

JUNE NEWSLETTER



Albert Park Lawn Tennis Club



No women's club championship this year so here's a pic of the club's winners of the 1895 2nd class competition

Diary Dates

Mark down **Friday August 12** in the diary for the APLTC Trivia Night.

It will be a fun night with Trivia Master Michael Fisher already working hard to come up with some curly questions. \$25 will get you some drink, nibbles, music and entrance into St Peter and Paul's Church Hall, cnr Montague and Banks Streets, South Melbourne. We're promising good prizes too.

Howzat for \$25? Further details to come closer to the event.

CLUBHOUSE USE

We welcome the use of the clubhouse as a base for parties held in the park but want to remind you that the courts are out of bounds for parties.

Also, don't be shy about using the barbecue. It's there for everyone to use and very easy to operate. If there are more than 10 people involved in any event, be it a family barbecue or a kids' party, contact APLTC president Peter Davidson to book the space. Mob: 0409 935936.

Of course, the clubhouse must be cleaned and swept and all rubbish taken with you after any event...

LIGHTS AND ACTION

Don't let the encroaching winter stop you playing tennis. Pop into everyone's favourite hardware shop in Albert Park, Bisbas Hardware at 196 Bridport Street, and buy tokens for the lights. They cost \$8 for 30 minutes and the lights metre is in the outside cupboard near the water fountain. To keep our neighbours happy, the lights don't operate after 10 pm.

One tip: Don't be left in the dark mid-set. The lights take 10 minutes to warm up, so remember to pop another token into the light metre at least 10 minutes before they are scheduled to go out.



2016 APLTC CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP

Nosti Bobolas is the winner of the 2016 APLTC Men's Champion. Nosti won the title in a hard-fought three-set match against Mark Balicki.

Nosti also won the Men's Doubles' crown with partner Bill Katelis. Again, it was a competitive three-setter played in great spirit against Allan Attwood and Neale Jolley. Unfortunately, we didn't run a women's competition due to lack of numbers but will try to again next year.

This year's winners received two reserved seats to a night game at the Margaret Court Arena during the Australian Open while the runners-up got a \$50 voucher to spend at Prelli Tennis, Collingwood.

Thanks to Dennis Klapas who organised the event, Michael Fisher who sorted the catering, Ron Hall who did his usual great job with the barbecue and the spectators who turned up to cheer the players along.



FOB FACTS

- The fob is your key to the courts as they open the clubhouse doors and gate.
- Fobs are issued to Senior Playing, Temporary and Pensioner Members.
- Junior members who don't have access to a parental fob can apply for one.
- If you lose your fob, there is a \$25 charge to replace it.
- If you haven't used your fob since it was issued to you it may not work and will need to be revalidated. This can only be done on the system's server. If this happens or you lose your fob, please contact APLTC treasurer Jamie Gatehouse at jamie@nayclare.com.au
- Note: Anyone who lends a fob to a non-member will have it cancelled.

