### HEPNER KNOCKING ON THE DOOR

Hepner Place Indoor No.1 is knocking on the door in Grade 1 Section 1 Melbourne Pennant following a crushing win over Liston on Saturday by

4 rubbers to love to remain 6<sup>th,</sup> only two points from 4<sup>th</sup> place. Hepner's Matthew Hicks, John Paul McNamara, Justin Robinson and Ry Davies won 3 rubbers in straight sets, dropping only 1 set in the 2<sup>nd</sup> doubles rubber of the day to record a great win by 4 rubbers 8 sets 52 games to Liston 0 rubbers 1 set 27 games, to keep their finals hopes alive.

# **HEPNER RECEIVE FORFEIT**

Hepner Place Indoor No.2 has moved into 3<sup>rd</sup> place on the Grade 1 Section 2 ladder of Men's Melbourne Pennant, receiving a forfeit from Wonga Park on Saturday. The Hepner team of Adam Lasky, Thomas Paterson, Matthew Moloney and Jordan Drew look like playing finals in Victoria's top competition.

# TOP SIDE OVERPORT TOO GOOD FOR HEPNER

Top side Overport was far too good for 4<sup>th</sup> placed Hepner Place Indoor No.1 in Tennis Victoria Melbourne Pennant Grade 2 Section 1 on Saturday, winning 4 rubbers to nil. The Hepner team of Tony Brushfield and son James, David Kos and Jason Mooney were overpowered by the strong Port team, losing all doubles rubbers in straight sets. The Brushfields almost pulled off the last rubber, but lost in 2 tiebreak sets. Overall Overport 4 rubbers 8 sets 51 games to Hepner Place Indoor No.1, 0 rubbers 0 sets 26 games.

# LAWN HOME OVER MT ELIZA

Geelong Lawn has edged a little closer to 4<sup>th</sup> placed Mt Eliza on Saturday in Men's Grade 2 Section 2 Melbourne Pennant recording a solid 3 rubbers to love victory over Mt Eliza. Lawn's Barry Golightly and Lewis O'Brien were in top form winning both their doubles rubbers in straight sets and with Nicholas Vicary winning the first rubber and drawing one set all in the 3<sup>rd</sup> rubber, before light ran out, helped Geelong Lawn to a strong 3 rubbers 7 sets 49 games win over Mt Eliza 0 rubbers 1 set 30 games.

### **HEPNER SMASHED BY TENNIS WORLD**

Hepner Place Indoor No.2 travelled to Albert Reserve Melbourne on Saturday in Tennis Victoria Men's Grade 2 Section 3 Melbourne Pennant and received a smashing from the home side, Tennis World, who retain top place on the ladder with Hepner still bottom.

The team comprising Jordan Drew, Grant O'Callaghan, Jacob Dunn and Michael Best had no answer and lost all four doubles rubbers in straight sets to the strong Tennis World squad.

Final score – Tennis World 4 rubbers 8 sets 51 games to Hepner Indoor No.2 0 rubbers 0 sets 23 games.

# ESSENDON PUSH HEPNER OUT OF FOUR

Essendon has pushed Hepner Place Indoor out of the top four in Women's Grade 1 Section 1 Victorian Melbourne Pennant on Saturday winning 3 rubbers to 1. The Hepner team of Karen Filippou, Carolyn McGann, Taylah Mielczarek and Abbie Walker found Essendon too strong on the day.

### LAWN DEMOLISH EAGLEMONT

In Women's Grade 2 Section 1 of Melbourne Pennant, Geelong Lawn completely demolished Eaglemont on Saturday allowing their opposition only

8 games in 4 rubbers to remain top on the Grade 2 Section 1 ladder.

Bianca Duff, Alessia Roso, Julie Golightly and Zoe Duff for Hepner were far too strong in the four doubles rubbers, winning in straight sets to record a runaway victory over Eaglemont by 4 rubbers 8 sets 48 games to 0 rubbers 0 sets 8 games.

### **TENNIS GEELONG**

Due to school holidays Tennis Geelong had no competition last weekend in both senior and junior pennant and will resume again next Saturday with only five rounds remaining before finals of Winter Pennant.