

# TRANMERE LAWN TENNIS CLUB NEWSLETTER SEASON 2024-25

The courts are looking great – so let's get out there and have some fun!



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**Courts Open**  
**The Official Opening**

Saturday, 5<sup>th</sup> October  
Saturday, 12<sup>th</sup> October

from 10.00 am  
at 1:00 pm

**\*\*\* FREE BBQ on Opening Day to kick-off another season \*\*\***

**Activities include:**

- \* Courts open at 10:00 am
- \* Official Opening at 1:00pm
- \* Free BBQ from 12 noon
- \* Full Bar Facilities including Premium Wines
- \* Social Tennis from 1:30 pm

**FRIENDS AND VISITORS WELCOME**



## The Tennis Committee

Some familiar faces on the Committee, but also a few new members. Let's make them welcome.

President	Greg Parker	0420 308 349
Secretary	Ray Furness	0401 120 149
Treasurer	Daniel Venning	0448 005 766
Social Captain	Di Leaney	0422 364 720
Ladies Captain	Sally Noble	0426 024 413
Mens Captain	Greg Parker	0420 308 349
Committee Member	Carol Davis	0412 830 430
Committee Member	Jan Woodward	0424 710 519
Committee Member	Guy Murray	0413 141 444
Committee Member	Daniel Kowalczuk	0424 439 725
Committee Member	Les Cooper	0419 195 203

General Committee Reps      Greg Parker, Les Cooper, Dan Venning  
Greens Representative      Greg Parker (assisted by J Hill)

*[If you have any comments or suggestions regarding the Tennis Section, please contact one of the above and such matters will be discussed at a monthly meeting.]*

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## Membership

			<u>Early Bird</u>	<u>After 30 Nov</u>
<u>Category 1:</u>	Category 1A - Full Member (Social)	}	\$455	\$475
	Category 1B - Full Member (Saturday Morning Comp)	}	"	"
	Category 1C - Full Member (Saturday Afternoon Comp)	}	"	"
<u>Category 2:</u>	Category 2A - Saturday Social	Seniors: \$235 }	\$325	\$345
	Category 2B - Wednesday Social (currently not available)	}	"	"
	Category 2C - Thursday Competition	}	"	"
	Category 2D - Junior (under 18 years) or Full-time student under 25 years	}	"	"

## Visitors:

**\$15 per day**

Saturday Morning Fill-ins: \$15.00 per match, to a maximum number of 5 matches. There-after, the player MUST become a Category 2 member - \$225 minus \$75 already paid. (It is the responsibility of the "introducing" Member or Team Captain to manage.)

## Notes:

1. A \$100.00 fee discount is available to people joining who have not been Tranmere members in the last five years.
2. There is also a \$90.00 fee discount for Seniors playing in the Saturday or Wednesday Social categories.
3. Tennis SA affiliation fees are now automatic and included for everyone.
4. Fees must be paid by 30<sup>th</sup> November

## Payment of Subscriptions by 'Direct Debit

Tennis subscriptions can be paid by **direct debit** from your financial institution via the internet.

**NOTE: The Club's bank details are:**

Account Name: Tranmere Bowling and Tennis Club  
BSB No: 325-185 (Beyond Bank Australia)  
Account No: 03620605  
Reference: **"TSub" + Surname + Initial**  
Amount: (Insert amount of your tennis subscription).

**Note:** *Please email a copy of your payment receipt to the Tennis Section Treasurer, Daniel Venning – [daniel@vrdistribution.com.au](mailto:daniel@vrdistribution.com.au) - or print it and place it in the clubhouse fees box.*



## **\*\*\* UPCOMING CLUB MILESTONE \*\*\***

The Tranmere Bowling and Tennis Club was founded in 1925 and will be celebrating its **100<sup>th</sup> anniversary in 2025**. Our General Committee is planning a number of celebration activities during the year.

Keep your eye out for more information over the next 12 months.

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## **Competition Teams**

**Tuesday Ladies:** Coordinated by Carol Davis (0412 830 430). Matches are held at Tranmere and open to both members and non-members. Contact Carol to pre-register.

Practice Day: Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> October (arrive by 9.15am)  
Matches: Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> October to 10<sup>th</sup> December  
(No play on 5<sup>th</sup> November - Melbourne Cup)  
Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> January – 8<sup>th</sup> April  
(No play on 22<sup>nd</sup> April - Easter)  
Tournament: Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> April

**Thursday Ladies:** 5 teams this year

Practice Day: Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> October from 9:30 am  
Matches: Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> October to 12<sup>th</sup> December  
Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> January to 20<sup>th</sup> March  
Finals: Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> March to 3<sup>rd</sup> April

**Sat. Morning Mens:** 7 teams (estimated) Enquiries to: Greg Parker (0420 308 349)  
Ray Furness (0401 120 149)

Practice: Thursday evenings from 10<sup>th</sup> October (from 4pm), and  
Saturday mornings starting Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> October  
Matches: Commence Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> October (to be confirmed)

**Social Tennis:** Saturdays from 1.30pm. Enquiries to: Di Leaney (0422 364 720)  
Playing from: Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> October to mid-May (weather dependant)

**Sunday Play** Courts will be available from end November (depending on court conditions).  
Contact a Committee member if you wish to play.

## **Social Events for the Season**

- Club Opens - Saturday, 5<sup>th</sup> October from 10:00 am
- Official Opening - Saturday, 12<sup>th</sup> October at 1:00 pm
- Bowls Night - Saturday, end of November 2024 - To be confirmed
- Quiz Night - Saturday, February/March 2025 - To be confirmed
- 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary - Initial Celebration - Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> January 2025
- Cocktail Function - Sunday, 30<sup>th</sup> March 2025

(Keep an eye on the notice board, emails and website for updates.)

## **Weather Policy for Social Tennis**

**Heat:** No official social tennis will be organised if the forecast temperature is 35 degrees or over.

**Wet:** If in doubt, contact Di Leaney on 0422 364 720.

Your Committee is working diligently to ensure that everything runs smoothly so that all members can enjoy their tennis in a happy and friendly social atmosphere.

We look forward to another great season at Tranmere.

**Greg Parker**  
**President, Tennis Section**



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# Tranmere Lawn Tennis Club Open Day

Free

*”SEASON OPENING and BBQ”*



**Saturday, 12<sup>th</sup> October  
10am to 4pm**

**Members and friends welcome!**

- \* Courts open at 10:00 am*
- \* Official Opening at 1:00 pm*
- \* Free BBQ sausage sizzle with Full Bar Facilities and Premium Wines available*
- \* Social Tennis from 1:30*

**\*\*\* \$100 discount on membership for new members \*\*\***

**Tranmere Lawn Tennis Club  
1 Kings Grove Tranmere**

**Contact the Secretary on 0401 120 149 for more club information**

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