



BENDIGO TENNIS ASSOCIATION

bendigo tennis association junior pennant 2011/12

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Grade	Balls	Fees	Day / Time	Round 1
Grade 1	Slaz HC (new)	\$32	Friday 4.30pm to 6.30pm	14 th October
Grade 2 (Boys & Girls)	Slaz HC (new)	\$32	Friday 4.30pm to 6.30pm	14 th October
Grade 3 (Boys & Girls)	Slaz HC (new)	\$32	Monday 4.30pm to 6.30pm	10 th October
Grade 4 (Boys & Girls)	Slaz HC (new)	\$32	Monday 4.30pm to 6.30pm	10 th October
Grades 5 to 8 (Boys)	Slaz HC (used)	\$24	Saturday 8am to 10.15am	15 th October
Grade 5 & 6 (Girls)	Slaz HC (used)	\$24	Saturday 8am to 10.15am	15 th October
Grade 9 & 10 (Boys)	Slaz HC (used)	\$24	Saturday 10.15am to 12.30pm	15 th October
Grades 7 to 10 (Girls)	Slaz HC (used)	\$24	Saturday 10.15am to 12.30pm	15 th October
Beginners	Slaz HC (used)	\$20	Saturday 10.15am to 12.30pm	15 th October
Midweek Intermediate (Mixed)	Slaz HC (used)	\$18	Wednesday 4.00pm – 6.00pm	12 th October

Note: Match times are proposed only and subject to team nominations received.

SEASON DATES

Round 1 10th, 12th, 14th & 15th October 2011.
Round 11 16th, 17th, 19th, 20th & 22nd December 2011

Christmas break

Round 12 27th, 28th, 30th Jan & 1st February 2012
Round 17/18 (Final Round) 12th, 14th, 16th and 17th March 2012

Semi Finals 19^h, 21st, 23rd & 24th March 2011

Grand Final 26th, 28th, 30th and 31st March 2012.

Finals – washouts. In the event of a semi-finals washout, the higher team on ladder at the completion of the final rounds will advance to the Grand Final. In the case of a Grand Final washout, the higher placed team will be declared premiers.

ELIGIBILITY & MEMBERSHIP

All players must be 17 years or under as at 31st December 2011.

All nominated players must be financial members of the Club nominating them. **Players will not take to the court until they can prove they are a financial member of an affiliate tennis club.** Players must be able to produce their BTA Players card upon request from BTA staff or competition officials, which will be issued upon payment of membership.

PLAYING COMMITTEE

All matches will be under the sole control of the Playing Committee. Any protests or disputes should be directed in writing to **the Chairman** or lodged via the scorecard. Submission of this entry form indicates acceptance of the competition By Laws and BTA Codes of Conduct as published at www.bendigotennis.com.au

COMPETITION FORMATS

Grade 1 – 4: 4 players per team, 4 singles and 4 doubles sets. First to 6 game tiebreak set (5 all). Advantage at deuce.
Grade 5 – 8: 4 players per team, 4 singles and 4 doubles sets. First to 6 game tiebreak set (5 all). Sudden death at deuce.
Grade 9 – 10: 4 players per team, 6 doubles sets. First to 6 game set, no tiebreaker. Sudden death at deuce.
Beginners: 4 players per team, 4 doubles sets. First to 6 game sets, no tiebreaker. Sudden death at deuce.
Wed Inter: 3 players per team, 3 doubles and 3 singles sets. First to 6 game tiebreak set (5 all). Sudden death at deuce

UMPIRES

Teams to also provide Umpires/Court Supervisors as follows:

Grade 1-4 No umpires
Grade 5+ An adult court supervisor to be provided **each week by both teams**
Wed Inter: An adult court supervisor to be provided **each week by both teams**

VENUES

Junior matches will be played exclusively at the Bendigo Bank Tennis Complex [Nolan St] and the Bendigo Lawn Tennis Complex [Barnard St.]. In the event that other courts are required, South Bendigo Tennis Club, Spring Gully Tennis Club, Strathdale Park Tennis Club and Epsom Tennis Club may be used for the running of competition matches.

WEDNESDAY INTERMEDIATE

The Wednesday Intermediate section will again feature for either players looking for additional match play, or are unavailable to play at other scheduled match times. Teams will comprise of 3 members (boys, girls or mixed), with each member playing one singles and 2 doubles matches per week. Players who are nominating to play **Monday night** or **Saturday AM** are ELIGIBLE to play this section as well. Players nominating for Friday Grade 1 & 2 are INELIGIBLE.

FORFEITS AND FINES

Teams will be fined their total match fee (both teams) for an un-notified forfeit. In order to avoid an un-notified forfeit the team must notify the BTA of their intention to forfeit a minimum of 48 hours prior to the scheduled match time. Teams continually offending will be disqualified from the Competition.

DRESS CODE

Correct tennis attire must be worn during play. It is recommended that teams adopt a playing uniform for each member. All players must wear non-marking sports shoes. Boys to wear a collared shirt and shorts which do not cover the knee. Girls to wear a tennis dress or skirt/shirt or shorts/shirt. Shirt should be collared. It is responsibility of each Club to enforce this for their own players

GRADING

Team grading will be carried out by Junior Club Co-ordinators (at least one per Club) – soon after the close of nominations. Regrading will only be considered after three matches and only in exceptional circumstances.

TEAM NOMINATIONS

A team nomination fee must be paid with the team entry prior to inclusion into the Competition.

Fee: \$80 per team (incl. GST)

UPFRONT FEES

To save parents and players the inconvenience of searching for loose change to tennis EVERY time you play, the BTA offers **teams** the option to pay their entire season up front. By paying up front you will not only be saved from the weekly drama of paying for your tennis, you will also **SAVE** money. **CONDITIONS are -**

- Your fees are paid on or **BEFORE** the first round, and
- The **ENTIRE** team pays for the season up-front.

Grades	Weekly Fee	No. Weeks	Disc	Team Upfront
1-2	\$8.00	18	10%	\$518.40
3 – 4	\$8.00	17	10%	\$489.6
5 - 11	\$6.00	17	10%	\$367.2
Beginner	\$5.00	17	10%	\$306
Intermediate	\$6.00	18	10%	\$291.6

PLEASE NOTE: Finals payments not included in the above. Refunds maybe available at the end of the season.

If you and your team are interested in saving time and money, please call in to the Bendigo Bank Tennis Complex for payment prior to, or during the first week of the season. **EFTPOS** facilities are available.

TOURNAMENTS AND EVENTS

The BTA host a large number of other Junior Tournaments and other events, including:

Bendigo Junior Open & Association Championships – 29th September – 2nd October, 2011 (Rankings Tournament – White)
Bendigo Tennis Associations Junior Championships – 19th – 22nd December, 2011

Further information on junior events, including entry can be done online at <http://tournaments.tennis.com.au>

NOMINATION & ENQUIRIES

All entries must be **fully completed** and lodged via the Club's Secretary.
All enquiries should be directed to Leon Retallick (Executive Officer) on **5442 5744**.

Nominations Close: Thursday 22nd September, 2011 @ 7pm
www.bendigotennis.com.au



Summer 2010/11

Team Nomination form

'STREETS' JUNIOR PENNANT



To be completed by Team Coordinators

Club Name: _____ Team Name: _____ Grade (applied for): _____

Player 1
Captain

First Name: _____ Surname: _____ D.O.B _____
 Address: _____ Male _____ Female _____
 Suburb _____ Postcode _____ BTA Rego #: _____
 Home Ph: _____ Mobile: _____ Tennis Vic #: _____
 e-mail: _____ @ _____ Previous Grade _____

Player 2

First Name: _____ Surname: _____ D.O.B _____
 Address: _____ Male _____ Female _____
 Suburb _____ Postcode _____ BTA Rego #: _____
 Home Ph: _____ Mobile: _____ Tennis Vic #: _____
 e-mail: _____ @ _____ Previous Grade _____

Player 3

First Name: _____ Surname: _____ D.O.B _____
 Address: _____ Male _____ Female _____
 Suburb _____ Postcode _____ BTA Rego #: _____
 Home Ph: _____ Mobile: _____ Tennis Vic #: _____
 e-mail: _____ @ _____ Previous Grade _____

Player 4

First Name: _____ Surname: _____ D.O.B _____
 Address: _____ Male _____ Female _____
 Suburb _____ Postcode _____ BTA Rego #: _____
 Home Ph: _____ Mobile: _____ Tennis Vic #: _____
 e-mail: _____ @ _____ Previous Grade _____

Player 5

First Name: _____ Surname: _____ D.O.B _____
 Address: _____ Male _____ Female _____
 Suburb _____ Postcode _____ BTA Rego #: _____
 Home Ph: _____ Mobile: _____ Tennis Vic #: _____
 e-mail: _____ @ _____ Previous Grade _____

Player 6

First Name: _____ Surname: _____ D.O.B _____
 Address: _____ Male _____ Female _____
 Suburb _____ Postcode _____ BTA Rego #: _____
 Home Ph: _____ Mobile: _____ Tennis Vic #: _____
 e-mail: _____ @ _____ Previous Grade _____

We hereby agree to participate in the Bendigo Tennis Associations Summer Pennant within the rules and regulations as set out by the Playing Committee. We agree as a Club, Team and Individuals to uphold the principles of good sportsmanship and will at all times conduct ourselves in accordance with the BTA's players standard codes of conduct as displayed on the association website www.bendigotennis.com.au.

Date:
 Team Contact:
 Signed:

Date:
 Club Secretary:
 Signed:

Entries to be returned by 7PM Thursday 22nd September, 2011.

Entries returned to: Bendigo Tennis Association, PO Box 521, Bendigo, 3552