



# HENSMAN HERALD



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## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Our tennis season is off to a good start with excellent attendances of members on both Saturdays and Sundays. The usual efficiency from Kath and Brad and their team in the Captains room have provided us with plenty of tennis despite the slight shortage of courts. John Turners fellowship program looks like many happy days ahead for all of us.

I extend a warm welcome to all new members and visitors to our club.

A gentle reminder - save yourself and the Captains some embarrassment by wearing your green shoetags - this is proof of your 84/5 financial membership.

My committee join me in wishing all members a Merry Xmas, a Happy New Year and good tennis for 1985.

## COMING EVENTS

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| Saturday 15th Dec.  | Stay on after tennis for our ITALIAN night - food and wine supplied. What a fun night this promises to be.   |
| Sunday 23rd Dec.    | Father Christmas arrives at 5 p.m. Bring a small present value \$1.50 - \$2 and our bearded friend will distribute them amongst those present.                   |
| Saturday 30th Dec.  | 8 p.m. BUSH DANCE in Club House.   |
| Saturday 5th Jan.   | CAPT. v PRESIDENTS TEAM DAY. To celebrate our 60th Anniversary would everyone please wear dress of mid-twenties era - there will be prizes for the best dressed. |
| Sunday 6th Jan.     | CHAMPAGNE BREAKFAST. Tennis commences at 7 a.m. Breakfast at 9.30 a.m.   |
| Wednesday 16th Jan. | Twilight Tennis followed by Barbecue. \$3.50 per head - eats supplied.   |

## On the competition scene

\* Congratulations to Colin Napier who won an R.A.C. Sponsorship award and is at present playing several tournaments in the Eastern States.

Good to see Phil Searle having a hit again after being sidelined for several months - we understand Phil has played his last game of football for Hensman!!

Hensman Park now has another member on the W.A.L.T.A. Executive - Doug Napier who has replaced our Life Member Clive Wilderspin as Chairman of the State Selection Committee.

### PROVISIONAL JUNIOR CLUB

Under the guidance of Margaret Kingsbury and assisted by Paul Whitely and Phil Searle approximately 45 very keen juniors have been playing on Sunday mornings.

There will be ~~NO club on the 30th December or 6th January~~ but will resume again at 9.30 a.m. on 13th January.

FRIDAY PLAY - For a trial period during the good grass growing season the courts will be available for play after 5 p.m. on Fridays. The Groundsman is busy prior to this time hence no play till after 5.

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# PERSONAL PARS

Once again our members have been on the move.

Trevor Hickmott spent 10 weeks in North America and Heather Ali returned to Victoria for 5 weeks. John and Noreen Ince sat back in comfort and toured New Zealand by bus for 3 weeks, and we understand Lex Goetze is heading to Kiwi land also. Andrew Newton went to Melbourne for the V.F.L. Grand Final and Rodney and Lee Skipworth motored to Sydney and attended the James Hardie 1000 motor race.

Congratulations to new grandparents, Ray and Joan Field Marg and Bob Howman and Lexie Goetze. Also hear the stork is visiting Angela and Alan Bruce.

Sue Boyes is staying with relatives in New Zealand while her parents are holidaying in Asia. Poor Al is batching.

Our Fancy Dress Day was great fun as the conditions were quite windy and it was hilarious to watch members trying to play tennis and keep their costumes in place. The winners were Jan Dyson dressed as a tomato and Dick Pears as Wee Willie Winkie. Others of note were Andrea Hickey and Peter Mannolini as Packets of Twisties, Virginia Saunders as an Indian Lady and we're still not sure of the sex of the pink Kiwi!

Our hard working lady Captain Kathy Cook dressed up to kill as Irma La Duce received an offer too good to refuse from a curious motorist at a set of traffic lights! Come to think of it there were some puzzled looks from Coode Street motorists as they tried to work out what was happening to our strict dress rule.

## Lost And Found

Lost from Kitchen, -  
3 small square tablecloths  
Anyone knowing whereabouts  
please return to Marg.  
Howman.

## TENNIS TIP

From our Club Coach  
ROB MURTON.

Don't confuse yourself  
with the mechanics  
during a match.  
Concentrate on  
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## KEMPE, HUTCHISON ROUND ROBIN

This most popular event is coming up again in early April and we are pleased to advise that our very good supporters, the Real Estate firm of KEMPE, HUTCHISON will again fully sponsor the event.

PENNANT PLAYER OF THE YEAR. Results from the first rounds of pennants have been recorded and progress points will be posted shortly. The Ian Hutchison Awards have been going for some years now and it is a real incentive to give of your all for your team and your club.

## NEW MEMBERS

A big welcome to the following New Members. We look forward to sharing with you in the years ahead.

Scott Spicer, Matt Leggett, Alfred Donner, David Grasby, Cliff Carter, John Murray, Ross Gillow, Andrew Marnham, Shane Smedley, Gareth Phillips, Graham Ruthven, Peter Besgrove, Alan Anderson, Virginia Saunders, Louise Cameron, Jo-Ann Waywood, Marian Kiely, Elizabeth Myers, Karyn Harris, Lynn Bremner, Betty Huggett, Miriam Bowen, Janet Dyson, Shana Smith, Barry & Jan Bogaards.

## PENNANTS

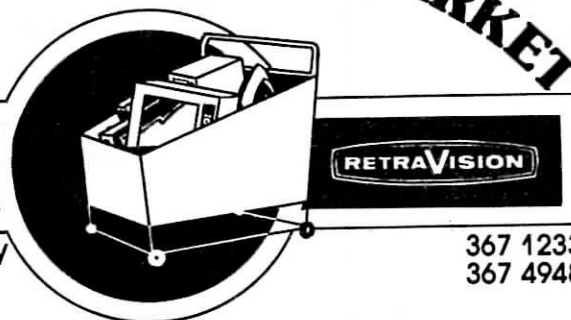
Our teams are in the following positions on the premiership table at the end of the 4th Round. Some are making a slow start and hopefully will be further up the table at the end of the home and away qualifying rounds.

Mens	A	1st	Ladies	A	3rd
	A2	5th		ARI	4th
	AR3	5th		AR2	3rd
	B1	4th		B2	1st
	B4	4th		B3	2nd
	C2	5th	Vets	2	6th
Vets	1	4th	Boys 16	3	3rd
	2	5th	Boys 16	6	6th
			Girls 16	4	2nd

Reminder - At the end of the season we will be voting on the new system of flexible playing order in teams - let your committee know your thoughts now.

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