



In the Loop



Newsletter of the Bendigo and District Table Tennis Association
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Welcome to this week's edition of *In the Loop* which is sent to members to keep them informed of results, ladders and upcoming events. It is hoped that members will appreciate receiving information regarding their club and may wish to participate in events including tournaments, coaching sessions and the occasional work-



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BDTTA Website (follow the links)

<http://www.insports.com.au/ttp/default.asp>

If any members have any items of club news that they would like to have included in this newsletter please email the item to the above email address.

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Absences on Pennant Nights

It is quite understandable that players will be unavailable to play on their pennant night from time to time. Please advise your grade supervisor as soon as you know that you will be absent so that a fill in can be arranged. A weeks notice is great, a few days is fine, but calling on the night can make it tricky to find a fill in at short notice. Players should use the following contact details for supervisors:

A Grade (7.30 Wednesday nights):	Mark Conforti	0481 216 316	markconforti@live.com
B Grade (7.30 Tuesday nights):	Andrew Lewis	0418 335 596	lewlev1955@outlook.com.au
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	John Connor	0438 724 979	john.connor@thalesgroup.com.au
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BDTTA Contact details:

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Important Dates for Bendigo Table Tennis in 2019

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- All grades grand final night **Wed 18th September 7PM start**
- Come and try session I **Wed 25th September 7PM on**
- Come and try session II **Sat 5th October 1 - 4PM**
- BDTTA Club championships **Sun 17th November**
BBQ at 12 noon first

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Attachments : **Players needed poster for notice boards**
BDTTA Summer 2019/20 registration form

Mondays Preliminary Finals

- A Grade:** Strathdale Vs **Kennington**
- B Grade:** Golden Square Vs **Maiden Gully**
- C Grade:** Misfits Vs **The A Team**

Grand Final this Wednesday.

Play starts at 7 PM, all players competing must wear a BDTTA club shirt.
 Players please bring a plate of food to share, any home prepared food needs
 to have a list of ingredients attached.

All club members and family welcome to come along and watch some great
 table tennis

Summer season entries

Wednesday night is your last chance to get a registration form in for the
 summer pennant if you have not already done so.



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Great Facilities, the only thing missing is the players.

Bendigo Table Tennis Needs You! and any interested new players.



Bendigo Table Tennis is looking for new members of all standards, but in particular Juniors, new and starting level players.

If you know of anyone who maybe interested please direct them onto the Contacts below to help them get involved.

If you know of any notice boards or letterboxes that could do with a brighten up then please add this and or the attached Poster.

Free Come and Try 7pm Wednesday 25 Sep and 1- 4pm Saturday 5 Oct at the Stadium 140 Victoria Street, Eaglehawk. All you need is runners.
Contact: tabletennisbookings@hotmail.com or Gary 0412 742 677



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Semi final results.

A Grade

First Semi (Elimination): Kennington d. Eaglehawk 6 - 3

After six matches including two five 5 setters it was three all, so it looked like a close night but Kennington went on to win the next three ending Eaglehawks finals campaign.

In the first doubles Kennington's Keith Parker and Joshua Pollock d. Mark Gordon and Deb Wright 6-11, 6-11, 11-6, 11-9. Keith downed Mark 7-11, 5-11, 11-9, 11-4, 11-3. Darren Wearne for the Hawks defeated Greg Woodman 12-10, 8-11, 7-11, 12-10, 15-13.

Second Semi: Epsom d. Strathdale 6 - 3

Five of the nine games went the full distance, so it was close, again it was three all after six Epsom taking the next three to send ladder leaders Strathdale to battle with Kennington on Monday for the other Grand final spot.

In the first of the night Ben Smart got Epsom on the board with win over Jeremy Gale 11-6, 7-11, 5-11, 11-8, 11-4. Matt Wearne got the better of Ben in the second singles round 8-11, 11-8, 4-11, 12-10, 11-6. Frank McArthur took it to three all with a win over Jeremy 5-11, 11-9, 11-7, 7-11, 11-7. In the Second doubles Frank teamed up with Kaylem Thompson to defeat Jeremy and Lindsey Hamley 11-8, 5-11, 11-6, 8-11, 11-1.

B Grade

First Semi (Elimination): Maiden Gully d. Strathfieldsaye 6 - 5

If the first of two close semi's it was the Gully that go through to the grand final, in large part on the back of Joseph Glanville's hat trick of singles and two doubles wins.

Strath's Adam Foster d. Leo Brophy 11-7, 5-11, 11-6, 14-12, 11-8. In the second doubles Joseph and Leo were just a bit strong for Adam and Aidan Clemens 11-4, 5-11, 11-6, 5-11, 11-7, making it four all. Leo had a close win over Aidan 11-3, 12-10, 10-12, 11-5 to make it five all. Joe won a tight match over Brian Bartlett 11-8, 11-8, 10, 12, 12-10.

Second Semi: Kangaroo Flat d. Golden Square 6 - 5

Closer again nine games went the full distance, the Flat's Chris Nanere stared with three singles. It was four all heading into the last singles round (at about 10:30PM) they went like this.

Square's Ron Brown-Sarre d. Lasith Kulasekara 11-7, 11-7, 8-11, 7-11, 11-6. Flats Phil Aucutt d. David McRae 11-9, 11-6, 6-11, 10-12, 11-8. Chris d. Simon Rowe 12-10, 4-11, 9-11, 11-8, 11-9.

C Grade

The Smashers defeated The Misfits 6-5 to become the first team to qualify for this seasons grand final.

Brad Trigg and Warren Bice both picked up three singles wins, whilst The Misfits secured both doubles.

Trigg defeated Burns 11-7, 8-11, 7-11, 11-5, 11-7. Burns & Graeme Hickingbotham defeated Trigg & Bice 11-8, 8-11, 11-6, 10-12, 12-10. Bice defeated Sophia McCartney 11-9, 12-10, 8-11, 11-9. Trigg defeated McCartney 12-10, 11-8, 11-5. In the 11th rubber Bice defeated Burns 11-8, 6-11, 11-8, 11-6. The Misfits remain alive & move to the preliminary final.

The A Team defeated The Nicks 6-3 to keep their season alive. Contributions from all team members the key with all winning multiple matches on the night. Stuart Decker completed a fine season with two singles wins and a doubles win for "The Nicks".

Decker defeated Warren Bland 1-3, 11-5, 11-6. Adam Brown-Sarre defeated Alex Kelm 11-9, 11-8, 11-9. Jordan Rogers defeated Ben Tan 11-6, 11-4, 11-2. Decker & Kelm defeated Bland & Brown-Sarre 11-9, 11-8, 11-8. Rogers defeated Kelm 8-11, 11-3, 9-11, 11-7, 11-9. Brown-Sarre defeated Tan 13-11, 12-10, 11-4 to clinch victory for The A Team.

GET INVOLVED IN TABLE TENNIS

Bendigo & District
Table Tennis Association
has places available in the
**Junior Program &
C-Grade Pennant.**

JUNIOR PROGRAM is open to beginners and experienced players for fun and learning to improve table tennis skills. The program runs four times a year in line with school terms is open to Girls and Boys up to 18 years of age.

Starts first Friday of Term 4 and runs each Friday between **6pm-8pm** during the term.

Wear a pair of rubber soled 'non marking' runners. Balls provided. Bring your own bat or loan equipment available.

Registration \$5 per school term (including insurance cover). Subs \$3 per Friday night.

C GRADE PENNANT competitions run Thursday nights over two seasons, **summer starts first week of school Term 4 and to the end of Term 1 the following year, winter starts first week of school Term 2 and to the end of Term 3.** No matches during school holidays.

Playing time is around **7:30pm-10pm.**

Wear a pair of rubber soled 'non marking' runners. Balls provided. Bring your own bat or loan equipment available.

Registration Adults \$60 & Juniors \$35 per season. (including insurance cover)

Playing fees: Adults \$5 & Juniors \$3 per night.

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ENTRY FORM – SUMMER PENNANT 2019/20

NAME*: Circle Correct Male / Female .

ADDRESS*: PC.....

HOME PHONE*: or MOBILE.....

DATE OF BIRTH*: WHICH GRADE DO YOU WISH TO ENTER:.....

Email (Please print)..... CLUB NEWSLETTER BY EMAIL YES / NO

FOR NEW PLAYERS

Have you played competition table tennis? Yes/No If Yes

WHAT GRADE..... WHICH YEAR.....

WHICH ASSOCIATION.....

FOR C GRADE: YOU MAY ENTER AS A TEAM. (Subject to approval of Grading Committee.)

TEAM NAME.....TEAM MEMBERS 1 _____

need an entry form for all players 2 _____

3 _____

A GRADE: WEDNESDAY NIGHTS FROM 7.30 PM (GRADED COMPETITION) Frank McArthur 0425 825 900

B GRADE: TUESDAY NIGHTS FROM 7.30 PM (GRADED) Andrew Lewis 0418335 596

C GRADE: THURSDAY NIGHTS FROM 7.30 PM. Gary Fitzgerald 0425 792 933

JUNIORS (UNDER 16): FRIDAY NIGHTS FROM 6.00 TO 8.00 PM. Debbie Wright 0418 123 041

SOCIAL: TUESDAY MORNINGS 9 AM. VETERANS: FRIDAY MORNINGS 9 AM

COMPETITION STARTS THE WEEK COMMENCING OCTOBER 7th 2019 &

ENDS WEDNESDAY APRIL 1st 2019.

HAND ENTRY FORMS TO GRADE SUPERVISOR, POST TO: BDTTA; PO BOX 435; BENDIGO 3552.

OR EMAIL TO tabletennisbookings@hotmail.com

A,B,C GRADE ENTRIES CLOSE 18th SEPTEMBER 2019 (WINTER PENNANT GRAND FINAL NIGHT)

BDTTA RESERVES THE RIGHT UNDER IT'S BY LAWS TO REFUSE THE ENTRY OF ANY TEAM OR INDIVIDUAL PLAYER. THE SIGNING OF THIS FORM IS YOUR AGREEMENT TO BE BOUND BY THE RULES OF THE ASSOCIATION. IMPORTANT NOTE

PENNANT REGISTRATION (INCLUDES 2019 TTV REGISTRATION) FOR **SUMMER** PENNANT SEASON IS:-

ADULTS PLAYING PENNANT IS \$65 & JUNIORS PLAYING PENNANT IS \$35.

ADULT SOCIAL & RECREATIONAL JUNIOR REGISTRATION IS \$35 /YR.

\$10 OF THIS FEE MUST ACCOMPANY THIS ENTRY FORM FOR THE ENTRY TO BE ACCEPTED.

THE REMAINDER OF THE PENNANT REGISTRATION IS PAYABLE **WITHIN 3 WEEKS** OF THE SEASON COMMENCING.

WEEKLY FEES REMAIN UNCHANGED

A GRADE AND B GRADE PLAYERS ARE REQUIRED TO WEAR CLUB SHIRTS.



Make a once off upfront payment for Summer Pennant Rego and playing fees of \$140* adults or \$80* Junior.

Full payment must be made by round three to get the discount. ** *This upfront price will reduce if Grade has a bye and this price reduces by a further \$20 for adults and \$10 for Juniors that paid Winter Pennant Fees.*

Payment for full season can be paid to the Grade Supervisor or it can be paid directly into our account.

BDTTA bank details: BSB: 633-000 Acc: 109 566 752

*If paying by EFT, please use **Summer & your surname** as the reference and advise supervisor of your payment.*

Please indicate BELOW IF THERE IS ANY HEALTH ISSUE THAT YOU WANT THE CLUB TO BE MADE AWARE OF:

SIGNED..... \$10 DEPOSIT PAID? YES / NO

If you did not play Winter Pennant -

I have read AND SIGNED the 2019 TTV player membership form that is a condition of BDTTA membership. (Grade Supervisor to confirm we have a signed copy on file) **TTV REQUIRE PLAYERS TO COMPLETE THE 2019 TTV MEMBERSHIP FORM TO CONFIRM THE PLAYERS ACCEPTANCE OF THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS. BDTTA REGISTRATION INCLUDES THE APPLICABLE TTV FEE & BDTTA WILL FORWARD YOUR TTV REGISTRATION FORM AND PAYMENT.**