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**FEBRUARY NEWSLETTER**

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**2014 AUSTRALIAN TEAMS CARNIVAL—HOBART— 12 to 17 January**

We had 15 teams competing at this Teams Carnival—9 Mens teams and 1 Combined Mens team and 5 Womens teams. For the first time since 2008 **QUEENSLAND WON** the prestigious Teams Trophy. Seven of our teams were successful—four Mens teams and three Womens teams. Congratulations to all those who competed as all sets won counted towards the Trophy.

Winning teams were:

**MENS 35-49/1**

Michael Walters Capt.  
Paul Macknamara  
John Scott  
Darren Blade  
David Evans  
Guido Schouteten  
Darren Verrall

**MENS 60-69/1**

Max Bates Capt.  
Brian Savage  
Ian Gallagher  
Allen Hooper  
Gary Petterson  
Merv Rickards

**Mens 60-69/2**

Neal Healy Capt.  
Ross Orford  
Geoff Voller  
Les Apolloni  
Jim Gillespie  
Fred Beven

**MEN 70-74**

Terry Mc Lellan Capt.  
Denis O'Neill  
Kevin Bradley  
John Walker  
Peter Froelich

**WOMEN 35-49**

Melinda Singleton Capt.  
Jo Brooks  
Alison Lackey  
Narelle Jeffress  
Tracey Berrell  
Vicki Perlic

**WOMEN 50-59**

Sandy Birnie Capt.  
Sandra Hines  
Dell Madsen  
Loretta Beekhuizen  
Jo Shearer  
Maryanne Winter

**WOMEN 60-69/1**

Judith Rodins Capt.  
Alison Peters  
Meg West  
May Muggleton  
Lyn Stamper



**Final points per State:-**

	State	Total Teams	Sets Won	Sets Played	Trophy%
1.	QLD	15	487	807.5	60.3
2.	SA	13	377.75	736	51.3
3.	ACT	8	204.75	424	48.3
4.	TAS	10	204.75	504	48.1
5.	VIC	14	348	724	48.1
6.	NSW	22	528.5	1133.5	46.6
7.	WA	22	537.75	1170	46.0

At the Presentation Dinner Dance, the winners of the Individual Awards were announced on Friday night. They are:

- 2013 Administrator of the Year—Pat Moloney (ACT)
- 2013 Player of the Year— Doug Corbett (NSW)
- 2013 Player Achievement Award—Robyn Castle ( NSW) - inaugural Award.

**2015 Australian Teams Carnival will be held in Canberra ACT from 5-9 January and Australian Individual Championships will be from 11-16 January.**

Players are invited to start thinking about this event which will be held at the newly re-developed National Sports Club Lyneham and other tennis clubs around the nation's Capital.



**2014 TENNIS SENIORS AUSTRALIA INDIVIDUAL CHAMPIONSHIPS—HOBART –19 to 24 January**

**RESULTS of Queensland Players:**

**MEN**

**WINNERS**

70 Mens Singles	<b>Lee Taylor (Gold Coast)</b> defeated Hayden Rees (VIC)	6/1 6/1
45 Mens Doubles	<b>Chris O'Mara (Toowoomba)</b> & Gary Nadebaum (SA) defeated Guido Schouteten (Sunshine Coast) & Rodney Wilson (VIC)	3wins/2wins
70 Mens Doubles	<b>Terry Mc Lellan (Brisbane) &amp; Lee Taylor (Gold Coast)</b> defeated Ian Davis & Alan Walsh (NSW)	5/5 Retired
80 Mens Doubles	<b>Adrian Alle (Gold Coast)</b> & John O'Brien (NSW) defeated Max Byrne (TAS) & <b>Neville Langford (Brisbane)</b>	6/4 0/6 10/8
45 Mixed Doubles	<b>Paul Macknamara (Gold Coast)</b> & Julie Golightly (VIC) defeated Chris O'Mara (Toowoomba) & Brenda Foster (NSW)	6/2 3/6 7/5

**WOMEN**

75/80 Womens Doubles	<b>Joy Rigter (Gold Coast)</b> & Nola Collins (VIC) defeated Peg Hoysted (NSW) & Margaret Robinson (WA)	6/1 6/4
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**RUNNERS-UP**

45 Mens Singles	Igor Jovanovic (NSW) defeated <b>Geoff Rafter (Sunshine Coast)</b>	6/4 6/2
55 Mens Singles	Glenn Busby (VIC) defeated <b>Mike Ford (Gold Coast)</b>	6/0 6/1
35/40 Mens Doubles	Peter Doohan (NSW) & Richard Wynwood (TAS) defeated <b>Guido Schouteten (Sunshine Coast)</b> & Rodney Wilson (VIC)	3wins/2wins
45 Mens Doubles	Chris O'Mara (Toowoomba) & Gary Nadebaum (SA) defeated <b>Guido Schouteten (Sunshine Coast)</b> & Rodney Wilson (VIC)	3wins/2wins
55 Mens Doubles	Glenn Busby (VIC) & Paul Wilson (Sth Africa) defeated <b>Mike Ford (Gold Coast)</b> & Colin Holgate (ACT)	6/3 6/1
75 Mens Doubles	Bob Howes (VIC) & Bruce Rehn (SA) defeated <b>Peter Froelich (Gold Coast)</b> & John Powless (USA)	7/2 6/2
55/60 Womens Doubles	Adrienne Avis & Helen Worland (NSW) defeated <b>Wendy Gilchrist (Gold Coast)</b> & Sue Ellis (NSW)	2 wins/2wins on %
65 Womens Doubles	Kerry Ballard & Carol Campling (NSW) defeated <b>Judith Rodins &amp; Elviry Schroder (Brisbane)</b>	2wins/1win
120/130 Comb Mens Doubles	Michael Collins & Len Little (VIC) defeated <b>Kevin Bradley (Gold Coast) &amp; Noel Cheshire (Murgon)</b>	6/1 6/2
150 Comb. Mens Doubles	Tony Harkin & Ian King (NSW) defeated <b>Ralph Amitrano &amp; Alan Hocking (Sunshine Coast)</b>	6/0 1/6 10/2
45 Mixed Doubles	Paul Macknamara (Gold Coast) & Julie Golightly (VIC) defeated <b>Chris O'Mara (Toowoomba)</b> & Brenda Foster (NSW)	6/2 3/6 7/5
60 Mixed Doubles	Peter Jenkins & Sue Walter (VIC) defeated <b>Max Bates (Brisbane) &amp; Wendy Gilchrist (Gold Coast)</b>	6/3 5/7 6/4
65 Mixed Doubles	Don Mc Indoe & Carol Campling (NSW) defeated <b>Ray &amp; Meg West (Gold Coast)</b>	6/0 6/1
80 Mixed Doubles	Max Byrne (TAS) & Margaret Robinson (WA) defeated <b>Claude Wenzel (Gold Coast)</b> & June-Ann Byrne (Ireland)	6/2 6/3

**CONSOLATION SINGLES**

**WINNERS**

55 Mens Singles	<b>Jeff Trevarthen (Toowoomba)</b> defeated Clive Wilkinson (NSW)	6/4 2/6 10/1
80 Mens Singles	<b>Claude Wenzel (Gold Coast)</b> defeated Hugh Bloink (VIC)	6/4 6/1

**RUNNERS-UP**

50 Mens Singles	Peter Gard (VIC) defeated <b>Peter Dighton (Brisbane)</b>	6/1 6/4
60 Mens Singles	Doug Robinson (TAS) defeated <b>John Drew (Brisbane)</b>	7/5 6/3
75 Mens Singles	Alan Morcombe (WA) defeated <b>Garth Wenck (Sunshine Coast)</b>	6/1 1/0 Retired

**Results from 2013 ITF SUPER-SENIOR CUPS COMPETITION held in Czech Republic & Austria—9 to 14 Sept.**

**WOMEN**

**ALICE MARBLE 60+**

Kerry Ballard (Capt) NSW; **Wendy Gilchrist (QLD)**; Sue Walter VIC; Kim Blackburne NSW

WINNING COUNTRY

**Finished in 5th position**

USA defeated Austria

**KITTY GODFREE CUP 65+**

Carol Campling (Capt) NSW; Kerin Tulloch VIC; Margaret Harris VIC

WINNING COUNTRY

**Finished in 4th position**

France defeated USA

**ALTHEA GIBSON CUP 70+**

Judy Hancy (Capt) VIC; Helen Muir WA; Linda Pengelly VIC; June Simpson VIC

WINNING COUNTRY

**Finished in 5th position**

Great Britain defeated USA

**QUEENS CUP 75+**

Nola Collins (Capt) VIC; **Joy Rigter QLD**; Helen Ferris NSW; Joyce Rogers VIC

WINNING COUNTRY

**Finished in 7th position**

USA defeated Great Britain

**DORIS HART CUP 80+**

Margaret Robinson (Capt) WA; Peg Hoysted NSW; Shirley Whitaker VIC; Elsie Crowe WA

WINNING COUNTRY

**Finished in 2nd position**

Canada defeated Australia

**MEN**

**VON CRAMM CUP 60+**

Andrew Rae (Capt) VIC; Peter Jenkins VIC; **Max Bates QLD**; Russell Watts VIC

WINNING COUNTRY

**Finished in 11th position**

USA defeated France

**BRITANNIA CUP 65+**

Alan Gooch (Capt) WA; Michael Pyne NSW; Roger Davey SA; Henry Michael WA

WINNING COUNTRY

**Finished in 13th position**

Spain defeated Switzerland

**JACK CRAWFORD CUP 70+**

Dennis Bindon (Capt) NSW; Alan Walsh NSW; Bruce Rehn SA; Maurice Broom VIC

WINNING COUNTRY

**Finished in 4th position**

USA defeated Austria

**BITSY GRANT CUP 75+**

**Peter Froelich (Capt) QLD**; Ian King NSW; **Kevin Crump QLD**; **Ron Hambleton QLD**

WINNING COUNTRY

**Finished in 3rd position**

USA defeated Germany

**GARDNAR MULLOY CUP 80+**

**Alan Hocking (Capt) QLD**; Max Byrne TAS; **Neville Langford QLD**; Bert Barwick NSW

WINNING COUNTRY

**Finished in 3rd position**

USA defeated France

**2013 ITF World Super-Seniors Individual Championships held in Austria from 15 to 22 September**

**WINNERS**

85+ Mens Singles & 85 Mens Doubles

Doug Corbett NSW

65+ Womens Doubles

Carol Campling NSW

75+ Mens Doubles

**Peter Froelich QLD**

80+ Mixed Doubles

Margaret Robinson (WA) & Max Byrne (TAS)

**RUNNERS-UP**

80+ Womens Singles

Margaret Robinson (WA)

70+ Mens Doubles

Alan Walsh and Dennis Bindon (NSW)

75+ Mens Doubles

Ian King (NSW) and **Kevin Crump (QLD)**

75+ Womens Doubles

Nola Collins (VIC) and **Joy Rigter (QLD)**

80+ Mixed Doubles

Bert Barwick (NSW) and Ann Williams (GBR)

**CONSOLATION WINNERS**

70 Mens Singles—Bruce Rehn (SA); 75+ Mens Singles—**Kevin Crump (QLD)**; 80+ Mens Singles—Max Byrne (TAS).



Tennis Seniors Australia congratulates all players, in particular those who brought home medals, All results can be found on [www.itftennis.com/seniors/home.aspx](http://www.itftennis.com/seniors/home.aspx)



### TSA NATIONAL SELECTORS FOR 2014

The following National Selectors were announced at Tennis Seniors Australia's AGM held on the 15th January in Hobart. Their term of office commences immediately.

YOUNG SENIORS	Ladies: Narelle Follington (NSW); Jo Walter (NSW) & Julie Golightly (VIC) Men: <b>Rhys Mc Dougall (QLD)</b> ; Andrew Schuelke (SA) & Mike Roberts (WA)
SENIORS	Ladies: Ros Balodis (ACT); <b>Kym Ireland (QLD)</b> & Di Cassel (NSW) Men: Colin Holgate (ACT); <b>Mike Ford (QLD)</b> & Graeme Sticka (NSW)
SUPER-SENIORS	Ladies: Bobbie Edwards (WA); Carol Campling (NSW) & <b>Joy Rigter (QLD)</b> Men: Bob Howes (VIC); Alan Gooch (WA) & <b>Lee Taylor (QLD)</b>

The TSA Executive takes this opportunity to thank other players who nominated and also past selectors—Martin Richards, Paul Kleverlaan, Brenda Foster, Wendy Harrison, Dennis Haupt, Judy Hancy and Neville Langford.

### SENIOR TEAMS selected to represent Australia in the ITF CUPS for 2014

Venue is Palm Gardens, Florida USA—21 to 26 April; Individual Championships—27 April to 4 May

#### WOMEN

<b>LENGLÉN CUP 35+</b>	Karen Kleverlaan (Capt) VIC; Karen Maddison WA; Nicole Smith NSW
<b>YOUNG CUP 40+</b>	No team selected
<b>COURT CUP 45+</b>	Fiona Medina (Capt) VIC; <b>Julie Dybendahl QLD</b> ; Chris Luhrs SA; Julie Golightly VIC
<b>BUENO CUP 50+</b>	Narelle Raftery (Capt) ACT; Brenda Foster NSW; Wanda Howes VIC; Diane Cassel NSW Res: Leanne Swaysland NSW & 2nd Res: Davina Yates VIC
<b>CONNOLLY CUP 55+</b>	Roslyn Balodis (Capt) ACT; Wendy Harrison VIC; Helen Shea NSW; Fiona Walker VIC Res: Sara Goddard NSW

#### MEN

<b>ITALIA CUP 35+</b>	Adam Alessandrini (Capt) SA; Andrew Tavella SA; Scott Uttley WA; Adam Bick WA
<b>TRABERT CUP 40+</b>	Martin Richards (Capt) SA; Brett Patten WA; Matt Olsen NSW; <b>Rhys Mc Dougall (QLD)</b>
<b>DUBLER CUP 45+</b>	<b>Chris O'Mara (Capt) QLD</b> ; Garry Nadebaum SA; Igor Jovanovic NSW; <b>Mark Hodgson QLD</b> Res: <b>Guido Schouteten QLD</b>
<b>PERRY CUP 50+</b>	Bruce Ferguson (Capt) VIC; Simon Arms VIC; Chris Arms VIC; Peter Gard VIC
<b>AUSTRIA CUP 55+</b>	<b>Mike Ford (Capt) QLD</b> ; Glenn Busby VIC; Colin Holgate ACT; Ronald Evans VIC

### SUPER-SENIORS TEAMS to represent Australia in the ITF CUPS for 2014—to be announced

Venue is Antalya, TURKEY; from 13-18 October; Individual Championships from 19-26 October

### ITF have announced dates and venues for WORLD TITLES 2015 and 2016

The dates and venues of the three **2015 World Championships** are as follows:

Young Seniors World Team Championships:	16-21 March 2015—Antalya, Turkey
Young Seniors World Individual Championships:	22-29 March 2015—Antalya, Turkey
Seniors World Team Championships:	8-13 June 2015—La Baule, France
Seniors World Individual Championships:	14-21 June 2015—La Baule, France
Super-Seniors World Team Championships:	21-26 September 2015—Umag & Novigrad, Croatia
Super-Seniors World Individual Championships:	27 Sept—4 Oct 2015—Umag & Novigrad, Croatia

The dates and venues of the three **2016 World Championships** are as follows:

Young Seniors World Team Championships:	2-7 May 2016—Rovinj, Vrsar and Umag, Croatia
Young Seniors World Individual Championships:	8-15 May 2016—Umag, Croatia
Seniors World Team & Individual Championships:	To be announced
Super-Seniors World Team Championships:	24-29 October 2016—Antalya, Turkey
Super-Seniors World Individual Championships:	30 Oct—6 Nov 2016—Antalya, Turkey

**CHINA TENNIS TOUR 2014**  
**SHANGHAI—OCTOBER 8-15th from \$3990**



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We offer another exciting travel opportunity to combine your tennis and holiday to China in 2014. After our previous tennis tours to China, this wonderful tour will feature club matches against local players and 2 days at the Shanghai Masters. Your tour leaders JUSTIN WIGHT and TANYA LEE will ensure you have a memorable holiday. This tour will include taking the sights of Shanghai, tennis club matches as well as time to enjoy the incredible culture, history and attractions that China has to offer. We also offer a post tour to Beijing for more tennis at Li Na's Club and the chance to experience the Forbidden City and The Great Wall of China. Players of all standards, partners, non-tennis players and families are most welcome. We guarantee great tennis, luxury hotels, exciting adventures and an unforgettable experience.

**JUST FOR FUN**

I'm not the easiest guy to get along with. So when our anniversary rolled around, I wanted my wife to know how much I appreciated her tolerating me for the past 20 years. I ordered flowers and told the florist to enclose a card that read, "Thanks for putting up with me so long." When my wife got the delivery, she called me at work. "Where are you going?" she asked. "What do you mean?" I said. She read the card aloud as the florist had written it: "Thanks for putting up with me. So long."

**2014 FIJI OPEN TENNIS CHAMPIONSHIPS**

Date: Wednesday 4th to Sunday 8th June  
NADI  
For all enquiries regarding the tournament contact:  
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Venue: Denarau Golf and Racket Club, Denarau Island,  
Events—Open, A Grade, Veterans, Social and Juniors  
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Denarau Golf & Racquet Club  
Phone: (679) 675 9710  
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**Entries close 25 May, 2014—contact TSQ Secretary for Entry Form package.**

**PAST PLAYERS REMEMBERED**

It is with much sadness that we report the passing of Lloyd Pitt of Bundaberg. Lloyd will be remembered for his dry sense of humour and his gentlemanly manner on and off the court—many of our older players will remember him. Also to be remembered is Allen Samuelsson who lost his battle with cancer late last year and Max Stuart, playing partner of John Penny of Gold Coast, who also passed away.

**ON SICK LIST**

After competing and winning in Mens 60-69/1 team for Queensland in Hobart, our friend from Longreach, Brian Savage, went home and promptly put himself in hospital with heart problems. He is back home again and recuperating well. Hope you are back on the court soon.



Our long time tennis player, Charles Roe of Gold Coast is also not well and we send him our best wishes.