



CLUB SPIRIT

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To all members

Midweek members playing Saturday social (organised) tennis

Recently the FPTC management committee has had reason to consider what fees midweek members should pay were they wanting to play on Saturdays during club (organised) social play; and how many times midweek members *could* play on Saturdays before the club might ask them to consider becoming full members.

There are no established rules on this specific issue however the practice of successive committees has been to allow midweek members the same number of 'visits' on Saturday as non-members, or visitors, are currently entitled – three – for payment of a visitor's fee each time (\$10).

However, until the end of the financial year, the committee has decided to relax this practice – meaning that all midweek members are welcome to play Saturday social play for as many Saturdays as there are to 30th June, for payment of the \$10 visitor fee on each visit.

Club subsidy of court hire (with lights) for midweek pennant teams

Midweek night pennant has proven increasingly popular over the past several years, and Floreat has fielded numerous teams in the competitions on offer.

As with all other pennant competitions, the club hopes to see interest in midweek (night) pennant participation continue to increase, and to that end will subsidise teams for the cost of court hire under lights. Under this arrangement, costs will decrease from \$15 to \$10 for each member in the team for each home pennant match.

While all pennant teams – midweek or weekend, day or night – have to pay a registration fee (which the club pays to Tennis West to register teams, and then recovers from individual teams), midweek night pennant teams incur an additional cost because of the need to play under lights.

Good luck to all the club's pennant teams in the winter season.

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