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TSQ Senior of the Year for 2019 - Ian Somers

At last night's Annual Queensland Dinner in Busselton, President Gail Bates announced that the recipient of the Tennis Seniors Queensland Senior of the Year for 2019 is Ian Somers. Ian is a tennis tragic who plays regular tennis fixtures in the Brisbane Seniors competition whenever he is not hiking through the European Alps with his wife Jan. He first represented Queensland at the Australian Championships on the Gold Coast in 2004 and was hooked. He has not missed an opportunity to be part of this wonderful event since. He may not be the most talented player to represent our State but he is definitely one of the keenest (Ian's words) and with the help of some very talented team mates has certainly won his share of medals (9 now after this week). But what many won't know, Ian has other talents that help keep the wheels of Tennis Seniors Queensland turning. He has been the one who has been responsible for our website for the past 15 years and for those at the Australian Championships, he is the one behind the camera lens taking photos for the website and our Facebook page.



TSQ Seniors for 2019 Ian Somers being congratulated by President Gail Bates