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Volunteer Resource Kit

A new volunteer resource kit is now available to assist volunteers and organisations who engage them, understand the new federal work health and safety (WHS) laws. The WA government is yet to commit to the national harminisation.

The resource kit aims to help remove uncertainty about how the new WHS laws apply and complements Safe Work Australia's volunteer telephone assistance line and email enquiry line and includes:

- A guide for volunteers
- A guide for organisations that engage volunteers
- A fact sheet, and
- A PowerPoint presentation and podcast.

To view the Volunteer Resource Kit click <u>here</u>. For WA specific information visit Worksafe WA <u>here</u>.



Sport 4 All Funding

Sport 4 All is a four-year, \$20 million project to increase participation in community sport and recreation throughout Western Australia. This program will help 30,000 disadvantaged WA children to join a sport or recreation club.

We believe clubs are the ideal environment to reconnect our young people with the community and connect them with positive role models. A young person who feels part of the community is less likely to damage that community.

Most of the kids that come into contact with our justice system come from a financiallydisadvantaged background. We want to make sure all WA kids get a fair go. We want all WA kids to feel part of the community.

There is also considerable evidence to show that kids who participate in organised sport and recreation do better at school and are physically and mentally healthier than kids who do not. These advantages should be open to all kids.

For more information about Sport 4 All funding visit <u>http://clubsonline.dsr.wa.gov.au/sport4all</u>

Sport 4 All is made up of four programs:

KidSport (\$10 million)

KidSport is the cornerstone of the Sport 4 All package. Under this program kids who cannot afford to join a club will be helped with a subsidy of up to \$200 (in the form of vouchers), which will go directly to the sport or recreation club. The kids will be identified from a range of professionals within a number of local government areas.

Community Volunteer Program (\$4 million)

The Community Volunteer Program will help clubs recruit, train and retain a new generation of volunteers.

ClubTalk (\$4 million)

The ClubTalk component of Sport 4 All will provide state sporting associations, peak bodies and clubs with the knowledge to utilise the latest in information communication technology (ICT) to

make running a club easier and more cost effective.

Nature Play WA (\$2 million)

This generation of children spends more time indoors than any other generation in history. There are many reasons for this, including the proliferation of electronic, screen-based games, 'stranger danger', and more road traffic.

The results are alarming. Our children are become heavier, unhappier and weaker, and are losing the ability to make decisions or determine risks.

To counter this trend, the Department of Sport and Recreation has helped to establish a nonfor-profit organisation called Nature Play WA which will work to inform parents about the value of unstructured play outside. Nature Play WA will also provide parents with fun, cheap options and ideas to get the kids outside. For more details about Nature Play WA go to: www.natureplaywa.org.au

2012 Annual Returns

The 2012 Annual Membership Returns are now overdue!



This form provides Tennis West with the necessary information to keep your Tennis Club informed of programs and services that Tennis West are able to provide.

Please ensure numbers are as accurate as possible, as insurance for members and/or eligibility for programs may be compromised if not completed correctly.

Please complete and return the Annual Membership Return by ASAP. Forms can be posted to Tennis West, Faxed or emailed to <u>vbrown@tennis.com.au</u>

Goodbye and Good Luck!

Jan Budden, Elle Mazza & Joe McCarthy Farewell Tennis West

It is with regret that Tennis West have lost three valuable staff members. Jan Budden, our Tournament Operations Manager, Elle Mazza, our Membership and Community Tennis Officer and Joe McCarthy, our Tournament Operations/State Squad Manager. I would like to thank Elle, Jan and Joe for their contribution to Tennis West.

Elle did an amazing job serving our members and running our major events such as the Tennis Industry Awards Night for the last 3 years. Elle has moved into a position out of the sports industry where she will focus exclusively on events and event management. A





Joe contributed to both the tournament department and more recently to player development, specifically the talent development program. Having recently completed his Master of Business Administration, Joe has taken up an opportunity in the mining sector.

Last but by no means least, Jan has been instrumental in modernising tournament administration over the last 10 years and will be greatly missed, Jan will take a well deserved break starting with a visit to the USA.

Opportunities for subsidised Junior Development coach training

There is fantastic news in relation to subsidies being available to educate coaches, particularly Junior Development coaches.

As a result of a new business partnership with a registered training organisation, Smart Connection Company, State and Federal Government subsidies will now be available to coaches.

Tennis Australia's partnership with Smart Connection Company allows an opportunity for Head Coaches to provide training to their current or new employees through an Australian Apprenticeship. Employing an Australian Apprentice can provide your business with real benefits. Australian Apprenticeships cover all apprenticeships and traineeships. They combine time at work with training and can be full-time, part-time or school-based.

Historically, the cost of coaching courses has been a barrier to participation in education courses and this new arrangement will help reduce these costs for eligible coaches. The amounts and rules of eligibility vary between states and territories but overall, the cost reduction, is significant.

The first course to be delivered under the new arrangement will be the Junior Development Coaching Course to be dual branded with SIS30710 Certificate III in Sport Coaching which will start next month in New South Wales, Queensland, and Victoria.

For more information on this course and eligibility for funding please feel free to contact the Coach Membership team on 03 9914 4191 or email <u>coachmembership@tennis.com.au</u>.

SunSmart Club Funding – NOW \$250

SunSmart Club Connect Funding now offers both metro and country tennis clubs <u>\$250</u> in funding to increase club membership by conducting a club activity or event such as:

- Club Tournament
- Corporate Tennis Day / Come and Try Day
- Any other club membership initiatives

The Sun Smart message must be presented throughout the event through the use of signage, participants wearing hats and using sunscreen.

If you would like further information on the Sun Smart Club Connect Clinics, please call Paul Oldfield at Tennis West on 6462 8318 / poldfield@tennis.com.au

For Sale

The State Tennis Centre functions department has some second hand functions chairs as well as old whiteboards for sale.

If you would like further information please call Elaine Campbell at Tennis West on 6462-8313 or email <u>ecampbell@tennis.com.au</u>.

COMPETITIONS CHATTER

Tournaments Results:

MJDS REABOLD TENNIS CLUB SPRING SERIES #1

<u>Boys</u> 11/under Champion- Declan Rhys Mearns. Finalist- Jerome Iaconi.

13/under Champion- William Jacob Hann. Finalist- Nicholas John Mitchell.

15/under Champion- Timothy Gray. Finalist- Angus Barber.

<u>Girls</u> 11/under Champion- Talia Maree Gibson. Finalist- Natasha Lystrup Camer-Pesci.

13/under Champion- Lexie Weir. Finalist- Elise Love Dobbs.

MJDS SORRENTO TENNIS CLUB SPRING SERIES #2

<u>Boys:</u> 11/under Champion- Matias Bascur. Finalist- Luka Brown.

13/under Champion- Dennis Mader. Finalist- Milan Durmic.

15/under Champion- Lewis May. Finalist- Stefano Tudor.

<u>Girls</u> 11/under champion- Samantha Yeats. Finalist- Natasha Lystrup Camer-Pesci

13/under champion- Madison Barrett. Finalist- Hayley O'Donnell.

Upcoming Tournaments

2012 MEDIBANK JUNIOR DEVELOPMENT SPRING SERIES

Series 1 Reabold TC 8–9 September * Series 2 Sorrento TC 5–16 September Series 3 Blue Gum Park TC 22–23 September* Series 4 Midland Lawn TC 13–14 October* Series 5 Alexander Park TC 20–21 October* Series 6 State Tennis Centre 27–28 October* See fact sheet and poster on next page for more information.

2012 REABOLD JUNIOR HARDCOURT

October 5-8, 2012 Reabold Tennis Club

WA JUNIOR OPEN

October 9-13, 2012 State Tennis Centre

To enter or find out more about these events go to <u>www.tennis.com.au/wa</u> -> tournaments and click on upcoming tournaments or alternatively go to <u>www.tournaments.tennis.com.au</u> and search by event.