

Darwin Tennis Association Inc.

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Summary of DTA Committee Meeting 6th March 2017, 7pm at Gardens Tennis

Present:

Charles Webb (Chair), Paul Kelly, Jane Sheehan, Lindsay Hutley, Natalie La Pira, Luke Black, Debra Liddiard, and Phillipa Tziolis (for start of meeting)
Jordyn Howarth and Ben McLachlan (Top End Tennis)

Apologies:

Jamie O'Brien

Minutes of previous meeting:

Minutes of the meeting held on 30th January 2017 were accepted as a true and accurate record and the published summary of this meeting noted.

Correspondence:

- *Minister Fyles*: Letter of thanks for our successful application for a Community Benefit Fund grant for lighting of \$128,182
- *Tennis NT*: Notification of suspension of David Holland as a registered coach by Tennis Australia, TNT Developmental Coach position and TNT Selections Committee vacancies.

Matters arising from previous meeting:

- A ratification process of current paid members was undertaken
- Further discussion occurred on the outcome of an Australian Government Club Health check previously undertaken and the possibility of undertaking a member survey considered
- It was resolved that DTA and TET adopt the Tennis Australia Member Protection Policy with appropriate screening mechanisms to be undertaken and members and clients advised of the policy and how to make complaints relating to alleged breaches of the policy
- It was agreed that Gardens Tennis should take all the actions needed to achieve both Level 2 and 3 accreditation to the Good Sports program
- Consideration of the current alignment of DTA/Gardens with the Tennis NT Strategic Plan
- Further discussion occurred on possible DTA/Gardens priorities for 2017
- Discussion occurred on the production of the Gardens Tennis newsletter and other forms of communication including blogs on the new Gardens Tennis website

President's Report:

The report from the President was noted including meetings with a representative ADF to discuss Good Sports accreditation, a representative of Halikos to discuss sponsorship matters, and participation in the Tennis NT Industry Leaders Workshop and the TNT Athlete Development Committee

Treasurer's Report:

There was no report due to the absence of the Treasurer through ill health

Report from Executive of Committee:

The report from the Executive was noted including approval of a revised quote from DN Building for stage 1 renovation of the clubhouse and approval of signage associated with the Halikos sponsorship

Report from Top End Tennis:

The report from Top End Tennis was discussed including items relating to sponsorship, membership and the TNT Industry Leaders workshop

Reports from DTA sub-committees

This item was held over until the next meeting

Other business:

Phillipa Tziolis and Paul Kelly tendered their resignation from the Committee

Next meeting :

Monday 10th April 7pm