

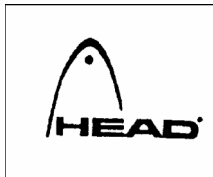
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RESULTS 2007 AUSTRALIAN TENNIS SENIORS CHAMPIONSHIPS—PERTH WA 7-19 JANUARY

Once again VICTORIA has won the Teams Event at this Championships—congratulations.

Final points for THE AUSTRALIAN TEAMS TROPHY are as follows:

VICTORIA	14 teams	63.41%
QUEENSLAND	18 teams	56.95%
NEW SOUTH WALES	23 teams	55.14%
AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY	6 teams	51.46%
CANADA	1 team	50.00%
WESTERN AUSTRALIA	48 teams	45.75%
SOUTH AUSTRALIA	17 teams	41.32%
NEW ZEALAND	5 teams	36.87%
TASMANIA	1 team	25.00%

The winning Division is decided by the best percentage (%) of sets won and credited against sets played and credited during the round robin matches by all teams from that Division, including all playoff finals. Actual match points (as distinct from set points) awarded in the minor round matches are NOT to be counted.

This system is currently under review as there is a school of thought that the actual match points (as distinct from set points) should be counted in the overall total. Each Division/ State has been asked to conduct their own review and forward a formal reply to Tennis Seniors Australia by end of March, 2007. The Queensland teams who participated in Perth will be contacted for their input. If any members who did not go to Perth have an opinion on the matter, please contact Secretary, Coral.

Queensland had three winning teams and they are:

WOMEN 55/2	MEN 60/2	MEN 70/2
Jenny Griggs ©	Dennis Biggs ©	John E Walker ©
Ann Cosgrove	Murray Irvine	Neville Langford
Annette Pratt	Stan Cuthbert	Kerry Burke
Lorraine Fogarty	Luke bond	Garth Wenck
Jenny Young	Mick Fogarty	Reg Payne

Toowoomba Vets were well represented by all of the girls in the winning 55/2 team and one of the men in 60/2 team (Mick Fogarty) - must be something in the mountain air.

We had 6 teams placed as Runners-up and 4 teams in 3rd position which all counted to our credit-able placing as No 2 Division.

R/up teams: 45 Men; 50 Men; 55/1 Men; 75 Men; 50 Women , 55/1 Women.

3rd place: 40 Men; 70/1 Men; 60/2 Women & 65 Women.

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Congratulation to all Queensland winners & runners-up in the following Individual events in Perth:

Winners:

70+ Mens Singles	Peter Froelich (Gold Coast) def Kevin Crump (Gold Coast)	6/2 6/3
140 + Mens Doubles	Ron Hambleton (Brisbane) & Tony Harkin (NSW) def Neville Langford (Brisbane) & Max Byrne (TAS)	6/4 7/6
70+ Womens Doubles	Nola Collins (Gold Coast) & Margaret Robinson (WA) def Alison Ide (ACT) & Joyce Rogers (VIC)	3 wins to 2 wins
130+ Womens Doubles	Norma Godbolt-McGhie (Gold Coast) & Alison Ide (ACT) def Merna Datson (VIC) & Peggy Hoysted (NSW)	3 wins to 2 wins

Runners-up:

45+ Mens Singles	Simon Arms (VIC) def Mike ford (Gold Coast)	6/7 6/2 6/3
75+ Mens Singles	Max Byrne (TAS) def Adrian Alle (Gold Coast)	6/1 6/3
55+ Mens Doubles	Lito Alvarez & Peter Rigg (WA) def Max Bates (Brisbane) & Andrew Rae (VIC)	4/6 7/6 6/1
70+ Mens Doubles	Tony Harkin & Ian King (NSW) def Max Byrne (TAS) & Neville Langford (Brisbane)	6/0 6/1
80+ Mens Doubles	Doug Corbett (NSW) & Richard Wilson (Gold Coast) def Neville Halligan (Brisbane) & Brian Hurley (ACT)	2 wins to 1 win
150+ Mens Doubles	Bert Barwick (NSW) & Ward Hillier (VIC) def Don Cosgrove (NSW) & Adrian Alle (Gold Coast)	3/6 6/4 6/4
65+ Womens Doubles	Lesley Heumiller & Margaret Wayte (NSW) def Heather McKay (ACT) & Jill Taylor (Gold Coast)	6/2 4/6 6/2
35+ Mixed Doubles	Narelle Follington (NSW) & Martin Richards (SA) def Natalie Cutcliffe (NSW) & Chris O'Mara (Toowoomba)	6/3 6/3

Consolation:

30/55 Mens Singles	Michael Russell (Brisbane) def Tony Bray (NSW) In this event, Michael defeated Paul Kleverlaan (VIC) who was seeded No 3 in main draw.	
65+ Mens Singles	John S Walker (Gold Coast) def Alan Swingler (VIC)	6/4 7/6
60/70 Mens Singles	Lee Taylor (Gold Coast) def Ken Harris (WA)	
35/50 Womens Singles	Ros Hand (Gold Coast) def Diana Buchanan (NSW)	

2008 Australian Tennis Seniors championships will be held in WODONGA, VICTORIA from Monday 21 January to Friday 1 February , 2008.

NEW ZEALAND TOUR 2007

A social tour of the North Island of New Zealand is planned for 8-22 September, 2007. Touring and enjoying the delights of this lovely country is the main objective, plus playing a little social tennis with our New Zealand friends. The annual competition for the "Poynter Plate" will also be played.

Tennis is scheduled to be played against NZ Seniors in Auckland (twice), Warkworth, Tauranga, Hamilton & Te Aroha, as well as sightseeing. A costing is currently being sought and will be made available as soon as known.

If you wish to express initial interest, contact:

ALISON IDE (ACT) on Phone: 02 6249 7976 or Email: idea@netspeed.com.au



SUPER-SENIORS TEAMS RESULTS – TURKEY, OCTOBER, 2006.

Our representative players performed particularly well in Turkey, but found the opposition rather tough this year. So we did not win any Cups, but we finished second in the Crawford Cup and our ladies had a third place in the Marble Cup.

We must again give due credit and our congratulations to the USA Teams, winning four of the nine Cups over the week

<u>MEN</u>	<u>NO OF TEAMS</u>	<u>AUSTRALIA FINISHED</u>	<u>WON BY</u>
von Cramm Cup (60+)	19	6 th	UNITED STATES
Britannia Cup (65+)	20	6 th	AUSTRIA
Crawford Cup (70+)	13	2 nd	UNITED STATES
Grant Cup (75+)	9	7 th	CANADA
Mulloy Cup (80+)	9	5 th	AUSTRIA
<u>WOMEN</u>			
Marble Cup (60+)	14	3 rd	GERMANY
Godfrey Cup (65+)	10	9 th	UNITED STATES
Gibson Cup (70+)	12	5 th	UNITED STATES
Queens' Cup (75+)	7	Did not compete	GREAT BRITAIN



Tennis Seniors Australia wish to advise that the following players have been appointed to our National Selection Committee. The responsibilities of these personnel become effective as from 1 March, 2007 for a period of twelve months.

SELECTION COMMITTEE APPOINTMENTS

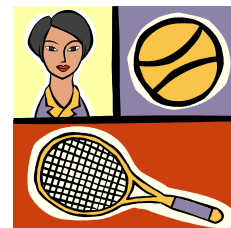
SENIORS

MEN

MIKE FORD (QLD)
ROGER GRANT (WA)
PAUL KLEVERLAAN (VIC)
ANDREW RAE (VIC)

WOMEN

KERRY BALLARD (NSW)
ROS BALODIS (ACT)
NATALIE CUTCLIFFE (NSW)
LYN MORTIMER (VIC)



SUPER SENIORS

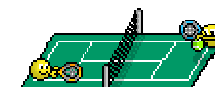
MEN

ALAN GOOCH (WA)
DENNIS HAUPT (SA)
BOB HOWES (NSW)
NEVILLE LANGFORD (QLD)

WOMEN

NOLA COLLINS (QLD)
LESLEY HEUMILLER (NSW)
MARGARET ROBINSON (WA)
JOYCE ROGERS (VIC)

QLD TOURNAMENTS COMING UP:



March 23-25	GYMPIE	Contact: Warren Arnell	0418 715 148
May 5-7	GOLD COAST	Contact: Margaret Davidson	07 5538 6175
May 19-20	BILOELA	Contact: Clarice White	07 4995 1128
		(20th Anniversary tournament)	
June 9-11	BUNDABERG	Contact: Alan Searle	07 4155 2448
June 29-July 2	<u>2007 Queensland Tennis Seniors Championships—ITF Category 3 at Gold Coast Seniors Tennis Club, Pizzey Park</u>		

Contact: Gail Bates 07 3264 3556 Fax: 07 3264 7862
Email: mgbates@smartchat.net.au

JUST FOR FUN

GREAT TRUTHS ABOUT GROW- ING OLD:

1. Growing old is mandatory; growing up is optional.

2. Forget the health food. I need all the preservatives I can get.

3. When you fall down, you wonder what else you can do while you're down there.

4. You're getting old when you get the same sensation from a rocking chair that you once got from a roller coaster.

5. It's frustrating when you know all the answers but nobody bothers to ask the questions.

6. Time may be a great healer, but it's a lousy beautician.

7. Wisdom comes with age, but sometimes age comes alone.



TO ALL CLUBS

We would remind Clubs that the Management Committee now consists of the following:

PRESIDENT	John S. Walker
VICE-PRESIDENT	Alan Hocking
SECRETARY	Coral Vickers
TREASURER	Graham Brown
COMMITTEE MEMBER	Gail Bates

There are now no longer delegates from the Clubs but there will be a Presidents' meeting held at some tournaments throughout the year so that Clubs can have input into the running of the Association. The first of such meetings will be held at Gympie on Saturday 24 March at 12.30pm approximately.

If any Clubs have an item they wish to be discussed at this meeting, could they please forward to Coral by 16 March, so that the details can be circulated to other Clubs prior to the meeting.

WIMBLEDON BALLOT OPENS FOR 2007

Tennis Queensland presents a wonderful chance for their members to secure tickets to the Wimbledon Championships 2007. Tennis Australia has been allocated a small number of hard-to-come-by tickets for Centre court, Court No 1 and Court No 2. Tennis Queensland members intending to visit England during the Championships may apply to purchase tickets through the Tennis Queensland ballot.

Due to the huge demand for tickets, each applicant will be limited to apply for two tickets for a maximum of two days of the Championships.

If you would like to be part of the ballot please go to www.tennisqueensland.com.au and read the terms and conditions, complete the application form and return to Tennis Queensland **by no later than Friday 26 February**. Please contact Abby Bradshaw at the Tennis Queensland State Office for further information.

Phone: 07 3871 8555; or Email: abradshaw@tennisqueensland.com.au

If you want a copy of the Application Form & Price List, contact Coral and a copy will be sent to you.

CLUB NEWS

Brisbane Veterans will commence fixtures for Division 2 on Sunday 18 February. Other divisions will commence on Sunday 25 February.

Newsletters will be sent to all those who are currently on the mailing list. If you wish to continue to be on the mailing list, please complete and return the form enclosed with this newsletter. Those members with access to the internet can view copies of the newsletter by visiting our website: www.tenniseniors.org.au/qld

Items of Club news, photos from tournaments, or stories from members would be appreciated by Coral for the newsletter or for placing on our website.

2007 TSA Tournament Calendar is now available on Tennis Seniors Australia website:

www.tenniseniors.org.au

**TEAMS SELECTED TO REPRESENT AUSTRALIA
IN THE 2007 ITF SENIORS CUPS COMPETITIONS**

VENUE: ANTALYA, TURKEY

APRIL 23-28



WOMEN

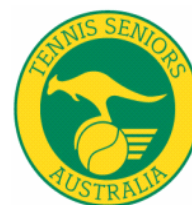
LENGLEN CUP 35+		NO TEAM SELECTED		
YOUNG CUP 40+		NO TEAM SELECTED		
COURT CUP 45+	1	BRENDA FOSTER	NSW	
	2	LEANNE SWAYSLAND	NSW	Captain
	3	ROS EVANS	QLD	
		<i>Wanda Clothier</i>	VIC	Reserve
BUENO CUP 50+	1	PAULA BONGETTI	VIC	
	2	LYN MORTIMER	VIC	Captain
	3	KERRI YOUNG	VIC	
		<i>Suzy Ellis</i>	NSW	Reserve
CONNOLLY CUP 55+	1	HELEN WORLAND	NSW	Captain
	2	KERRY BALLARD	NSW	
	3	ADRIENNE AVIS	NSW	
		<i>Sue Walter</i>	VIC	Reserve

MEN

ITALIA CUP 35+	1	BRENDON ROSE	NSW	
	2	MARTIN RICHARDS	SA	Captain
	3	RINO TRAFORTI	SA	
		<i>Paul Kleverlaan</i>	VIC	Reserve
TRABERT CUP 40+	1	GREG WESTWOOD	NSW	
	2	ANDREW SCHUELKE	SA	Captain
DUBLER CUP 45+	1	ROGER GRANT	WA	Captain
	2	MIKE FORD	QLD	
	3	SIMON ARMS	VIC	
		<i>Michael Martin</i>	VIC	Reserve
PERRY CUP 50+	1	GLENN BUSBY	VIC	
	2	WAYNE PASCOE	NSW	
	3	BRUCE OSBORNE	VIC	Captain
		<i>Greg Harrison</i>	VIC	Reserve
AUSTRIA CUP 55+	1	ANDREW RAE	VIC	Captain
	2	MAX BATES	QLD	
	3	RUSSELL WATTS	VIC	
		<i>Ray Bray</i>	VIC	Reserve

2007 ITF Seniors (35 to 55) World Individual Championships will be held in Antalya, Turkey from April 29-to May 6.

TEAMS SELECTED TO REPRESENT AUSTRALIA
IN THE 2007 ITF SUPER-SENIORS CUPS COMPETITIONS
VENUE—CHRISTCHURCH, NZ
OCTOBER 12-18



WOMEN

MARBLE CUP 60+	1	CAROL CAMPLING	NSW	Captain
	2	MARILYN DAVIS	QLD	
	3	LOU GRIFFITH	VIC	
	4	HEATHER BARWICK	VIC	
		<i>Bev Eddington</i>	NSW	Reserve
GODFREY CUP 65+	1	MARGARET WAYTE	NSW	
	2	LINDA PENGELLY	VIC	
	3	HELEN MUIR	WA	
	4	LESLEY HEUMILLER	NSW	Captain
		<i>Judy Hancy</i>	VIC	Reserve
GIBSON CUP 70+	1	MARGARET ROBINSON	WA	Captain
	2	NOLA COLLINS	QLD	
	3	JOYCE ROGERS	VIC	
	4	HELEN FERRIS	NSW	
		<i>Peg Hoysted</i>	NSW	Reserve
QUEENS CUP 75+	1	ELSIE CROWE	WA	Captain
	2	BARBARA GODFREY	VIC	
	3	CLAIRE MURRIE	SA	
	4	BETH LOWN	NSW	
		<i>Pat Ubrihien</i>	NSW	Reserve

MEN

von CRAMM CUP 60+	1	TERRY SMITH	VIC	
	2	ALAN WALSH	NSW	Captain
	3	PHILLIP HIGGS	ACT	
	4	TERRY McLELLAN	QLD	
		<i>Ian Davis</i>	NSW	Reserve
BRITANNIA CUP 65+	1	BOB HOWES	NSW	Captain
	2	BRUCE BURNS	NSW	
	3	MURRAY FRENCH	VIC	
	4	TOM DOWNIE	VIC	
		<i>Maurie Broom</i>	VIC	Reserve
CRAWFORD CUP 70+	1	PETER FROELICH	QLD	
	2	IAN KING	NSW	Captain
	3	TONY HARKIN	NSW	
	4	RAY WOODFORDE	SA	
		<i>Hugh Bloink</i>	VIC	Reserve
GRANT CUP 75+	1	MAX BYRNE	TAS	Captain
	2	ADRIAN ALLE	QLD	
	3	RON de COSTA	NSW	
	4	JOHN McCARTHY	NSW	
		<i>Stan Hawkins</i>	SA	Reserve
MULLOY CUP 80+	1	DOUG CORBETT	NSW	Captain
	2	WARD HILLIER	VIC	
	3	DICK WILSON	QLD	
	4	NEVILLE HALLIGAN	QLD	
		<i>Neale Hook</i>	QLD	Reserve

2007 Super-Seniors (60 to 75 Women & 60 to 80 Men) World Individual Championships will be held in Christchurch, New Zealand from October 19-26.