



WINNER - MOST OUTSTANDING CLUB OF THE YEAR 2014/15

31st DEUCE: 8 March 2016

OPTC Calendar of Events 2016:

Please note that dates are subject to change

Saturday 12 March	OPTC Movie Night under the stars tickets \$10 each from optc.social@gmail.com
Sunday 13 March	6th Annual OPTC Junior Club Championship
Sunday 20 March	6th Annual OPTC Junior Club Championship
Monday 28 March	Easter Monday social play
Sunday 3 April	8am-11.30 am ANZ Hot Shots Challenge (Juniors 5-12 years)
Saturday 9 April	Club Championships start
Sunday 10 April	Championships continue
Saturday 16 April	Championships continue
Sunday 17 April	Championships continue
Saturday 23 April	Championships FINALS
Saturday 30 April	Monthly Event: Casual BBQ after social tennis
Saturday 14 May	Juniors invited to join in with Seniors' social play
Saturday 28 May	Monthly Event: Casual BBQ after social tennis
Saturday 23 July	OPTC AGM
Saturday 6 August	The Onslow Park Tennis Club 2015 Season Wind-up Dinner (Coffee Anatomy)

President's Message:

Nothing further to report this month on the clubhouse renovations – but watch this space! However I do want you to get to know one of the club's 'star' committee members!

It's hard to imagine that our Captain Vlado has time for any other interests than tennis but he is also a keen observer of the heavens above. The other weekend he let some of us know to watch out for the International Space Station tracking over the tennis club. Sure enough a bright object rose in the south-east on the Sunday evening and moved very quickly through the night sky passing over court number 3 at 7:59pm. If there's enough interest, Vlado might bring his telescope to the club one night for some star gazing - watch this space for further announcements.

Pennants; nominations for Winter Pennants

An update on the Summer season's results will be circulated in the next newsletter, as we are into the Finals series now...

Nominations are about to open for Winter Pennants starting on March 14th with all due by March 29th. Winter Pennants will start on April 30th. Contact Ian Singleton for more information.

Handicap Ladies and Men Doubles Competition:

The Men's Finals was played on February 13 with the combatants:

Vlado Raich and Richard Beresford playing Chris Wilkinson and Jonathan Foster. After a tightly fought match, Vlado and Richard were the victors! Well done to all players!



Jonathan/Chris | Richard/Vlado

6th Annual Junior Club Championship: Sunday 13 and 20 March

This is the chance for **all** junior members to support OPTC, play a few matches... and maybe come away with a trophy!

We'll conclude the Championships around 5pm on Sunday 20th with presentations of the trophies and a sausage sizzle.

Adult members and supporters are most welcome to come and watch our wonderful Juniors in this competition!

Thank you to Tang Technology for their generous sponsorship of this event!



A worthy cause – message from Julianne Fehlberg:



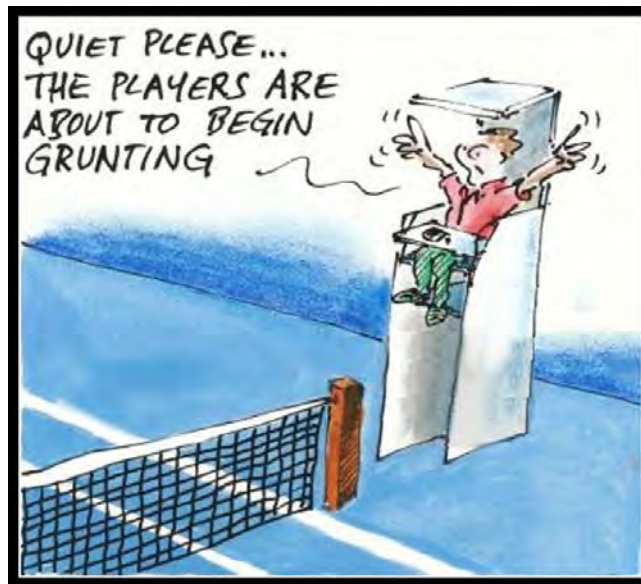
*Dear OPTC members,
I really appreciate your thoughts and words of support for me with my treatment for breast cancer. The lumpectomy was successful and I am now starting chemotherapy treatment. (yuk)
If my hair is going to go, I thought I should embrace the chance to support all those other cancer sufferers, regardless what type, and join the Worlds Greatest Shave.
Oscar is supporting me by also joining the Worlds Greatest Shave and his long locks of 7 years are going!
You can support the cause by donating to our shaves.*

Google: Worlds Greatest Shave; click – Sponsor; Key in Oscar Fehlberg or Julianne Fehlberg and follow the prompts for your donation.

*Many thanks
Sincerely
Julianne & Oscar*

A bit of a giggle:





2015/16 Committee Members:

President	James Edwards
Treasurer	Richard Beresford
Secretary	Susan Beresford
Captain	Vlado Raich
Vice-Captain - Social	Addy Arnold
Vice-Captain - Competition	Ian Singleton
General Committee Member	Gwen Stewart - Social
General Committee Member	Cal Stanley
General Committee Member	Olivia Richmond
General Committee Member	Edward Allen

NB: Please contact the editor Sue Beresford at info@onslowparktennisclub.com with any newsworthy items, suggestions, points of interest that you would like to have circulated to other members throughout the season.