



Tennis Geelong Inc Midweek Ladies Competition

Preliminary and Semi Final Draw and Court Allocations for Tuesday, 6 June, 2017

**SCORE SHEETS MUST BE EMAILED TO tbissett@bigpond.net.au. OR
HAND DELIVERED TO 363 Wilsons Rd, St Albans Park 3219 by 6pm Match Day**

Finals score sheets to be submitted by the winning team.

NOTE: Umpires have been moved to different sections in 5,8,10 and 12, please check carefully.

- Clubs are reminded that a minimum of four (4) people are required to umpire each finals match.
- The Team that finished highest on the ladder is the home side.
- Please check all matches to ensure your clubrooms are open if they are required for a finals match and check carefully to ensure you are aware of all your teams' responsibilities.
- Clubrooms to be open by 10am.
- Score sheets and umpiring sheets are attached. They are also available on the website. www.tennis.com.au/tennisgeelonginc click on the score sheet tab and then the midweek tab to get to the score sheets and umpiring sheets for printing off if needed. White paper is acceptable.

Clubrooms are to be left in the same condition you found them. Please remind your players to respect other club's facilities.

Good Luck to everyone involved.

Janeene Barry
Midweek Competition Secretary
Tennis Geelong Inc.

MATCH REFEREE

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BY-LAW REFERENCES

3.9 FINALS:

- 3.9.1 A player must play in nine (9) sets with their club to qualify for the finals in that season. Special permission may be granted by the Competition Committee, after submission of a written request, on a case by case basis. A player must not play below the lowest grade competed in during the season, without the approval of the Competition Committee.
- 3.9.2 The Competition Committee shall allocate two courts for finals use; full use must be made of both courts for the entire match.
- 3.9.3 Clubs should make sure their clubrooms, courts and facilities are open for visiting teams at least 30 minutes prior to starting time. Clubrooms are to be left in the condition they are found.
- 3.9.4 Competing teams are each expected to supply new tennis balls (as stipulated in By-Law 3.11), a score sheet and afternoon tea supplies including milk, tea, coffee, tea towels etc. Issued October 2016 Pg 3 of 4 Sect 3
- 3.9.5 The time of starting all finals matches shall be 10.30am; except when by-laws 3.9.9.1, 3.9.9.2 apply. If a match has not started within 15 minutes the referee/umpires shall penalise the team refusing or unable to play by awarding the set or sets in question to the team ready to play as a forfeit, from then on further sets not playable shall be forfeited at 20 minute intervals. The umpires/referee shall report any untoward incidents to the Competition Committee for consideration. Lack of umpires shall not be an acceptable reason for refusing to play any set or sets.
- 3.9.6 The finals series shall be played by the four sides scoring the most premierships points at the end of the home and away matches in grades of six teams or more. If two or more teams score the same number of points, the placing shall be decided by percentages. Percentages shall be determined in the following order; firstly games then sets. Finals for eight team grade formats shall be played under the "Page" system i.e. 1 meets 2, and 3 meets 4 in the semi finals: loser of 1 and 2 plays the winner of 3 and 4 in the preliminary final and the winner of the preliminary final plays the winner of 1 and 2 in the grand final. Finals in six team grades format shall be played under the "Knock out" system i.e. 1 meets 4 and 2 meets 3 in the semi finals; winner of each semi final to play in the grand final. For sections with a lesser number of teams the structure of the final series will be determined by the Competition Committee.
- 3.9.7 Each team is to submit a separate score sheet to the umpires. The umpires must not disclose the score sheets to the opposition, until the end of the match when signatures are required. Once the score sheet has been handed to the umpires, there can be no alterations to the order of the players, with the exception of by-law 3.6.11.
- 3.9.8 Finals matches shall consist of the same format as described under By-Law 3.2 Team and Grading Structure. The tie breaker shall be played as set out in these by-laws. The winning team shall be the team with the most number of points in accordance with By-Law 3.4. If a finals match is tied at the completion of play the teams shall immediately play an additional tie break SET to determine the match result. The choice of partners shall be at the discretion of each captain, provided both players have participated in the match.
- 3.9.9 **ABANDONED BY THE COMMITTEE** If the weather looks doubtful, the competition committee will discuss if play is possible. If the day is cancelled then an email will be sent to Midweek Representatives OR allocated email addresses, approx. TWO hours before the appointed starting time denoting the cancellation of that final. A notice will also be posted on the website and Tennis Geelong Facebook page. In the event of the COMPETITION COMMITTEE cancelling a final the following will occur between the two teams competing; the one higher on the ladder at the end of the home & away season, will be deemed the winner. i.e. "Page" system – in the semi finals 1 meets 2, and 3 meets 4: a cancellation will result in 1 going straight into the grand final, with 2 playing 3 in the preliminary final. 4 is knocked out. - in the preliminary final a cancellation will result in the higher team on the ladder, at the end of the home & away season, going straight into the grand final "Knock out" system – 1 meets 4 and 2 meets 3 in the semi finals; a cancellation will result in – 1 and 2 playing in the grand final Should the grand final be cancelled then the higher team on the ladder, at the end of the home & away season, will be deemed the winner. For sections with a lesser number of teams the structure of the final series will be determined by the Competition Committee, with the same format applied as above. **3.6**

Note

If you need to make a time to play a final by Friday following the match as per rule 3.9.8 , you do not need to play the remaining sets at the same time, i.e. if players can make it Wednesday to play a set and the remaining four can play on Thursday, then this is totally acceptable. Do what needs to be done to complete the match.

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SECTION 4

Aireys Inlet v Wandana Heights
At Anglesea courts 5-8
umpires: Mt. Moriac x 4
referee Denise Matthews

Drysdale v Anglesea
At Moriac
umpires: Moriac x 4
referee Maris St. Pierre

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SECTION 1

Bellbrae v Ocean Grove
At Geelong Lawn courts 24-27
umpires: Barwon Heads x 4 and Wandana Heights x 2
referee Mimi Armstrong

SECTION 2

Clifton Springs v Aireys Inlet
At Geelong Lawn courts 4&5
umpires: Geelong Lawn Green x 4 and Winchelsea x 2
referee Denise Hamilton

SECTION 3

Grovedale v Torquay
At Clifton Springs courts 1&2 syn
umpires: Clifton Springs x 4 and Geelong Lawn x 2
referee Felicity James

SECTION 5

Moolap v Eastern Districts
At Barwon Heads
umpires: Barwon Heads Section 8 x 4 and Barwon
Heads Blue x 2
referee Ros Claringbold

SECTION 6

Torquay v Highton
At Point Lonsdale courts 5&6 plexi
umpires: St Stephen's x 4 and Anglesea x 2
referee Gwen Anderson

SECTION 7

Torquay Yellow v Portarlington
At Point Lonsdale courts 1-4 syn
umpires: Geelong Lawn Red x 4 and Bellbrae x 2
referee Sonya Batty

SECTION 8

Hamlyn Park v Aireys Inlet
At Bellbrae
umpires: Jan Juc Section 5 x 4 and St Marys x 2
referee Gayle Roche

SECTION 9

Anglesea v Clifton Springs
At Drysdale courts 1&3 syn
umpires: Barwon Heads Blue x 4 and
Wandana Heights x 2
referee Sally Ford

SECTION 10

Belmont Uniting v Bannockburn
At St. Stephens courts 1&3
umpires: All Saints Section 12 x 4 and Moriac x 2
referee Roma Burge

SECTION 11

Grovedale v Moolap
At Clifton Springs courts 3&4
umpires: Clifton Springs x 4 and Aireys Inlet x 2
referee Christine Smith

SECTION 12

Drysdale v Anglesea
At St Stephens courts 4&6
umpires: St Stephens Section 10 x 4 and Moolap x 2
referee Wendy Coleman