

## St Marys Tennis Club court resurfacing

St Marys Tennis Club would like to thank all the people involved in making this project possible.

What started as a suggestion because of the condition of our courts (last upgraded in 2001) became a major journey. With a suggestion from Simone Alright from Tennis Tasmania to apply for funding through community grants, our journey began.

Firstly I would like to thank Scott Bentley - without his knowledge and persistence, providing the massive amount of paperwork required would not have been possible.

Once our money was secured from Community Grants, we then had to find a way to raise the other half of the funds required.

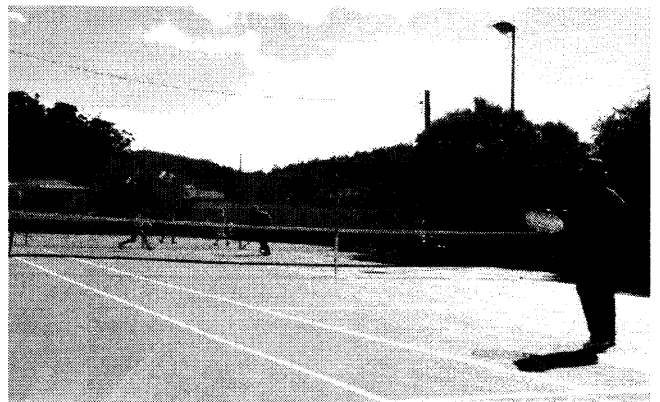
For that we thank Tennis Australia and the Break O'Day Council. Also a thank you to Venarchie Contracting and C & D Excavations for the preparation of the court surfacing.

To the many people who helped make this all possible: Scott and Caroline Bentley for everything, Wayne Polden for our new drainage system, Gecko Surfacing Solutions for their amazing job of the courts, Lyle and Graeme for the fencework, Scott, Lyle, Hayden and Steel N Diesel for refurbishing the umpire chairs.

I would also like to thank Karon our treasurer, our committee and members for their input and cooperation whilst this work was taking place.

Lastly we hope everyone enjoys all the benefits of our work so we can all continue to play this great game. Happy hitting!

*Dana Smith St Marys, Club Secretary*



### St Marys Sports (and Social) Centre

Gray Road St Marys

Bar open Thursday 6 - 8pm, Friday from 6pm, Sunday 1:30 - 4pm

Easter trading **Thursday March 24, 6pm**

Friday Happy Hour 6.30 - 7.30 with *Jag the Joker* at \$1,240 - Raffles and bar snacks

**Good Friday March 25, 12 - 6pm**

Swish and Fish 9 hole / 3 person Ambrose

Entry \$15 covers game and meal. 1pm start

**Bowls news:** St Marys travelled to Swansea to compete in a State final. Saturday - St Marys def Sorell by 23 shots.

Sunday a.m. Sorell def Bridport by 6 shots

Sunday p.m. St Marys def Bridport by 3 shots

St Marys won the game on overall 20 shot win.

State Division 4 Pennant Final Shield was presented to St Marys. Congratulations to all bowlers!

St Marys is the host club for bowls next season. The preparation of the bowling green will commence in the near future. We have purchased a new corer, soil, seed and fertiliser!

**Golf news:** Eight players from the NW Coast had an enjoyable morning last Thursday. Great to see a few locals playing a round.

Thanks Roger for mowing the greens last Wednesday for the Coast boys.

**Dining:** The next meal is on April 15, please book with *Christine Waters* on 0410 441 558

Muso's are back on Sunday April 10. Keep this day free, and come and enjoy a great time!! Bar open and light food available. More details next Valley Voice.

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