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Australian Open Priority Tickets

If you would like more information about Priority Booking for AO Tickets click on the link above.

CSRFF Applications

For more information about the CSRFF applications click on the link above.

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The NEW Tennis West 100 Club - Join Now!

Tennis West is Re-launching its 100 Club and would like YOU and YOUR club to be a part of it. The 'New' 100 Club will raise funds for talented and promising juniors to help them with the costs of developing in the game.



It is not just about individuals. YOUR Club can benefit.

Clubs that sign up to the 100 Club will receive funds to cover the club fees of a nominated junior, along with other benefits.

Tennis West is re-launching the 'New' 100 Club with a Pro Am at the State Tennis Centre featuring top tennis talent and players from the National and Tennis West Academies. The event is taking place on the evening of **Saturday 19 September**, directly following Tennis West's Club Conference.

There will be opportunities for clubs to nominate players in the event and for others interested to come and enjoy the social atmosphere. You can join the 100 Club at the same time. *Please hold the date and look out for more information soon.*



For more information about the 'New' 100 Club, please click [here](#).

Priority Booking for Australian Open Tickets!

If you want priority access to Australian Open tickets (i.e. purchase tickets before they go on sale to the general public) you have 2 options as a member of a Tennis West affiliated club:

1. You can take out **Australian Open Membership** for \$69 - see the attached flyer. This is open to all and is the **ONLY** way you can **GUARANTEE** getting tickets before the public sale. AO membership also provides access to better seats. For more information visit www.australianopen.com/membership or email australianopenmembers@tennis.com.au.

2. **You can apply to go into a BALLOT of tickets set aside for members of Tennis West affiliated clubs.** A much larger number of tickets than normal are being set aside for this purpose but there are **NO GUARANTEES** you will get the tickets you apply for. It will depend on the numbers applying through this ballot. Tennis West will send out (and promote on its website) information on how to apply in August. **Watch this space!**



E-NEWS QUIZ

1. Which former Semi-finalist recently retired from the US Open due to injury?

- a) David Nalbandian
- b) Andy Murray
- c) Nikolay Daydenko
- d) Novak Djokovic

2. How many players are there in a singles draw for a grand slam?

- a) 64
- b) 128
- c) 256
- d) 100

3. Which player has not won 6 Singles Slams?

- a) Stefan Edberg
- b) Ken Rosewall
- c) Boris Becker
- d) Mats Wilander

4. Which doubles pair has won the most Grand Slams?

- a) Agassi/Sampras
- b) Hingis/Kournikova
- c) Williams/Williams
- d) The Woodies

5) Which string tension is easiest on the arm?

- a) Higher
- b) Mid-range
- c) Lower
- d) Doesn't matter

6. Roger Federer is now the proud father of twin girls, what are their names?



- 1. A
- 2. B
- 3. B
- 4. D
- 5. C

6. Charlene Riva & Myia Rose

FREE Open Day Pack....HURRY STOCKS LIMITED!

If you're planning to have an Open Day at your club, why not use the Open Day pack to promote and advertise it!

The Open Day Pack is a Tennis Australia initiative and includes:

- Personalised Flyers- [Sample](#)
- Posters - [Sample 1](#), [Sample 2](#)
- Sign in Sheet [Download](#) the document and print it out. Use this to capture your potential members!
- Giveaway items – Tennis branded merchandise that will be sent to you (first come, first served basis while stock lasts)



How to Order:

Click the following link and complete the form.

<http://www.tennis.com.au/pages/default.aspx?id=4&pageId=14329>

Position Vacant: Tennis Operations Coordinator

The State Tennis Centre is looking for a casual *Tennis Operations Coordinator* to coordinate, implement and support the growth of tennis programs, activities and initiatives.

Click [here](#) for the position description.

Click [here](#) for the position overview.



Please forward to those that may be interested in the role.

2009-10 Hyundai Summer Tennis League Info

Website:

Information about the 2009-10 Summer League is now on the Tennis West [Website](#).

Nominations:

Nominations for the Summer League will close on **11 September, 2009**, except for Junior State League which will close on **4 September, 2009**.

Hyundai State League:

The State League Men's Competition - UWA has been successful in gaining the 8th place in the Men's League

Coordinators' Meeting:

Coordinators' Meeting will be held:

- Adults/Seniors: 31 August 7pm
- Juniors: 1 September 7pm
- Midweek: 2 September 9.30am



Junior Round Robin Events – Enter NOW!

Over the Winter period Tennis West along with 4 other Metropolitan Clubs will be holding several Round Robin Events.



As part of the Junior Development Series the purpose of these events is to introduce young athletes into the competition pathway of tennis. Allowing plenty of match play in a round robin format, athletes play singles and doubles and the event is run over a weekend.

If you have a child who is keen to play in one of these fun and progressive events please contact Jan Budden at Tennis West on 6462 8314 or jbudden@tennis.com.au, or one of the Club contacts listed below. Entry is via our website www.tennis.com.au/wa -> WA Tournaments.

8th – 9th August ‘Brixton St Tennis Centre’ – Entries close SOON! Get in quickly
Contact Mia Bonini 0432 966 785 or email brixtonjuniortournament@gmail.com

15th – 16th August ‘UWA Tennis Centre’
Contact Julian O’Donnell 9387 6056 or email juliano@sport.uwa.edu.au.

22nd – 23rd August ‘Sorrento Tennis Club’
Contact Richard Sampson 0433 777 195 or email instyletennis@yahoo.com.au



12th & or 19th September ‘State Tennis Centre’
Contact Jan Budden 6462 8314 or email jbudden@tennis.com.au

13th & or 20th September ‘Hensman Park Tennis Club’
Contact Ken McIntosh 9457 1410 or email k.mcintosh@bigpond.com

Heartmoves – August Workshop

The next Heartmoves workshop is being held on **21, 22 and 23rd of August 2009** at the Department of Sport and Recreation.



Heartmoves is a low to moderate intensity physical activity program specifically designed to cater for people with lifestyle risk factors or with existing stable chronic conditions such as heart disease, diabetes, obesity and arthritis.

This 3-day course will provide the skills, resources and accreditation you need to deliver a Heartmoves branded exercise program in your area. For more information about the workshop, click [here](#).

Clubs Online – Are Your Clubs Registered?

‘Clubs Online’ is a directory of local sport and recreation clubs in WA. From 24 May 2009 Channel 9 and 7 will be screening television adverts encouraging people to join a sport

and recreation club to benefit their mental health. The adverts will direct viewers to 'clubs online' to view the sport and recreation clubs in WA.

If your club has not yet registered their details and would like to they can follow the following link www.dsr.wa.gov.au



QUOTE OF THE WEEK

"To will is to select a goal, determine a course of action that will bring one to that goal, and then hold to that action till the goal is reached. The key is action."

-Michael Hanson

Sport & Recreation Facility Grants (CSRFF) – Applications Now Open

Applications are now open for the 2010/11 funding round of the Community Sporting and Recreation Facilities Fund (CSRFF).



Department of Sport and Recreation

Applications are invited from not-for-profit sport, recreation or community groups and local government authorities seeking capital works grants to develop sport and recreation facilities. These grants are made available by the WA Government.

Key changes have been made to CSRFF for the 2010/11 round. These include:

- **An increase of the available funds from \$9m per year to \$20m per year;**
- Introduction of a development bonus, allowing up to 50% funding of the total project cost for projects that meet certain criteria (previously one third funding)
- Introduction of two small grant rounds per year, for grants with a project cost of under \$150,000, allowing quicker release of funds; and
- Quarantining of a portion of the available funds for sustainability initiatives and non-metropolitan pool upgrades.

Applicants must discuss their application with the Department of Sport and Recreation (DSR). Further information about the CSRFF is available from www.dsr.wa.gov.au.

Applications for small grants close Friday 31st July 2009. Applications for standard grants generally close with the relevant government authority on Wednesday 30 September 2009.

Healthy Club Sponsorship

What would your Club do with \$2500?

Incorporated clubs playing in a recognized sporting competition over the 2009/10 Summer Season may apply for up to \$2,500 for initiatives to make their club safer, healthier and to train and educate volunteers.



In return for sponsorship, clubs are required to become permanently and totally smoke free in all indoor areas and introduce strategies to address other health issues. Clubs will also need to develop and introduce a Healthy Club Policy addressing the issues of smoking, sun protection, sport safety, alcohol and healthy food choices.

Guidelines and applications can be obtained from the Sports Medicine Australia website at www.smawa.asn.au from July 2009, or by contacting Sports Medicine Australia on (08) 9285 8033. Applications close 5pm, Monday 10th August.

For more information call: (08) 9285 8033 or email: healthyclub@smawa.asn.au

2010 Tennis West Sanctioned Tournament

Applications – Now Open!

A reminder that applications for 2010 Sanctioned Tournaments close **5pm, Friday 31 July**. Apply to have your tournament sanctioned by Tennis West in 2010 by accessing all information at www.tennis.com.au/wa --> [WA Tournaments](#) --> [Sanctioned Tournaments](#).



Tennis West is committed to improving the service provided here. We are currently reviewing the Player Sanction Fees and looking to reduce them if we can! We also realise that no one club or tournament is alike. As a result, we are willing to work with you to tailor a package that benefits your tournament!

It is a requirement of affiliation that all Open Tournaments apply for sanctioning. Please call **Darren Sturgess or Jan Budden on 6462 8300** if you want to know more about running and sanctioning tournaments.

Access your FREE Tournament Planner (TP) software now!

Be sure to get your version of Tournament Planner to help run your next club tournament or club championship. The software is FREE to all affiliated tennis clubs and your unique license will be issued upon return of the 'Club User Agreement'.

Log onto www.tennis.com.au/wa → **WA Tournaments** → **Club/Coach** → **Tournament Planner** to download the software and access more information.

Hold the Date: Tennis Industry Awards Night, Friday May 7, 2010.

The 2010 Tennis Industry Awards Night will be held on **Friday May 7**, at the **Government House Ballroom**. Please hold the date!



Young WA talent on show at 2009 UWA Junior Claycourt Championships

More than 150 players were in pursuit of valuable Australian Ranking (AR) points at this year's UWA Junior Claycourt Championships held from July 15-25. Whilst bad weather on the final day of the tournament forced a postponement of matches, players returned the following Saturday fired up and ready for the finals!

Simon Ferreira (*Claremont*) took out the Boys 10s title, beating Sam Alexander (*Corinthian Park*) 9-7. Whilst in the Girls 10s event Nina Sergeev, from Wembley Downs Tennis Club, comfortably defeated Chaney Norton (*Peppermint Grove*) 16-8.

After defeating number two seed Louis Corker (*North Beach*) in a gripping semi-final match, number three seed Luke Keddie (*Sorrento*) took on Scott Jones (*Reabold*) in the final. Despite Keddie's superb form in the Semi's, Jones convincingly took out the title, winning 6-1, 6-2. Jones and Keddie then combined in the doubles event to take on Corey Bavin (*Harvey*) and Dominic Bechard (*Scarborough*) in the final. With one set a piece, the match was eventually won by Jones and Keddie 6-0, 1-6, 7-6(9) after a nail-biter third set.

INTERESTING TENNIS FACT



Wimbledon is synonymous with strawberries. Every year, 24 tons of Kent strawberries are ordered for the Championships at Wimbledon!

Number one seed Ivana Vojinovic (*Blue Gum Park*) was the winner of the Girls 12s event, defeating Maddison Inglis (*Bayswater*) in two sets 6-0, 6-4. In the doubles event Inglis teamed up with Meg Connell (*Scarborough*) to defeat Giorgie Jones (*Brixton Street*) and Megan Kauffman (*Hensman Park*) 6-4, 6-3.

After an impressive win over number two seed Jack Lyttle (*North Beach*) in the Semi Finals, Ryan Godwin met number one seed Bjarke Boisen (*Reabold*) in the Boys 14s final. Boisen was the eventual winner of the match, comfortably defeating Godwin 6-4, 6-3. In the Boys 14s doubles event, Reabold duo Benjamin Dallinger and Alex Lenartowicz defeated Linus Goh (*UWA*) and Jack Lyttle (*North Beach*) in a gripping three set match 6-2, 2-6, 7-6 (8)

Fresh from her win at the 2009 State Hardcourt Championships, Storm Sanders (*Hensman Park*) continued her long-running winning streak to take out the Girls 14s event with a concise win over number two seed Ali Connell (*Scarborough*) 6-0, 6-1. Sanders backed up her singles win with a doubles title, taking out the Girls 14s doubles event with team mate Anja Dokic (*Hensman Park*). The pair defeated Jelena Glusac (*Hensman Park*) and Genevieve McCloskey (*Dalkeith*) 6-3, 6-2 in the final.

Number two seed Adrian Boston, from the UWA Tennis Club, comfortably took out both the Boys 16s and 18s event.

Meet WA's Rising Tennis Stars.....



This Week: Maddison Inglis

Name: Maddison Inglis **DOB:** 14/01/1998

Playing Tennis: 7 yrs

Coach: Nicole Sewell **Current Australian Ranking:** 642

Top 3 Achievements:

- 1) Won the 12s & 16s Singles in Kalgoorlie
- 2) Semi-finalist in the 12/U singles event at the WA Open
- 3) Finalist in the 12/U Doubles at the WA Open

Hobbies: Swimming, netball, tennis, hanging out with friends, shopping

Favourite Player: Fernando Verdasco

Tennis Highlight So Far: Flying to Mildura to play in the Milldura Nationals

Tennis Dream: To play for Australia and become one of the Top Ten tennis players.



Coaches Special Comments: When Maddi puts her mind to something, WATCH OUT! Coupled with her ability, she could prove to be a powerful force in the future.

Play by the Rules Workshop

Play by the Rules is a unique partnership between the Australian Sports Commission, Australian Human Rights Commission, all state and territory sport and recreation and anti-discrimination agencies and the Queensland Commission for Children, Young People and Child Guardian.

Two **Play by the Rules Workshops** will be held at the Department of Sport and Recreation on the 10th August 6.00pm-8.00pm and the 25th August 9.30am-11.30am. The workshops are free to attend, and will cover the following topics:



- Proactive approaches for how to create safe, inclusive and fair environments for all members
- How to deal with incidents if they arise
- Resources to support you in the area of Member Protection
- Key contacts for who can help you if there is an allegation/suspicion
- Examples of good practice.

RSVP essential by Tuesday 4th August – spaces are limited!
HelenCunningham@wasportsfed.asn.au or 9387 8100.

Play By The Rules www.playbytherules.net.au is a free website which offers online training, information and resources for clubs and sporting organisations to ensure everyone involved in sport can do so in enjoyable, safe environments, free from discrimination or harassment.

2009 Annual Membership Returns – Due Now!

The 2009 Annual Membership Returns were due by the end of June. If your club has not yet completed your annual return, please do so as soon as possible!

For those clubs participating in the 2009/10 Summer Tennis League your club's Annual return will need to be completed before the start of the season.

