



2010 AUSTRALIAN SENIORS & SUPER-SENIORS CLAYCOURT TENNIS CHAMPIONSHIPS

Sanctioned by ITF and TSA for Seniors Ranking Points

ITF Grade 3 Tournament

Host Tennis Seniors Victoria Inc

OPEN TO WOMEN & MEN 35 YEARS AND OVER

Singles, Doubles and Mixed Events

FRIDAY 11th JUNE 2010 - MONDAY 14th JUNE 2010

Venue: Dendy Park Tennis Club
Breen Drive, East Brighton Vic 3187. (Melways 77 A2)

Played on 18 en tout cas courts

**Entries Close Friday 24th May 2010 online at
www.92computing.com.au**

Tournament Director: Mr Barry Pryor
dendypark@bigpond.com or telephone (03) 9592 2431

For first day draw & times visit: www.92computing.com.au

Play will commence on Friday 11th June at 2.00pm for all Singles Events with large numbers
of Entries.

Some practice courts may be available.

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TOURNAMENT CONDITIONS

1. The Tournament Committee of Tennis Seniors Victoria shall have entire control of the Tournament and reserves the right to make such changes and decisions as circumstances necessitate. The Committee may refuse any entry and shall not be required to give any reason for such refusal.
2. (i) The Tournament will be conducted in accordance with the current rules, regulations and policies of the ITF relating to Seniors Tournaments, and matches will be played under Tennis Australia's Member Protection By-Laws and these Tournament Regulations.
(ii) In accordance with ITF rules the deadline for withdrawal of entries is fourteen (14) days prior to the scheduled start of the Singles main draw ie May 28, 2010. Such withdrawal should be made in writing to the Tournament Director.
(iii) No complaints concerning the tournament can be entertained by the Tournament Committee unless made in writing and lodged with the Tournament Director within 48 hours of the occurrence of the cause.
(iv) Any application for leave to appeal against any decision of the Tournament Committee must be submitted to the ITF within ten (10) days after the receipt of such decision by the complainant.
3. Competitors must be over the age specified for events entered as at 31st December 2010.
4. Players are limited to one event per Group.
5. In Group (1) & (2) Events, the preferred format is knock out, however, depending on the number of entries in an event, a round robin draw may be played. First round losers in singles events will be able to play in an additional CONSOLATION EVENT, to ensure that all players can have a minimum of 2 matches.
6. (i) All singles and doubles matches (Knock out format) will be best of three sets, (7) point tie-break at six games all. In all Grade 1-5 tournaments, all seven (7) point and ten (10) point tie-break games shall be played as Change of Ends tie-break game with players changing ends after the first point and thereafter after every four (4) points.
(ii) All CONSOLATION EVENTS will be an eight (8) game set, at eight (8) games all, a ten (10) point tie-break will be played.
7. Some age groups may be combined depending on the number of entries in that particular age group.
8. (i) Some matches may be completed under lights where it is deemed necessary by the Tournament Committee.
(ii) Some matches may be played at other venues, depending on weather or number of entries.
9. A qualified Referee will be appointed for the duration of the tournament and will be the sole judge of whether matches will be postponed or discontinued owing to the state of the weather, court light, injury or condition of court surface. A discontinued match will be resumed at the point the match was discontinued at a time determined by the Tournament Committee.
10. A separate entry form is required for each entrant. A doubles entry will not be accepted unless entry forms are received from both partners, except where "partner required" is stated.
11. Regulation tennis attire must be worn at all times during play. **CROSS TRAINERS, JOGGING SHOES AND OTHER NON-REGULATION SHOES ARE STRICTLY PROHIBITED**; herringbone soles are ideal for en tout cas tennis courts.
12. It is the player's responsibility to check the draw, ascertain his or her times of play in each event, and be ready to play when called upon to do so, whatever the weather conditions.
13. It is recommended for all players to be current registered playing member of Tennis Victoria or another state body. Application forms are available from Tennis Victoria on (03) 8420 8420 or www.tennis.com.au/vic. International players must have this insurance to compete in the tournament. For those players who already have this insurance please provide membership number in space provided on entry form.
14. For any player who is not a financial member of Tennis Seniors Victoria or another Tennis Seniors Association, an additional fee of \$15 applies.
15. Entry fees must accompany Entry Forms. No player's name will be drawn unless the applicable entry fee has been paid and the Player Agreement and Release Form signed. Incomplete forms will be returned.
16. There will be no refund for withdrawal after the deadline specified in condition 2 (ii), above. Any withdrawal after that date should be accompanied by a medical certificate and will attract an administrative fee.
17. **The draw for the first day's play will be displayed at the tournament box at Dendy Park Tennis Club, (Melways 77 A-2) from 10.00am on Monday 7th June 2010, and on the internet. www.92computing.com.au Draws and times will be updated regularly.**
18. Head tennis balls will be used for the entire tournament.

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LIST OF EVENTS

Players may only enter a MAXIMUM OF ONE EVENT PER GROUP

Group (1) and (2) events are knock out, however, some events may be combined and/or played as a Round Robin, if there are insufficient entries to warrant a particular event.

Group (3) events are Round Robin.

First round losers in Singles Events may wish to be in the draw to play in a CONSOLATION event, to ensure all players have a minimum of 2 matches. **IT IS THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE PLAYER TO ENTER THE CONSOLATION EVENT.**

SENIORS & SUPER-SENIORS SINGLES	
Event - Group 1	
1. Mens' 35 Singles	11. Womens' 35 Singles
2. Mens' 40 Singles	12. Womens' 40 Singles
3. Mens' 45 Singles	13. Womens' 45 Singles
4. Mens' 50 Singles	14. Womens' 50 Singles
5. Mens' 55 Singles	15. Womens' 55 Singles
6. Mens' 60 Singles	16. Womens' 60 Singles
7. Mens' 65 Singles	17. Womens' 65 Singles
8. Mens' 70 Singles	18. Womens' 70 Singles
9. Mens' 75 Singles	
10. Mens' 80 Singles	

SENIORS & SUPER-SENIORS DOUBLES	
Event - Group 2	
19. Mens' 35 Doubles	29. Womens' 35 Doubles
20. Mens' 40 Doubles	30. Womens' 40 Doubles
21. Mens' 45 Doubles	31. Womens' 45 Doubles
22. Mens' 50 Doubles	32. Womens' 50 Doubles
23. Mens' 55 Doubles	33. Womens' 55 Doubles
24. Mens' 60 Doubles	34. Womens' 60 Doubles
25. Mens' 65 Doubles	35. Womens' 65 Doubles
26. Mens' 70 Doubles	36. Womens' 70 Doubles
27. Mens' 75 Doubles	
28. Mens' 80 Doubles	

COMBINED AGES MIXED DOUBLES	
Event - Group 3	
37. 70 +	41. 110 +
38. 80 +	42. 120 +
39. 90 +	43. 130 +
40. 100 +	44. 140+

ENTRY FEES PER PLAYER

Entry Fee: Group (1) \$44 per player
 Entry Fee: Group (2) \$22.00 per player
 Entry Fee: Group (3) \$22.00 per player
All Three Events \$66.00

An additional \$15.00 fee is to be added to entry fees if not a member of a Seniors Tennis Association. Refer Condition 14.

ENTRY FORM

Name (Last Name) _____ First Name _____

Address _____ Postcode _____

Phone _____ Mobile _____

DOB _____

Email _____

Best recent Tournament or competition performances: (provide details)

Player Agreement and Release Form

In consideration of your agreement to allow me to participate in the Australian Seniors & Super-Seniors Clay Court Championships in Melbourne in 2010 ('the Event'), I hereby agree as a condition of participation in the Event, to waive, for myself, my executors, administrators, heirs and personal representatives, all claims of any kind, nature and description including past, present and future including any claims in respect of injuries sustained in travelling to, from, or participating in the Event, against Tennis Australia, Tennis Victoria, Tennis Seniors Australia, Tennis Seniors Victoria or the Dendy Park Tennis Club. I have not entered any other tournament during this period and I agree to abide by all tournament regulations and by the ITF Seniors Circuit Code of Conduct.

Player Name: _____ (Please print)

Player Signature: _____ Date: ___/___/___

Tennis Victoria Registration Number

Event Number	Event Name	Partner's Name	Fee
Tennis Seniors Victoria player registration number			\$ 15.00
Interstate player registration number and State of registration			
OR pay an additional fee of \$15.			\$
TOTAL FEES /CHEQUE (Tennis Seniors Victoria Inc) OR CREDIT CARD BELOW			
<input type="checkbox"/> Mastercard <input type="checkbox"/> Visa Cardholder Name Amount \$ <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <div style="width: 40%;"> <input style="width: 100px; height: 20px; border: 1px solid black; margin-bottom: 2px;" type="text"/> <input style="width: 100px; height: 20px; border: 1px solid black; margin-bottom: 2px;" type="text"/> <input style="width: 100px; height: 20px; border: 1px solid black; margin-bottom: 2px;" type="text"/> <input style="width: 100px; height: 20px; border: 1px solid black; margin-bottom: 2px;" type="text"/> </div> <div style="width: 20%;"> Expiry Date <input style="width: 30px; height: 20px; border: 1px solid black; margin-bottom: 2px;" type="text"/> / <input style="width: 30px; height: 20px; border: 1px solid black; margin-bottom: 2px;" type="text"/> </div> </div> Signature: Last 3 digits from back of card <input style="width: 40px; height: 20px; border: 1px solid black; margin-bottom: 2px;" type="text"/>			

**Accommodation in private homes may be possible.
Please email Judy Collins vicsecretary@tenniseniors.org.au before 30th May 2010.**

Accommodation near Dendy Park:
 Brighton Savoy www.brightonsavoy.com.au Telephone 03 9592 8233
 Walking distance to Church Street shopping strip there is a station to the Melbourne CBD. 5 minutes by taxi to courts.

Buckingham International www.thebuckingham.com.au telephone 03 9555 0011
 This is another option about 5 minutes by taxi.

Caroline Services Apartments, Brighton. www.carolineservicedapartments.com

Rydges Hotel www.rydges.com
 Cnr Grosvenor Street and Beach Road, Brighton 3186
 Call Central Reservations 1300 857 922 or 1800 226 466

All web sites have a link to enquire / book for reservations.

Location of Courts:
 Melbourne airport – Tullamarine, is 30 minutes drive north of the Melbourne CBD

Dendy Park Tennis Club is about 20 minutes drive south of the Melbourne CBD

Nearest train stations – Middle Brighton (Sandringham Line) or Patterson Station (Frankston Line)

For further information regarding Tennis Seniors Victoria visit www.tenniseniorsvictoria.com.au