



# Tennis Seniors Australia

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## MEMO TO DIVISIONS

The following details of the outstanding results from our Australian players in the ITF's World Seniors Championships played in Manavgat, Turkey, from the 19-26 October, 2008. To win FIVE Singles titles and SIX Doubles titles is certainly "swinging above our weight" in world tennis, but let us enjoy it !!! Full details can be seen on the ITF Home page or the website [www.92computing.com](http://www.92computing.com).

Our congratulations are extended to all those successful players ... GLENN BUSBY, ANDREW RAE, NEVILLE HALLIGAN, ROS BALODIS, MARGARET ROBINSON, BRUCE OSBORNE, MAX BATES, KAYE NEALON, LIZ ALLAN, KERRY BALLARD and CAROL CAMPLING.

Here are our FIVE STAR tributes .....

Tribute is paid to **GLENN BUSBY** (VIC) in winning the 50 Mens World Seniors Singles Championship. Glenn has represented Australia six times since 1995, and this is his second Singles Title, having won the 50 Mens World Seniors Singles and Doubles Championships in South Africa in 2006.

Tribute is paid to **ANDREW RAE** (VIC) in winning the 55 Mens World Seniors Singles Championships for the third consecutive year ... which makes Andrew clearly the number one player in the World in this age group. This was Andrew's SIXTH Mens World Seniors Singles Championships, winning previously in the years 1999, 2001, 2002, 2006, 2007 and now 2008. Andrew has also been successful in winning Mens World Seniors Doubles Titles on SEVEN previous occasions in the years 1997, 1999, 2001, 2003, 2004, 2005 and 2006.

Tribute is paid to **NEVILLE HALLIGAN** (QLD) in winning the inaugural 85 Mens World Seniors Singles Championship. Neville has represented Australia on 13 occasions since 1992 and was successful in winning the 80 Mens World Seniors Doubles Title in 2003.

Tribute is paid to **ROS BALODIS** (ACT) in winning the 50 Womens World Seniors Singles Championships, and the 50 Womens World Seniors Doubles Championships, with Kaye Nealon (NSW). This Singles Championships is Ros' SIXTH World Seniors Singles Championships, having won previously in the years 1998, 2000, 2002, 2005 and 2006 and now in 2008. She has also won World Seniors Doubles Titles on SIX occasions in the years 1998, 2000, 2002, 2003, 2005 and now in 2008.

Tribute is paid to **MARGARET ROBINSON** (WA) in winning the 75 Womens World Seniors Singles Championships, and the 75 Womens World Seniors Doubles Championships, with Nancy Reed (USA). This is Margaret's THIRD World Seniors Singles Championships, having been successful in the years 2003, 2005 and now in 2008. She has also won THREE World Seniors Doubles Titles in the years 2001, 2007 and 2008.

Tribute is paid to **BRUCE OSBORNE** (VIC) in winning the 50 Mens World Seniors Doubles Championships with Pierre Godfroid (BEL). Bruce has represented Australia on 7 occasions since 1997 and has been successful in winning World Seniors Doubles Titles on FIVE occasions in 1997, 1998, 2005, 2007 and now in 2008.

Tribute is paid to **MAX BATES** (QLD) in winning the 55 Mens World Seniors Doubles Championships with Roger Guedes (BRA). Max has represented Australia on 13 occasions since 1988 and has been successful in winning SIX World Seniors Doubles Titles in the years 1997, 2000, 2001, 2003, 2006 and now in 2008.

Tribute is paid to **KAYE NEALON** (NSW) in winning the 50 Womens World Seniors Doubles Championships with Ros Balodis (ACT). Kaye has represented Australia on 10 occasions since 1998 and has been successful in winning World Seniors Doubles Championships on FIVE occasions in the years 1998, 2000, 2002, 2005 and now in 2008.

Tribute is paid to **LIZ ALLAN** (NSW) winning the 55 Womens World Seniors Doubles Championships with Kerry Ballard (NSW). This victory is the EIGHTH (8) consecutive year this pair have won a World Seniors Doubles Championships, having won in the years 2001 through to 2008. Even more extraordinary is the fact that Liz paired with Carol Campling (NSW) and won the World Seniors Doubles for eight (8) consecutive years between 1993 and 2000. Thus making Liz the World Seniors Doubles Champion in her age group for SIXTEEN CONSECUTIVE YEARS. Yes, extraordinary !! And additionally Liz won the 50 Womens World Seniors Singles Championships in 2001 and the 55 Womens World Seniors Singles Championships in 2005.

Tribute is paid to **KERRY BALLARD** (NSW) in winning the 55 Womens World Seniors Doubles Championships with Liz Allan (NSW) for the EIGHTH (8) consecutive year in the years 2001 through to 2008. Additionally Kerry won the 45 Womens World Seniors Doubles Championships in 1997.

Tribute is paid to **CAROL CAMPLING** (NSW) in winning the 60 Womens World Seniors Doubles Championships with Nicole Hesse-Cazaux (FRA). Carol has now won FOURTEEN World Seniors Doubles Championships since 1991. Carol stacked up ELEVEN (11) consecutive Doubles Championships between 1993 and 2003 ... with Liz Allan (NSW) between 1993 and 2000, and then with Frances Taylor (GBR) in 2001, 2002 and 2003 ... to be followed by THREE consecutive Doubles Championships in the years 2006, 2007 and now in 2008. Additionally Carol was successful in winning TWO World Seniors Singles Championships in 2002 and 2003.

## **SENIORS INDIVIDUALS RESULTS —TURKEY, OCTOBER, 2008**

### **WINNERS**

50 MENS SINGLES	<b>Glenn Busby (VIC)</b> def Michel Galey (FRA) 60 61
55 MENS SINGLES	<b>Andrew Rae (VIC)</b> def Roger Guedes (BRA) 64 61
85 MENS SINGLES	<b>Neville Halligan (QLD)</b> def Robert Sherman (USA) 63 57 61
50 WOMENS SINGLES	<b>Ros Balodis (ACT)</b> def Diane Fishburne (USA) 75 75
75 WOMENS SINGLES	<b>Margaret Robinson (WA)</b> def Muffie Grieve (CAN) 61 63
50 MENS DOUBLES	<b>Bruce Osborne (VIC)/Pierre Godfroid (BEL)</b> def Ross Persons(USA)/Mark Vines (USA) 63 63
55 MENS DOUBLES	<b>Max Bates (QLD)/ Roger Guedes (BRA)</b> def Philip Landauer (USA)/Tom Smith (USA) 64 76
50 WOMENS DOUBLES	<b>Ros Balodis (ACT)/Kaye Nealon (NSW)</b> def Marianne Robertson (USA)/Susan Wright (USA) 61 64
55 WOMENS DOUBLES	<b>Elizabeth Allan (NSW)/Kerry Ballard (NSW)</b> def <b>Adrienne Avis (NSW)/Helen Worland (NSW)</b> 64 75
60 WOMENS DOUBLES	<b>Carol Campling (NSW)/Nicole Hesse-Cazaux (FRA)</b> def Jackie Boothman (GBR)/Ellis Krocke (NED) 61 61
75 WOMENS DOUBLES	<b>Margaret Robinson (WA)/Nancy Reed (USA)</b> def Valerie Laverock (RSA)/Jackie Zylstra (RSA) 61 64

### **RUNNERS-UP**

45 MENS DOUBLES	Stefan Fasthoff (GER)/Stefan Heckmanns (GER) def <b>Roger Grant (WA)/ Shane Smedley (WA)</b> 62 60
80 MENS DOUBLES	Anthony Franco (USA)/Graydon Nichols (USA) def <b>Doug Corbett (NSW)/ Ward Hillier (VIC)</b> 63 36 64

(Honorary Secretary)  
27<sup>th</sup> October, 2008.