



NIGHT TENNIS COMPETITION 2011/12

Important information about the competition

In the interests of ensuring the enjoyment of all participants, the Committee and organizers of the night tennis competition have made the following rules about nominations and running of the night tennis competition.

We are hoping that these simple rules will make the competition better and more enjoyable for all concerned, and ease the stress on volunteers who organize and run the competition.

We ask that you read and agree to these rules before submitting your nomination for the new season:

1. Team nominations will primarily be accepted for full teams of 2 men + 2 ladies. Individual players will be welcome to nominate, and will be included in teams where possible or offered spots as reserves.
2. **Teams will be required to find their own fill-in or reserve players** (except in an emergency) and to field a full team each week. Should a team be unable to find a reserve they should contact one of the co-ordinators as early as possible before the day, as they may be able to arrange a reserve.
3. **Each team will pay the full team fee** (\$32) each week; regardless of how many players they field. This fee should be paid in full as a single payment (not as individual payments of \$8).
5. **Any team unable to play on any week must notify one of the co-ordinators** by 7pm on the day before at the latest of their inability to play.
6. **Any team which forfeits** the match on any night (without prior notice by 7pm on the day before **will be liable to pay the full team fee** for the match, to be paid before play starts on the following week.
7. **Teams are expected to start on time** - that is, be able to commence at least one match by 7pm. (This should ensure that matches are able to be completed on time.)
8. **Any phone contact** regarding the competition **should be made to one of the Co-ordinators**. Please do not call the clubhouse phone. Messages left there are rarely received until just before match starting time.

We hope that you will nominate for this coming season and continue to enjoy playing night tennis at Seacliff.