

Darwin Tennis Association Inc.

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Summary of DTA Committee Meeting 14th August 2017, 7pm at Gardens Tennis

Present:

Charles Webb (Chair), Jamie O'Brien, Jane Sheehan, Lindsay Hutley, Luke Black, Natalie La Pira, Ben McLachlan (in attendance for Top End Tennis)

STARCLUB NT Club Development Program

Andrew Atfield of NTG Sport and Recreation attended and spoke to committee about the STARCLUB NT program a resource for aiding improvement of NT Sporting Clubs. Committee agreed to undertake the STARCLUB NT program self-evaluation

Minutes and summary of previous meeting:

Minutes of the meeting held on 10th July 2017 and special meeting of 24th July 2017 were accepted as a true and accurate record and summary of the 14th July meeting noted

Correspondence:

- Mr Neil Barry
- Mr Alan Buckingham (Tennis Seniors NT)

Matters arising from previous meeting:

- All new members and registered players accepted and ratified by the Committee
- NTG Department Health Certificate of Registration of Gardens Tennis as a Food Business issued
- Approval of Transport Policy to meet requirements for level 2 accreditation with Good Sports
- Tennis Australia Safeguarding Children Guidelines tabled for consideration

President's Report:

Activities undertaken included: attendance at Safeguarding Children workshop run at Tennis NT by Peter Petersen of the Integrity Unit of Tennis Australia, attendance at Tennis NT Industry Leaders workshop meeting, to review contributions by clubs to the achievement of the Tennis NT Strategic Plan and activities with the Executive.

Treasurer's Report:

Cash at bank \$56,520.42, Sinking fund \$4.84, Junior Account \$7,412.6., Current balance \$34,703.88

Report from Executive of Committee:

Activities undertaken included quarterly meeting with Top End Tennis, discussion of acquittal of the Community Benefit Fund lighting grant and a possible sponsors social tennis evening

Report from Top End Tennis:

The report from Top End Tennis was discussed which including items relating to increased numbers of juniors, additional School program activity and increased numbers of competition players and competition activity

Alignment with Tennis NT Strategic Plan

This is a standing item that is updated each meeting on a document that is kept on record.

The most up to date version of this document is available from committee@gardenstennis.com.au

Subcommittee Reports:

Grants

Work in progress on the development of an application for a 2017-2018 NTG Sport and Recreation Facility and Capital Equipment Grant to install a new shed at Gardens Tennis to address current limitations on storage space

Next meeting: Monday 18th September 7pm