEG/Daniel DOSSETOR	Daniel BIRAK/ Patrick HARPER (5)	5-7 7-6(4) [10-8]	Shan-Ying BARR/ Somer DALLA- BONA (1)	Tayah CROSS/ Celine SOUTHERN (2)	6-0 6-1
2016 Tennyson Classic							
Tennyson	Singles	Brendon MOORE (2)	Joel LINDNER (WC)	7-5 4-6 6-0	Lizette CABRERA (1)	Somer DALLA- BONA (4)	6-2 6-0
	Doubles	Jordan MARSHALL/ Mitchell ROBINS (3)	Alexander CRNOKRAK/ Will MAHER (2)	6-4 6-4	Somer DALLA- BONA/Helen PARSONS (2)	Emma HAYMAN/ Kyra YAP (4)	4-6 6-2 [10-4]
2016 Ipswich Open							
Ipswich	Singles	Brendon MOORE (1)	Mitchell ROBINS (2)	6-4 6-4	Michaela HAET (2)	Olivia GADECKI (5)	6-2 6-1
	Doubles	Jordan MARSHALL/ Mitchell ROBINS (1)	Alex ALEY/Louis CLARK (2)	6-2 6-4	Gabriela MCLAUGHLIN/Helen PARSONS (2)	Somer DALLA- BONA/Michaela HAET (1)	7-6(5) 6-2

MAJOR QUEENSLAND TITLES (CONTINUED)

VENUE	EVENT	WINNER	R/U	SCORE	WINNER	R/U	SCORE
MEN'S							
2015 Rod Laver QLD Junior Championships presented by Tennis & Gear Online							
Tennyson	18/U	Koby JANSEN	Alex DOWNEY (3)	4-6 6-4 7-5	Catherine KRUEGER (1)	Brooke MILNER (2)	Withdrawal
	16/U	Alexander CRNOKRAK (2)	Jeremy TAYLOR (5)	6-3 7-5	Kaitlin STAINES (3)	Gabriela MCLAUGHLIN (2)	6-2 6-4
	14/U	Sean VAN RENSBURG (1)	Michael SHEPHEARD	6-1 6-1	Amber MARSHALL (1)	Olivia GADECKI	6-2 6-0
	12/U	Chen DONG	Philip SEKULIC (1)	4-6 6-3 6-3	Caitlyn PORTELA (2)	Cyan SUN (8)	6-2 6-2
	10/U	Alexander MIRKOV (12)	Max PEH (11)	6-1 6-1	Anais RUSSELL- JOVE (1)	Sydney STONE (4)	5-7 7-5 [10-4]
2015 HEAD Qld State Age							
Rockhampton	18/U	Ryan SCHWAB (1)	Kennedy TJANDRAMULIA (4)	6-3 6-2	Lily CLEMENTS- MARKHAM (1)	Brittany ZIPF	6-4 6-7 6-4
	16/U	Casey EDWARDS (3)	Brendon SCHULTZ (1)	7-6 6-2	Hillary TJANDRAMULIA (3)	Celine SOUTHERN (1)	6-4 6-3
	14/U	Joshua BARBER (1)	Matthew RANKIN (6)	6-2 6-1	Naomi MCKENZIE (1)	Kristina LANE (2)	7-5 6-1
	12/U	Alexander PLACEK (2)	Jordyn LARKE (6)	7-5 6-1	Amelija SWAFFER- SELFF (1)	Olivia MASSINGHAM (6)	6-2 6-0
	10/U	Lachlan PITT-LYALL (1)	Caspian TUCKWELL (2)	6-1 6-0	Isabella COOPER	Frances CORPE	3-6 6-2 [11-9]

2015-16 RESULTS

REPRESENTATIVE EVENTS

EVENT/AWARD	OVERALL	MEN'S	WOMEN'S
2015 Queensland Junior Development Series Finals			
The Ken Hick/Murray Whitbread Trophy	Central/Gold Coast		
17/U		Nathan COOKE	Brittany ZIPF
15/U		Brendon SCHULTZ	Megan SMITH
13/U		Patrick DONOVAN	Jesse STEPHENSON
11/U		Lachlan VICKERY	Zuzanna WIECH
2015 Queensland Junior Team Carnival presented by Tennis & Gear Online			
Regional Team Finals Shield	Metropolitan		
17/U		Andy WATTERSON	Bryah GUILFOYLE
15/U		Brendon SCHULTZ	Zoe RABY
13/U		Bryce ROBINSON	Sophia DE OLIVEIRA
11/U		Alec BRAUND	Carolann DELAUNAY

2015 Queensland State Primary School Championships

Overall	Metropolitan North		
Team		Metropolitan North	Metropolitan West
Individual		Casey HOOLE	Lara WALKER

2016 Queensland State Secondary School Championships

Overall			
Team		South Coast	Metropolitan North
Individual		Jayden COURT	Lara WALKER

REPRESENTATIVE TEAM EVENTS

EVENT/AWARD	WINNER	QLD OVERALL PLACE	MEN'S	WOMEN'S
QUEENSLAND REPRESENTATIVES				
2015 National Primary School Championships				
Bruce Cup Winner	Queensland	1st	Casey HOOLE Alex RICE Matt HARPER Alec BRAUND Billy BOUGOURE Jordyn LARKE Lathan TREACY	Lara WALKER Amelija SWAFFER-SELFF Cassidy MATAIA Olivia MASSINGHAM Jessica-Jade HAYLO Maliyah VILI Ellah DUNN

REPRESENTATIVE TEAM EVENTS (CONTINUED)

EVENT/AWARD	WINNER	QLD OVERALL PLACE	MEN'S	WOMEN'S
QUEENSLAND REPRESENTATIVES				
2015 National Secondary Schools Championships				
Pizzey Cup Winner:	New South Wales	4th	Jayden COURT (c) Brendon SCHULTZ Matthew STUBBINGS Joshua BARBER Patrick HARPER Yukimaro II Karl MOSTERD Nathan COOKE	Kristina LANE (c) Lara WALKER Elodie FOSTER Hillary TJANDRAMULIA Naomi MCKENZIE Jordyn LIZON Julianne GARCIA Tamie CHEW
2016 Foundation Cup				
Foundation Cup Winner (boys)	Queensland	1st	Bryce ROBINSON Tai SACH Haru SONTON	Cyan SUN Laia PASINI Leacy ARGENT
Foundation Cup Winner (girls)	Victoria	3rd	Dusan RSOVAC	Amelija SWAFFER-SELFF

LEAGUE TEAMS & REPRESENTATIVES

EVENT/AWARD	TEAM	MEN'S	WOMEN'S
2015 Brisbane Tennis League			
Overall	BGS Bulldogs	Tom FANCUTT Daniel DOSSETOR	Isabella FRANKS Andy WATTERSON
2015 Gold Coast Tennis League			
Overall	Gold Coas Seniors Giants	Lachlan TREACHER Leo PIJNACKER Carl BOZICEVIC Darren FLYNN Pat FLYNN	Kaylene TUNNY Sakiko ORMES Krystal SCOTT Helen PARSONS Rachel TREDoux
2015 Asia-Pacific Tennis League			
Overall (men)	Tennis Brisbane Chargers	Benjamin MITCHELL Maverick BANES Gavin VAN PEPERZEEL	Alison BAI Tyra CALDERWOOD Ashley KEIR
Overall (women)	Royal South Yarras	Robert SMEETS Joel LINDER	Kaitlin STAINES Alex NANCARROW
North Conference (men)	Tennis Brisbane Chargers		
North Conference (women)	Canberra Velocity		
2016 North Tennis League			
Overall	Wests Magpies	Brad CLEWS Ryan SCHWAB Mitchell WEIS Colin ALBRECHT	Taylor DOUGLAS Ashlee STANEKE Mikayla ZAHIROVIC Naomi MCKENZIE (WC)

QUEENSLAND TENNIS COMMUNITY

AFFILIATED CLUBS, CENTRES & ASSOCIATIONS

FAR NORTH REGION

Atherton Tennis Club Inc
 Cairns International Tennis Centre
 Cairns Tennis Club Inc
 Clifton Beach Tennis Club Inc
 Cooktown Tennis Club Inc
 Earlville Tennis Club Inc
 Edge Hill Tennis Club Inc
 Edmonton Tennis Club Inc
 Farinelli Tennis Academy
 Freshwater Tennis Club Inc
 Gordonvale and District Tennis Assoc Inc
 Innisfail District Tennis Association Inc
 Malanda Tennis Club Inc
 Mareeba Tennis Club Inc
 Mission Beach Tennis Club Inc
 Port Douglas Tennis Club Inc
 Ravenshoe Tennis Club Inc
 Redlynch Valley Tennis Club Inc
 Trinity Beach Tennis Club Inc
 Tully Tennis and Social Club Inc
 Woree Tennis Club Inc
 Yungaburra Tennis Club Inc

NORTH REGION

Ayr Tennis Association Inc
 Bowen Tennis Association Inc
 Calen Tennis Association Inc
 Charters Towers Tennis Club Inc
 Cleveland Tennis Club Inc
 Gloucester Sport & Recreation Association Inc
 Home Hill Tennis Association Inc
 Ingham Tennis Association Inc
 Kalynda Chase Tennis Centre
 Mackay & District Tennis Association Inc
 Mackay Tennis Association Inc
 Moranbah Tennis Association Inc
 Proserpine District Lawn Tennis Assoc Inc
 Sarina & District Tennis Association Inc
 Tennis Townsville Inc
 Tennis Whitsunday
 Western Suburbs Tennis Club Inc

CENTRAL REGION

Athelstane Tennis Club
 Baralaba Tennis Club Inc
 Blackwater Tennis Association Inc
 Bundaberg & District Junior Tennis Association Inc
 Bundaberg & District Tennis Association Inc
 Bundaberg Seniors Tennis Club Inc
 Callide Valley Tennis Association Inc
 Capella Tennis Club Inc
 Dawson Callide Valleys Seniors Tennis Association
 Dingo Tennis Club Inc
 Dysart Tennis Club Inc
 Emerald and District Lawn Tennis Association Inc
 Fraser Coast Tennis Association Inc
 Gayndah & District Tennis Assoc Inc
 Gladstone District Tennis Association Inc
 Hervey Bay & District Tennis Association Inc
 Isis Tennis Club
 Maryborough & District Jnr Tennis Assoc Inc
 Middlemount Community Sports Association Inc
 Monto & District Tennis Assoc Inc
 Moura Tennis Club Inc
 Mundubbera Tennis Association Inc
 Rockhampton Junior Tennis Association Inc
 Rockhampton Tennis Association Inc
 Rossendale Tennis Club Inc
 Springsure Tennis Club Inc
 SunCity Sports Club Inc
 Tannum Sands Tennis Association Inc
 Tennis Rockhampton Ltd
 Theodore Tennis Association Inc
 Yeppoon Tennis Club Inc.

SUNSHINE COAST REGION

Ballinger Park Tennis Club
 Bli Bli Tennis Club Inc
 Bribie Island Tennis Club Inc
 Caboolture & District Lawn Tennis Association Inc
 Caloundra Tennis Association Inc
 Coolum Tennis Club Inc
 Cooroy Tennis Club Inc
 Eudlo & District Tennis Association Inc
 Eumundi Tennis Club Inc
 Gheerulla Tennis Club
 Glenview Mooloolah Tennis Club Inc
 Gympie & District Tennis Association

Gympie Queens Park Tennis Club Inc

Imbil Tennis Club
 Kandanga Tennis Club
 Kawana Tennis Club Inc
 Kilcoy District Tennis Association
 Kin Kin Tennis Club Inc
 Kingaroy & District Tennis Association Inc
 Kronk Tennis
 Landsborough Tennis Club Inc
 Maleny Tennis Club
 Mapleton Tennis Club Inc.
 Maroochydore Tennis Club Inc
 Montville Village Association Inc
 Mooloolaba Tennis Club Inc.
 Murgon & District Tennis Association
 Nambas Tennis Club Inc
 Nambour & District Tennis Association Inc
 Nambour Heights Progress Association Tennis Club
 Noosa District Tennis Association Inc
 Noosa Springs Resort and Spa
 Noosa Tennis Club Inc
 Noosaville Tennis Club Inc
 Palmwoods Tennis Club Inc
 Peregrine Tennis Club Inc
 Pomona Tennis Club
 St Andrew's Anglican College
 Suncoast Christian College
 Sunshine Coast Ladies Midweek Tennis Association
 Sunshine Coast Tennis Association Inc
 Tennis Veterans Sunshine Coast Association Inc
 Tewantin Tennis Club Inc
 Tin Can Bay Tennis Club Inc
 Witta Tennis Club Inc
 Woolooga Recreational & Hall Welfare Assoc Inc
 Woombye Tennis Club Inc
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METROPOLITAN REGION

Aspire Tennis Australia
 Brisbane Boys College
 Brisbane Ladies Tennis Association Inc
 Brisbane Night Tennis Association Inc
 Brisbane Seniors Tennis Club
 Brookfield Tennis Centre
 Cambridge Tennis
 Chandler Tennis Centre
 Club Coops
 Dayboro Tennis Club Inc
 Everton Tennis & Gear
 Fancutt's Junior Tennis Club
 Ferny Hills Tennis Centre
 Frawley Racquet Club
 Fred Daniel Tennis
 Greater Brisbane Junior Tennis Association Inc
 Griffith University Tennis Centre
 Guse's Tennis Centre (Metro Region)
 In Tennis
 Ipswich & West Moreton Tennis Association Inc
 Ipswich District Junior Tennis Association Inc
 Ipswich Tennis Centre
 Kangaroo Point Sports and Tennis Club
 Kelvin Grove State College
 Laff's Tennis
 LifeTime International Pty Ltd
 Lifetime Tennis Brisbane West Pty Ltd
 Malpass Tennis Coaching
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 Park Ridge Tennis Centre
 Paul Hanley Tennis
 Pine Country Tennis Centre
 Queensland School Sport
 Queensland Tennis Centre
 Redcliffe Tennis Association Inc
 Redland Bay Tennis Club Inc
 Redlands Lawn Tennis Association Inc
 Remar Tennis Academy
 Return Serve Inc
 Roy Emerson Tennis Centre
 Samford Tennis Club Inc
 Sandgate and District Youth Tennis Association
 Shaw Park Tennis Centre

Sheldon Tennis Centre

Sportennis (Le Victor Pty Ltd/Daily Sporting Pty Ltd)
 Springfield Lakes Tennis Club Inc
 St Paul's School
 Steve & Trish Griffin
 Sunnybank Tennis Centre
 Sunshine Tennis
 Tall Gums Sports Centre
 Tennis Brisbane
 Tennis Ipswich Inc
 Tennis Logan City
 Tennis Officials Australia Qld Div Inc
 Tennis Seniors Queensland Association Inc
 The Gap Health & Racquet Club
 The QLD Community Lawn Tennis Assoc (QCLTA)
 The University of Queensland Tennis Club Inc
 Thorneside Community Tennis Association Inc
 Top Tennis Academy
 University of Queensland Tennis Centre
 West Brisbane Tennis Centre
 Woods Tennis
 Wynnum District Lawn Tennis Association Inc

GOLD COAST REGION

Australia Tennis Academy
 Beaudesert & District Tennis Association Inc
 Beenleigh Tennis Inc
 Breakpoint Tennis
 Burleigh Heads Tennis Club Inc
 Currumbin Tennis Club Inc
 Discovery Park Tennis Club Inc
 Emerald Lakes Tennis Centre
 Fassifern Tennis Association Inc
 Gold Coast Albert Junior Tennis Club Inc
 Gold Coast Mid-Week Ladies Tennis Association Inc
 Gold Coast Seniors Tennis Club Inc
 Hinterland Tennis Club Inc
 Hope Island Tennis Club Inc
 Miami Tennis Club Inc
 Mudgeeraba Tennis Club
 Palm Beach-Currumbin State High School
 Pimpama Island Sports Association Inc.
 Pro-One Tennis Academy
 Somerset College Tennis Centre
 Southport State High School

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Surfers Paradise Tennis and Fitness
 Tallara Tennis Club Inc
 Tamborine Mountain Tennis Club Inc
 Tennis Central Miami
 Tennis for Kids
 Tennis Gold Coast Inc.
 Tennis on 11th Inc

SOUTH REGION

Bollon Tennis Club Inc
 Cecil Plains Tennis Club Inc
 Chinchilla Tennis Association Inc
 Clifton & District Tennis Association Inc
 Cunnamulla PCYC
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 Esk Tennis Club Inc
 Gatton Tennis Association Inc
 Goondiwindi & District Tennis Association Inc
 Highfields Tennis Centre
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 Copper City Tennis Club Inc
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Physical Performance Coach Alex Hynes

Physiotherapist Adam Schumacher

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DIRECTORS' REPORT

ROYAL QUEENSLAND LAWN TENNIS ASSOCIATION LTD
ABN 60 009 713 544

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2016

Your Directors present this report on Royal Queensland Lawn Tennis Association Ltd ("the Association") for the year ended 30 June 2016.

Directors

The names of each person who has been a director during the year and up to the date of this report are:

Mr M Bloomfield (President)
Ms L Taylor
Mr A Harris
Mr D Kingston (Retired October 2015)
Mr P Robertson
Mr R Rolfe
Mr M Whitbread
Ms N Whitby (Commenced November 2015)
Mr W Nicol (Commenced November 2015)

Directors have been in office since the start of the financial year to the date of this report unless otherwise stated.

Principal Activities

The principal activity of the Association during the financial year was to manage the sport of Tennis in Queensland through the core business areas of: participation, tournaments, player development, facilities development and management, marketing and public relations, finance and administration and the Queensland Tennis Centre. There were no significant changes to the principal activities of the Association during the year.

The Association's vision is to make tennis part of life for every Queenslanders and the following strategic objectives are considered critical to achieve that vision:

- Making tennis the most engaging and inclusive sporting community in Queensland;
- Facilitating more welcoming and sustainable places to play;
- Fostering and celebrating more champions for tennis than ever before.

To achieve the objectives, the company has adopted the following strategies:

COMMUNITY: Offer engaging tennis programs; provide relevant and quality competitions for all players; use affiliation, membership and the Brisbane International to benefit the sport; connect people to tennis by providing an informative and enjoyable online experience.

FACILITIES: Promote a variety of sustainable operating models; target areas for facility growth and consolidation; identify and build five priority projects based on need; develop better relationships with all levels of government.

CHAMPIONS: Support all administrators, volunteers and Regional Assemblies by providing best practice models and transparent governance; offer high quality competition and training environments that are safe, demonstrate integrity and are available for all Queenslanders; promote past success whilst striving to provide world class training environments; reward fans with the best possible experience and encourage their participation in tennis.

The Association's objectives have been designed to complement the constitutional Objects found in Clause 3.1 of the Constitution.

DIRECTORS' REPORT

ROYAL QUEENSLAND LAWN TENNIS ASSOCIATION LTD
ABN 60 009 713 544

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2016

Information on Directors

NAME OF DIRECTOR	QUALIFICATIONS, EXPERIENCE & SPECIAL RESPONSIBILITIES
Mark Bloomfield	Director since December 2013 and President since March 2015
B Bus (Acctcy)	President - Tennis Brisbane 2011-2013
CA	Treasurer - Tennis Brisbane from 2007-2010
MAICD	Member of Institute of Chartered Accountants Australia since 1995
Development Coach	Member of United States Racquet Stringers Association since 2001 Member of Junior Development Coach (Tennis Australia) since 2000 Owner & Operator, TennisGear
Leonie Taylor	Director and Treasurer since May 2010
B Bus (Acctcy)	Treasurer - Tennis Queensland from 2010 to 2016
FAICD	Director, Bentleys (Qld) Pty Ltd
FCA	Former Director, Qld Police Citizens Youth Welfare Association Limited Former Director and Chairman, North Qld Bulk Ports Limited
Allan Harris	Director from November 2012
Elite Level, Club	Regional Member since 2001
Development Coach	Former Director - Alan Harris Tennis School, Mackay
Qualified Referee	Tournament Director Junior Development Series 1999 to present Tournament Director Mid-north QLD Open 1980 to present Vice-President Magpies Rugby League Football Club 2013 Recipient: National Recognition Award for Contribution to Sport from John Howard
Doug Kingston	Director since November 2009 and retired October 2015 Tennis Administrator and promoter since 1978 Project Implementation manager, North Queensland Bio-Energy Corporation Former journalist, sports editor and marketing manager, Townsville Bulletin newspaper
Peter Robertson	Director since November 2010
B App Sc (Maths)	Co-founder Saltbush Software (1980 - 1991)
MAICD	Co-founder Renard Developments Pty Ltd (1990 - Current) Co-founder Emission Capital Management Ltd (2010 - Current) Member of St Margaret's School Council (2011 - Current) Former member and chair of the Brisbane City Works Board (2001 - 2006) Former member of the Brisbane City Council Business Group Board (2003 - 2005)
Ross Rolfe AO	Director from November 2002 until November 2005 and Director since 2007
AICD	Chair WDS Chair, CS Energy Director, Infigen Energy Managing Director, Lend Lease Resources Infrastructure
Murray Whitbread	Director since November 2009
Level 3 Coach	Chairperson - Central Regional Assembly since 2005-2016 Regional Member since 1997-2016 Life Member BJTA & BDTA Founding Member Central Queensland Junior Masters Circuit Recipient: Awards Queensland Coach of the Year 1995

DIRECTORS' REPORT

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Information on Directors

NAME OF DIRECTOR	QUALIFICATIONS, EXPERIENCE & SPECIAL RESPONSIBILITIES
Nadeena Whitby	Director since November 2015
B Arts (Communication)	National External Affairs Manager, Lendlease
Hons (Journalism Studies)	Communication Advisory Group - Tennis Queensland 2011 - 2014 Member of the Tennis Committee - Tennis Queensland since 2016 Recipient: Lord Mayor's Awards for Excellence 2009, 2010 and 2011 Former Director, Infrastructure Association of Queensland and the Association for Childhood Language and related Disorders
Warwick Nicol	Director since November 2015
B Bus (Marketing)	Operations Manager, Tennis Brisbane
B Arts (Sports Science)	Chairperson - Metropolitan Regional Assembly 2009 - 2016 Tennis Queensland Company Members 2010 - 2016 Secretary of the Brisbane District Golf Association since 2009

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Meeting of Directors

During the financial year, fifteen (15) meetings of directors (including committees meetings) were held. Attendances by each director were as follows:

	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(E)	(F)	(G)	(H)
Mark Bloomfield (President)	6	6	4	4	3	3	1	1
Leonie Taylor (Treasurer)	6	5	4	4	3	3	1	1
Alan Harris	6	6	-	-	-	-	-	-
Doug Kingston	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Peter Robertson	6	6	4	4	3	3	1	1
Ross Rolfe	6	4	4	3	3	2	1	1
Murray Whitbread	6	6	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nadeena Whitby	4	4	2	1	1	-	-	-
Warwick Nicol	4	4	-	-	-	-	-	-

(A) Board meetings eligible to attend.

(B) Board meetings attended.

(C) Finance & Audit meetings eligible to attend.

(D) Finance & Audit meetings attended.

(E) Risk Management meetings eligible to attend.

(F) Risk Management meetings attended.

(G) Nomination and Remuneration Committee eligible to attend.

(H) Nomination and Remuneration meetings attended.

The Association is incorporated under the Corporations Act 2001 and is a company limited by guarantee. If the Association is wound up, the constitution states that each member is required to contribute to a maximum of \$10 each towards any outstanding obligations of the Association. At 30 June 2016, the total amount that members of the company are liable to contribute if the Association is wound up is \$180. (2015: \$180).

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Auditor's Independence Declaration

The lead auditor's independence declaration for the year ended 30 June 2016 has been received and can be found on page 55.

Signed in accordance with the resolution of the Board of Directors.



MARK BLOOMFIELD
PRESIDENT

Brisbane, 26 September 2016



LEONIE TAYLOR
TREASURER

PKF Hacketts



AUDITOR'S INDEPENDENCE DECLARATION UNDER SECTION 307C OF THE CORPORATIONS ACT 2001 TO THE DIRECTORS OF ROYAL QUEENSLAND LAWN TENNIS ASSOCIATION LIMITED

I declare that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, during the year ended 30 June 2016, there have been no contraventions of:

- (a) the auditor independence requirements of the *Corporations Act 2001* in relation to the audit; and
- (b) any applicable code of professional conduct in relation to the audit.

PKF HACKETTS AUDIT



Shaun Lindemann
Partner

Brisbane, 26 September 2016

DIRECTORS' REPORT

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FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2016

Declaration by Directors

In accordance with a resolution of the directors of Royal Queensland Lawn Tennis Association Ltd ("the Company"), the directors of the Company declare that:

- The financial statements and notes, as set out on pages 59 to 77, are in accordance with the Corporations Act 2001 and:
 - comply with Australian Accounting Standards – Reduced Disclosure Requirements; and
 - give a true and fair view of the financial position of the Company as at 30 June 2016 and of its performance of the year ended on that date.
- In the directors' opinion, there are reasonable grounds to believe that the Company will be able to pay its debts as and when they become due and payable.

Signed in accordance with a resolution of the Board of Directors.



MARK BLOOMFIELD
PRESIDENT

Brisbane, 26 September 2016



LEONIE TAYLOR
TREASURER

PKF Hacketts



INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF ROYAL QUEENSLAND LAWN TENNIS ASSOCIATION LTD

Report on the Financial Report

We have audited the accompanying financial report of Royal Queensland Lawn Tennis Association Ltd ("the company"), which comprises the statement of financial position as at 30 June 2016, and the statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income, statement of changes in equity and statement of cash flows for the year ended on that date, a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information and the directors' declaration.

Directors' Responsibility for the Financial Report

The directors of the company are responsible for the preparation of the financial report that gives a true and fair view in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards – Reduced Disclosure Requirements and the Corporations Act 2001 and for such internal controls as the directors determine is necessary to enable the preparation of the financial report that is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the financial report based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards. Those standards require that we comply with relevant ethical requirements relating to audit engagements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial report. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial report, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation of the financial report that gives a true and fair view in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates made by the directors, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

Independence

In conducting our audit, we have complied with the independence requirements of the *Corporations Act 2001*.

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF ROYAL
QUEENSLAND LAWN TENNIS ASSOCIATION LTD
(continued)

Auditor's Opinion

In our opinion, the financial report of Royal Queensland Lawn Tennis Association Ltd is in accordance with the Corporations Act 2001, including:

- (i) Giving a true and fair view of the company's financial position as at 30 June 2016 and of its performance for the year ended on that date; and
- (ii) Complying with Australian Accounting Standards – Reduced Disclosure Requirements and the *Corporations Regulations 2001*.

PKF Hacketts

PKF Hacketts Audit



Shaun Lindemann
Partner

Brisbane, 26 September 2016

STATEMENT OF PROFIT OR LOSS AND OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2016

	NOTES	\$ 2016	\$ 2015
Revenue from ordinary activities	2	3,649,010	3,779,485
Expenses from ordinary activities			
Player Development		(117,166)	(107,897)
Participation		(804,889)	(894,535)
Tournament Program		(524,700)	(523,103)
Places to Play		(266,400)	(164,825)
Marketing and Public Relations		(344,662)	(448,141)
Finance and Administration		(455,964)	(615,917)
Queensland Tennis Centre		(681,045)	(607,591)
Depreciation		(30,581)	(21,555)
		(3,225,407)	(3,383,564)
Profit from operating activities before income tax expense		423,604	395,921
Revenue from other activities	4	384,685	215,210
Expenses from other activities	4	(480,938)	(349,550)
Rental expense for State Tennis Centre		(53,859)	(55,223)
Net profit after other activities before income tax		273,491	206,358
Income tax expense	1(b)		
Net profit after other activities		273,491	206,358
Other comprehensive income			
Items that may be reclassified subsequently to profit or loss			
Net gain/(loss) on revaluation of available for sale financial assets, net of tax		434	(6,365)
Other comprehensive income for the year		434	(6,365)
Total comprehensive income for the year attributable to members of the entity		273,925	199,993

The accompanying notes form part of these financial statements

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STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION AS AT 30 JUNE 2016

	NOTES	\$ 2016	\$ 2015
CURRENT ASSETS			
Cash and cash equivalents	5	1,502,698	1,394,324
Trade and other receivables	6	774,410	678,938
Financial assets	7	2,840,336	2,857,483
Prepaid expenses	8	113,639	112,599
TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS		5,231,083	5,043,344
NON-CURRENT ASSETS			
Prepaid expenses	9	656,667	696,667
Property, plant and equipment	10	101,907	117,698
TOTAL NON-CURRENT ASSETS		758,574	814,365
TOTAL ASSETS		5,989,657	5,857,709
CURRENT LIABILITIES			
Trade and other payables	11	753,668	650,205
Provisions	12	330,966	375,782
Deferred revenue	13	626,591	818,638
Borrowings	16(c)	5,917	5,545
TOTAL CURRENT LIABILITIES		1,717,142	1,850,170
NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES			
Provisions	14	8,182	11,214
Borrowings	16(c)	12,941	18,858
TOTAL NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES		21,123	30,072
TOTAL LIABILITIES		1,738,265	1,880,242
NET ASSETS		4,251,392	3,977,467
EQUITY			
Retained surplus		4,275,783	4,002,292
Financial assets reserve		(24,391)	(24,825)
TOTAL EQUITY		4,251,392	3,977,467

The accompanying notes form part of these financial statements

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2016

	Retained surplus	Financial asset reserve*	Total
Balance at 1 July 2014	3,795,934	(18,460)	3,777,474
Net profit for the year	206,358	-	206,358
Other comprehensive income	-	(6,365)	(6,365)
Balance at 30 June 2015	4,002,292	(24,825)	3,977,467
Balance at 1 July 2015	4,002,292	(24,825)	3,977,467
Net profit for the year	273,491	-	273,491
Other comprehensive income	-	434	434
Balance at 30 June 2016	4,275,783	(24,391)	4,251,392

* Financial asset reserve records revaluation increments and decrements (that do not represent impairment write-downs) that relate to financial assets that are classified as available-for-sale.

The accompanying notes form part of these financial statements

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STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2016

		\$	\$
	NOTES	2016	2015
Cash flows from operating activities:			
Receipts from customers/sponsors		4,053,318	4,171,506
Payments to suppliers and employees		(4,038,590)	(4,332,202)
Interest received		9,273	13,433
Interest paid		(1,423)	(567)
Net cash used in operating activities	15(b)	22,578	(147,830)
Cash flows from investing activities:			
Payments for purchases of PP&E		(14,791)	(79,969)
Proceeds transferred from term deposits		106,132	(340,089)
Net cash from (used in) investing activities		91,341	(420,058)
Cash flows from financing activities:			
Repayment of borrowings		(5,545)	(4,357)
Net cash used for financing activities		(5,545)	(4,357)
Net increase/ (decrease) in cash held		108,374	(572,245)
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of year		1,394,324	1,966,569
Cash and cash equivalents at end of year	15(a)	1,502,698	1,394,324

The accompanying notes form part of these financial statements

NOTES FOR THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

ROYAL QUEENSLAND LAWN TENNIS ASSOCIATION LTD
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NOTES FOR THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2016

1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The financial statements are for Royal Queensland Lawn Tennis Association Ltd ("the Company") as an individual entity incorporated and domiciled in Australia. Royal Queensland Lawn Tennis Association Ltd is a company limited by guarantee.

a) Basis of Preparation

The Company applies Australian Accounting Standards – Reduced Disclosure Requirements as set out in AASB 1053: Application of Tiers of Australian Accounting Standards and AASB 2010-2: Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards arising from Reduced Disclosure Requirements.

The financial statements are general purpose financial statements that have been prepared in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards – Reduced Disclosure Requirements of the Australian Accounting Standards Board (AASB) and the Corporations Act 2001. The Company is a not-for-profit entity for financial reporting purposes under Australian Accounting Standards.

Australian Accounting Standards set out accounting policies that the AASB has concluded would result in financial statements containing relevant and reliable information about transactions, events and conditions. Material accounting policies adopted in the preparation of these financial statements are presented below and have been consistently applied unless stated otherwise.

The financial statements, except for the cash flow information, have been prepared on an accruals basis and are based on historical costs, modified, where applicable, by the measurement at fair value of selected non-current assets, financial assets and financial liabilities. The amounts presented in the financial statements have been rounded to the nearest dollar.

The financial statements were authorised for issue on 26 September 2016 by the directors of the Company.

b) Income Tax

The Company is exempt from income tax under section 50-45 of the Income Tax Assessment Act 1997. Accordingly no provision for income taxes has been made in these financial statements.

c) Revenue recognition

Revenue is measured at the fair value of the consideration received or receivable. Amounts disclosed as revenue are net of returns, trade allowances, rebates and amounts collected on behalf of third parties.

The Company recognises revenue when the amount of revenue can be reliably measured, it is probable that future economic benefits will flow to the entity and specific criteria have been met for each of the Company's activities as described below. The amount of revenue is not considered to be reliably measurable until all contingencies relating to the sale have been resolved. The Company bases its estimates on historical results, taking into consideration the type of customer, the type of transaction and the specifics of each arrangement.

Revenue is recognised for the major business activities as follows:

Grants

Grant revenue is recognised in the statement of comprehensive income when the entity obtains control of the grant and it is probable that the economic benefits gained from the grant will flow to the entity and the amount of the grant can be measured reliably.

If conditions are attached to the grant which must be satisfied before it is eligible to receive the contribution, the recognition of the grant as revenue will be deferred until those conditions are satisfied.

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1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

When grant revenue is received whereby the entity incurs an obligation to deliver economic value directly back to the contributor, this is considered a reciprocal transaction and the grant revenue is recognised in the statement of financial position as a liability until the service has been delivered to the contributor, otherwise the grant is recognised as income on receipt.

Grants from the government and Tennis Australia are recognised at their fair value where there is a reasonable assurance that the grant will be received and the Company will comply with all attached conditions.

Government grants relating to costs are deferred and recognised in the statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income over the period necessary to match them with the costs that they are intended to compensate.

Affiliation fees

Affiliation fee revenue is received annually over calendar years, and is recognised in the period it is earned.

Interest Revenue

Interest revenue is recognised using the effective interest rate method, which for floating rate financial assets is the rate inherent in the instrument.

Dividends

Dividends are recognised as revenue when the right to receive payment is established.

Other Revenue

Other revenue comprises revenue earned from the provision of products or services and is recognised when the goods are provided, or when the fee in respect of services is receivable.

All revenue is stated net of the amount of goods and services tax (GST).

d) Cash and cash equivalents

Cash includes cash on hand and deposits with an original maturity of three months or less.

e) Financial Instruments

Initial recognition and measurement

Financial assets and financial liabilities are recognised when the entity becomes a party to the contractual provisions to the instrument. For financial assets, this is equivalent to the date that the Company commits itself to either purchase or sell the asset (ie trade date accounting is adopted). Financial instruments are initially measured at fair value plus transaction costs except where the instrument is classified 'at fair value through profit or loss' in which case transaction costs are expensed to profit or loss immediately.

Classification and subsequent measurement

Financial instruments are subsequently measured at either fair value, amortised cost using the effective interest rate method or cost. Fair value represents the amount for which an asset could be exchanged or a liability settled, between knowledgeable, willing parties. Where available, quoted prices in an active market are used to determine fair value. In other circumstances, valuation techniques are adopted.

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1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

Amortised cost is calculated as:

- (i) the amount at which the financial asset or financial liability is measured at initial recognition;
- (ii) less principal repayments;
- (iii) plus or minus the cumulative amortisation of the difference, if any, between the amount initially recognised and the maturity amount calculated using the effective interest method; and
- (iv) less any reduction for impairment.

The *effective interest* method is used to allocate interest income or interest expense over the relevant period and is equivalent to the rate that exactly discounts estimated future cash payments or receipts (including fees, transaction costs and other premiums or discounts) through the expected life (or when this cannot be reliably predicted, the contractual term) of the financial instrument to the net carrying amount of the financial asset or financial liability. Revisions to expected future net cash flows will necessitate an adjustment to the carrying value with a consequential recognition of an income or expense in profit or loss.

(i) Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss

Financial assets are classified at 'fair value through profit or loss' when they are held for trading for the purpose of short-term profit taking, or where they are derivatives not held for hedging purposes, or when they are designated as such to avoid an accounting mismatch or to enable performance evaluation where a group of financial assets is managed by key management personnel on a fair value basis in accordance with a documented risk management or investment strategy. Such assets are subsequently measured at fair value with changes in carrying value being included in profit or loss.

(ii) Loans and receivables

Loans and receivables are non-derivative financial assets with fixed or determinable payments that are not quoted in an active market and are subsequently measured at amortised cost.

(iii) Held-to-maturity investments

Held-to-maturity investments are non-derivative financial assets that have fixed maturities and fixed or determinable payments, and it is the entity's intention to hold these investments to maturity. They are subsequently measured at amortised cost.

(iv) Available-for-sale financial assets

Available-for-sale financial assets are non-derivative financial assets that are either not capable of being classified into other categories of financial assets due to their nature, or they are designated as such by management. They comprise investments in the equity of other entities where there is neither a fixed maturity nor fixed or determinable payments.

Available-for-sale financial assets are included in non-current assets, except for those which are expected to be disposed of within 12 months after the end of the reporting period.

They are subsequently measured at fair value with changes in such fair value (ie gains or losses) recognised in other comprehensive income (except for impairment losses and foreign exchange gains and losses). When the financial asset is derecognised, the cumulative gain or loss pertaining to that asset previously recognised in other comprehensive income is reclassified into profit or loss.

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NOTES FOR THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2016

1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

(v) Financial liabilities

Non-derivative financial liabilities (excluding financial guarantees) are subsequently measured at amortised cost.

Fair value

Fair value is determined based on current bid prices for all quoted investments. Valuation techniques are applied to determine the fair value for all unlisted securities, including recent arm's length transactions, reference to similar instruments and option pricing models.

Impairment

At the end of each reporting period, the entity assesses whether there is objective evidence that a financial instrument has been impaired. In the case of available-for-sale financial instruments, a prolonged decline in the value of the instrument is considered to determine whether an impairment has arisen. Impairment losses are recognised in the statement of comprehensive income.

Derecognition

Financial assets are derecognised where the contractual rights to receipt of cash flows expires or the asset is transferred to another party whereby the entity no longer has any significant continuing involvement in the risks and benefits associated with the asset. Financial liabilities are derecognised where the related obligations are either discharged, cancelled or expired. The difference between the carrying value of the financial liability, which is extinguished or transferred to another party and the fair value of consideration paid, including the transfer of non-cash assets or liabilities assumed, is recognised in profit or loss.

f) Plant and Equipment

Plant and equipment are measured on the cost basis less depreciation and impairment losses.

The carrying amount of plant and equipment is reviewed annually by directors to ensure it is not in excess of the recoverable amount from these assets. The recoverable amount is assessed on the basis of the expected net cash flows that will be received from the assets employment and subsequent disposal. The expected net cash flows have been discounted to their present values in determining recoverable amounts.

Plant and equipment that have been contributed at no cost, or for nominal cost are valued and recognised at the fair value of the asset at the date it is acquired.

Depreciation

The depreciable amount of all fixed assets including buildings and capitalised lease assets, but excluding freehold land, is depreciated on a straight line basis over the asset's useful life to the entity commencing from the time the asset is held ready for use. Leasehold improvements are depreciated over the shorter of either the unexpired period of the lease or the estimated useful lives of the improvements.

The depreciation rates used for each class of depreciable assets are:

Class of Fixed Asset	Depreciation Rate
• Plant and equipment	10% - 33%

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1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

g) Leases

Operating leases are leases under which the lessors effectively retain substantially all of the risks and benefits of ownership of lease items. Payments under operating leases are charged as expenses on a straight-line basis over the lease term.

Leases of fixed assets, where substantially all the risks and benefits incidental to the ownership of the asset (but not the legal ownership) are transferred to the entity, are classified as finance leases.

Finance leases are capitalised, recognising an asset and a liability equal to the present value of the minimum lease payments, including any guaranteed residual values. Leased assets are depreciated on a straight-line basis over their estimated useful lives where it is likely that the entity will obtain ownership of the asset. Lease payments are allocated between the reduction of the lease liability and the lease interest expense for the period.

h) Employee entitlements

Provision is made for the Company's liability for employee benefits arising from services rendered by employees to the end of the reporting period. Employee benefits that are expected to be settled within one year have been measured at the amounts expected to be paid when the liability is settled. Employee benefits payable later than one year have been measured at the present value of the estimated future cash outflows to be made for those benefits. In determining the liability, consideration is given to employee wage increases and the probability that the employee may not satisfy vesting requirements. Those cash outflows are discounted using market yields on national government bonds with terms to maturity that match the expected timing of cash flows.

i) Trade and Other Payables

Trade and other payables represent the liability outstanding at the end of the reporting period for goods and services received by the Company during the reporting period which remain unpaid. The balance is recognised as a current liability with the amounts normally paid within 30 days of recognition of the liability.

j) Comparative Figures

Where required by Accounting Standards, comparative figures have been adjusted to conform to changes in presentation for the current financial year.

When an entity applies an accounting policy retrospectively, makes a retrospective restatement or reclassifies items in its financial statements, which materially impact the financial performance or position presented, a statement of financial position as at the beginning of the earliest comparative period must be disclosed.

k) Goods and Services Tax (GST)

Revenues, expenses and assets are recognised net of the amount of GST, except where the amount of GST incurred is not recoverable from the Tax Office. In these circumstances, the GST is recognised as part of the cost of acquisition of the asset or as part of an item of the expense. Receivables and payables in the balance sheet are shown inclusive of GST.

Cash flows are presented in the statement of cash flows on a gross basis, except for the GST component of investing and financing activities, which are disclosed as operating cash flows.

l) Impairment of Assets

At the end of each reporting period, the entity reviews the carrying values of its tangible and intangible assets to determine whether there is any indication that those assets have been impaired. If such an indication exists, the recoverable amount of the asset, being the higher of the asset's fair value less costs to sell and value in use, is compared to the asset's carrying value. Any excess of the asset's carrying value over its recoverable amount is expensed to the statement of comprehensive income.

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NOTES FOR THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2016

1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

Where the future economic benefits of the asset are not primarily dependent upon the asset's ability to generate net cash inflows and when the entity would, if deprived of the asset, replace its remaining future economic benefits, value in use is determined as the depreciated replacement cost of an asset.

Where it is not possible to estimate the recoverable amount of an assets class, the entity estimates the recoverable amount of the cash-generating unit to which the class of assets belong.

Where an impairment loss on a revalued asset is identified, this is debited against the revaluation surplus in respect of the same class of asset to the extent that the impairment loss does not exceed the amount in the revaluation surplus for that same class of asset.

m) New and Amended Accounting Policies

During the current year, the Company has reviewed the new and revised mandatory Australian Accounting Standards applicable to entities reporting under the Corporations Act 2001 and the Directors believe that none of the new and revised standards are applicable to the Company.

n) New Accounting Standards for Application in Future Periods

The AASB has issued a number of new and amended Accounting Standards and Interpretations that have mandatory application dates for future reporting periods, some of which are relevant to the Company. The Company has decided not to early adopt any of the new and amended pronouncements. The Company's assessment of the new and amended pronouncements that are relevant to the Company but applicable in future reporting periods is set out below:

AASB 9: Financial Instruments and associated Amending Standards (applicable to annual reporting periods beginning on or after 1 January 2018).

The Standard will be applicable retrospectively and includes revised requirements for the classification and measurement of financial instruments, revised recognition and derecognition requirements for financial instruments and simplified requirements for hedge accounting.

The directors do not anticipate that the adoption of AASB 9 will have a significant impact on the Company's financial statements.

AASB 15: Revenue from Contracts with Customers (applicable to annual reporting periods commencing on or after 1 January 2017).

When effective, this Standard will replace the current accounting requirements applicable to revenue with a single, principles-based model. Except for a limited number of exceptions, including leases, the new revenue model in AASB 15 will apply to all contracts with customers as well as non-monetary exchanges between entities in the same line of business to facilitate sales to customers and potential customers.

The core principle of the Standard is that an entity will recognise revenue to depict the transfer of promised goods or services to customers in an amount that reflects the consideration to which the entity expects to be entitled in exchange for the goods or services. To achieve this objective, AASB 15 provides the following five-step process:

- identify the contract(s) with a customer;
- identify the performance obligations in the contract(s);
- determine the transaction price;
- allocate the transaction price to the performance obligations in the contract(s); and
- recognise revenue when (or as) the performance obligations are satisfied.

This Standard will require retrospective restatement, as well as enhanced disclosures regarding revenue.

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1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

Although the directors anticipate that the adoption of AASB 15 may have an impact on the Company's financial statements, it is impracticable at this stage to provide a reasonable estimate of such impact.

n) New Accounting Standards for Application in Future Periods

AASB 16: Leases (applicable to annual reporting periods beginning on or after 1 January 2019).

When effective, this Standard will replace the current accounting requirements applicable to leases in AASB 117: Leases and related Interpretations. AASB 16 introduces a single lessee accounting model that eliminates the requirement for leases to be classified as operating or finance leases.

The main changes introduced by the new Standard include:

- Recognition of a right-to-use asset and liability for all leases (excluding short-term leases with less than 12 months of tenure and leases relating to low-value assets);
- Depreciation of right-to-use assets in line with AASB 116: Property, Plant and Equipment in profit or loss and unwinding of the liability in principal and interest components;
- Variable lease payments that depend on an index or a rate are included in the initial measurement of the lease liability using the index or rate at the commencement date;
- By applying a practical expedient, a lessee is permitted to elect not to separate non-lease components and instead account for all components as a lease; and
- Additional disclosure requirements.

The transitional provisions of AASB 16 allow a lessee to either retrospectively apply the Standard to comparatives in line with AASB 108 or recognise the cumulative effect of retrospective application as an adjustment to opening equity on the date of initial application.

Although the directors anticipate that the adoption of AASB 16 will impact the Company's financial statements, it is impracticable at this stage to provide a reasonable estimate of such impact.

o) Economic Dependency

The Company receives grant funding from the Queensland State Government and Tennis Australia Limited that forms an integral part of the revenue used by the Company to achieve its short and long term objectives. At the date of this report the Board of Directors has no reason to believe the Queensland State Government and Tennis Australia Limited will not continue to support the Company.

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2. REVENUE

	\$	\$
	2016	2015
Operating activities:		
Annual affiliation and registration fees	568,369	566,948
Tournaments and activities receipts, sponsorships, subsidies	2,981,045	3,095,655
Interest and Investment income	99,596	116,882
	3,649,010	3,779,485

3. EXPENSES

Surplus before tax includes the following specific expenses:		
Expenses:		
Depreciation of non-current assets		
- Plant and equipment	30,581	21,555
Rental expenses relating to operating leases	104,470	103,091
Employee benefit expenses	1,476,433	1,439,098
Bad and doubtful debts expense	19,581	9,767

4. REVENUE/EXPENSES FROM OTHER ACTIVITIES

Income		
Regional Tennis Centres	384,685	215,210
	384,685	215,210
Expenses		
Regional Tennis Centres	480,938	349,550
	480,938	349,550

5. CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS

Cash on hand	5,200	426
Cash at bank	1,497,498	1,393,898
	1,502,698	1,394,324

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6. TRADE AND OTHER RECEIVABLE

	\$	\$
	2016	2015
Trade debtors	624,917	534,796
Sundry debtors	149,493	144,142
	774,410	678,938

Due to the short term nature of these receivables, their carrying amount is assumed to approximate their fair value. Trade debtors above is shown net of a provision for impairment of \$46,406 (2015: 27,384)

7. FINANCIAL ASSETS

Available-for-sale financial assets:		
Investments at fair value		
- Fixed interest securities	2,822,889	2,854,467
- Managed funds	17,447	3,016
	2,840,336	2,857,483

8. PREPAID EXPENSES - CURRENT

Prepayments	73,639	72,599
Prepayments - State office lease	40,000	40,000
	113,639	112,599

9. PREPAID EXPENSES - NON CURRENT

Prepayments - State office lease	656,667	696,667
	656,667	696,667

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10. PLANT AND EQUIPMENT

	\$	\$
	2016	2015
Plant and Equipment		
Cost	328,690	314,170
Accumulated depreciation	(227,053)	(196,472)
	101,907	117,698

Reconciliations of the carrying amounts of each class of property, plant and equipment at the beginning and end of the current financial period as set out below:

	2016	2015
Opening carrying amount	117,698	30,525
Additions	14,790	108,728
Disposals	-	-
Depreciation	(30,581)	(21,555)
Closing carrying amount	101,907	117,698

11. TRADE AND OTHER PAYABLES

	2016	2015
Trade creditors	219,498	272,399
Sundry creditors and accruals	534,170	377,806
	758,668	650,205

Due to the short term nature of these payables, their carrying amount is assumed to approximate their fair value.

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12. CURRENT LIABILITIES - PROVISIONS

	\$	\$
	2016	2015
Provision for annual leave	107,409	112,450
Provision for long service leave	111,883	92,462
Other Provisions	111,674	170,870
	330,966	375,782

Analysis of provisions Employee entitlements

	2016	2015
Opening balance	216,126	225,673
Additional provision raised	121,808	97,209
Amounts used	(110,460)	(106,756)
Closing balance	227,474	216,126

Other Provisions

	2016	2015
Opening balance	170,870	-
Additional provision raised	46,870	170,870
Amounts used	(106,066)	-
Closing balance	111,674	170,870

13. DEFERRED REVENUE

	2016	2015
Income Received in Advance	388,394	389,027
Deferred Foundation Funds	193,294	187,348
Deferred RTFP Funds	44,903	242,263
	626,591	818,638

14. NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES - PROVISIONS

	2016	2015
Provision for long service leave	8,182	11,214
	8,182	11,214

15. CASH FLOW INFORMATION

(a) Reconciliation of Cash

Cash at the end of the financial period shown in the statement of cash flows is reconciled to the related items in the balance sheet as follows:

	2016	2015
Cash (Note 5)	1,502,698	1,394,324

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15. CASH FLOW INFORMATION (continued)

(b) Reconciliation of the net profit after tax to the net cash flows from operations:

	\$	\$
	2016	2015
Profit after tax	273,491	206,358
<i>Non-cash items in profit or loss:</i>		
Depreciation	30,581	21,555
Net income on investments (re-invested)	(87,442)	(104,324)
Realised (gain)/ loss on investments	(1,108)	1,008
<i>Changes in assets and liabilities:</i>		
Decrease/(increase) in receivables	(95,472)	58,918
Decrease in prepayments	38,960	24,230
(Decrease)/increase in payables and accruals	103,463	(304,665)
Increase/(decrease) in provisions	(47,848)	161,323
(Decrease) in deferred income	(192,047)	(212,233)
Net cash (used) in Operating Activities	22,578	(147,830)

16. CAPITAL AND LEASING COMMITMENTS

(a) Operating Lease Commitments (Premises)

The Company is currently under a 25 year lease agreement in relation to the office premises at the Queensland Tennis Centre, with no further rent payable over the period of the lease. The total rent of \$1,000,000 for the period of the lease was prepaid in 2009 and is being expensed over the period of the lease on a straight line basis (Refer to notes 8 and 9).

(b) Operating Lease Commitments (Other)

Non-cancellable operating lease rentals are payable as follows:

Less than one year	3,473	2,880
Between one and five years	12,733	480
More than five years	-	-
	16,206	3,360

(c) Finance Lease Commitments

Less than one year	5,917	5,545
Between one and five years	12,941	18,858
More than five years	-	-
	18,851	24,403

17. MEMBERS GUARANTEE

The Company is a company limited by guarantee. There is no authorised or issued share capital. If the Company is wound up, the liability of the members is limited to \$10 each (2015: \$10). As at 30 June 2016 the Company had 15 members (2015: 18).

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18. AUDITOR'S REMUNERATION

	\$	\$
	2016	2015
PKF Hacketts Audit		
Audit of the financial report	23,650	23,000
	23,650	23,000

The auditors receive no other benefits from the Company.

19. REMUNERATION OF DIRECTORS

There was no income paid and payable, or otherwise made available in respect of the financial year, to all Directors of Royal Queensland Lawn Tennis Association Ltd, directly or indirectly, from the entity or any related party.

There were 9 Directors (2015: 8) in office during the year. The Directors received no remuneration for the services they performed during their time in office.

20. RELATED PARTY DISCLOSURES

The names of each person holding a position of Director of Royal Queensland Lawn Tennis Association Ltd at any time during the financial year are:

L Taylor, D Kingston, R Rolfe, M Whitbread, P Robertson, A Harris, M Bloomfield, N Whitby and W Nichol.

Transactions with related parties

Mark Bloomfield is the owner of TennisGear Management Pty Ltd. The following transactions between the Company and TennisGear occurred during the financial year:

<i>Sales and purchases of goods and services</i>		
Purchase of goods or services from entity controlled by related party	10,490	21,129
Sale of goods or services to entity controlled by related party	55,746	11,052

Services purchased from the entity controlled by the related party included prizemoney, entry fees and court hire for tournaments.

Services sold to the entity controlled by the related party included sponsorship, sanction fees and affiliation fees.

Outstanding balances arising from sales/purchases of goods and services

The following balances are outstanding at the end of the reporting period in relation to transactions with TennisGear Management Pty Ltd:

Receivables from entity controlled by related party	27,268	5,361
Payables to entity controlled by related party	0	46

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20. RELATED PARTY DISCLOSURES (continued)

Transactions with related parties

Murray Whitbread is the owner of Murray Whitbread Enterprises. The following transactions between the Company and Murray Whitbread occurred during the financial year:

	\$	\$
	2016	2015
<i>Sales and purchases of goods and services</i>		
Purchase of goods or services from entity controlled by related party	-	4,110
Sale of goods or services to entity controlled by related party	-	-

Services purchased from the entity controlled by the related party included administrative, development and promotional work in lieu of the services normally provided by a Participation Leader where there was a vacancy in this role.

Transactions with related parties

The following transactions between the Company and Glenn Vickery occurred during the financial year:

	\$	\$
	2016	2015
<i>Sales and purchases of goods and services</i>		
Purchase of goods or services from entity controlled by related party	-	4,860
Sale of goods or services to entity controlled by related party	-	-

Services purchased from the entity controlled by the related party included administrative, development and promotional work in lieu of the services normally provided by a Community Tennis Officer where there was a vacancy in this role.

In addition to the transactions noted, the Company also had the following transactions with related parties during the year:

- Reimbursement arrangements with the related party to reimburse them for expenditure that they incurred while acting on behalf of the company.
- Sponsorships provided by the related party to the Company.

Terms and conditions

All transactions were made on normal commercial terms and conditions that are available to third parties.

There were no amounts of remuneration received or due and receivable by the Directors from the Company.

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20. RELATED PARTY DISCLOSURES (continued)

Key management personnel compensation

Key management personnel are:

Cameron Pearson (Chief Executive Officer, resigned August 2016), Michael Blomer (Facilities Development Manager), Matt Richards (Head of Participation), Di MacDonald (Business Services Manager, resigned November 2015) and Carly Rossi (Marketing and Media Manager).

Tennis Australia makes a contribution toward Key Management Personnel remuneration totalling \$125,901 (2015: \$131,785). Therefore the net cost to Tennis Queensland is \$454,139 (2015: \$537,883).

	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
	Salary	Super	Bonus	Non-Cash Benefits	Long Service Leave Paid	Total
2016						
Total compensation	492,223	48,186	39,631	-	-	580,040
2015						
Total compensation	556,216	52,179	26,631	-	34,642	669,668

21. EVENTS AFTER THE REPORTING PERIOD

During August 2016, Cameron Pearson resigned as CEO of the Company. Geoff Quinlan was subsequently appointed as CEO in September 2016.

Except for the above, there have been no matters or circumstances arise since the end of the financial year which significantly affected or may significantly affect the operations of the company, the results of those operations, or the state of affairs of the company in future financial years.

22. ENTITY DETAILS

The registered office of the Company is:

Level 9
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Brisbane
QLD 4000

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190 King Arthur Terrace
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The additional information presented on the following pages is in accordance with the books and records of the Royal Queensland Lawn Tennis Association Ltd, which have been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in our statutory audit of the company for the year ended 30 June 2016. It will be appreciated that our audit did not cover all details of the additional information. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on such financial information and no warranty of accuracy or reliability is given.

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