### **TOURNAMENT CONDITIONS**

- 1. The committee shall have the entire management of the tournament and tournament conditions.
- Play will commence each day at 8.30am and will be continuous throughout the day during which time a competitor leaving the grounds without written permission of the committee may suffer under Rule 3.
- 3. Any competitor not being ready to commence play within 10 minutes of scheduled time, or within 10 minutes of their name being called may be disqualified.
- 4. No competitor will be allowed to wear boots or shoes with heels, spikes, nails, ripple or bar soles or play in bare feet.
- 5. The committee reserves the right to reduce the length of matches (should it become necessary); to refuse any entry without being required to give any reason for such refusal and to disqualify any competitor whose conduct during the tournament is, in their opinion, deserving of censure.
- 6. The top seeded players in events 1 and 3 may not be allowed to enter the Handicap Events.
- 7. Competitors to provide their own umpires, if desired, except in the final tie of events 1 and 3.
- 8. No competitor will be permitted to enter in more than four events and in the event of the total number of entries being excessive the committee reserves the right to withdraw any entry from any event. In such cases entrance fees will be refunded. Championship Singles event will be restricted to 64 on a seeded basis with the remaining entrants being placed in the Reserves event.
- 9. The committee reserves the right to require any competitor to retire from any event or events in order that the tournament may be completed. No competitor is permitted to remain in more than 3 events on the last day of the tournament. Top seeded players may be required to withdraw from handicap events.
- 10. Any event may be cancelled if there are insufficient entries.
- 11. All championship events will be seeded (excluding Plate events).
- 12. If a match is unfinished on account of darkness or for any other reason and continued on a subsequent day, the match shall be resumed from where it was discontinued on the previous day. An entirely new commencement may only be made with the consent of the Committee.
- 13. Competitors for all age events their age is at the 1st day of the Tournament.
- 14. All Championship events one set to 9 games with a tie-breaker to 7 points at 8-all. Finals three 6 game sets with a tie-breaker to 7 points at 6-all if time permits. Handicap events shall be one set to 6 games with a tie-breaker to 7 points at 5-all.
- <sup>15.</sup> Veteran events shall all be one set of 6 games with a tie-breaker to 7 points at 6-all.
- 16. Junior events: shall be one set of 6 games with tie breakers to 7 points at 6-all.
- 17. All handicap events will be played under the self-handicapping system
- Entry fee refunds Entries cancelled before closing date: 90%. Up to 7 days before tournament starting date: 50%. No refund thereafter. However, extenuating circumstances will be considered. All applications must be in writing.
- <sup>19.</sup> Reminder Competitors must be prepared to play on all four days of the tournament.
- 20. Slazenger balls used exclusively for tournament
- 21. Play begins on Friday morning, phone contact essential
- 22. Entries by email Only send entry details

Round Robin format for all Junior Events, Veterans Doubles & Handicap Doubles - Min 3 Rds.

Check the Murray Pioneer newspaper 24-3-2016 for opening times

# Renmark Easter Tennis Tournament

## March 25th - March 28th, 2016

on the club's 16 first class lawn courts Entries close on Friday, March 11th (no phone entries accepted)





#### Renmark Tintra Lawn Tennis Club

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Renmark Tintra Tennis Club invites you to spend Easter with us playing in either the "Open" events or the many other events catering for the less serious competitor. The club boasts a new playground, new change room

facilities and shelter, with a bike track and oval adjacent to the courts, which makes it an ideal setting for the whole family.

#### Hoping to see you here in 2016