

# TAUPŌ TENNIS

We welcome all suggestions,  
thoughts, and ideas.  
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## Welcome to all our new members.

What a busy couple of months for the club:

- 8 Courts professionally cleaned by Love your Court with a top up of sand.
- Purchase of a super-duper cleaning mat to assist with the court maintenance.
- The installation of a new switchboard in the bar.
- A small suckiemoto leaf vacuum that is great for those small leaves and areas e.g. deck.

As we all know Autumn is a terrible time for the club with the trees from the reserve dropping their leaves onto the courts. The committee are discussing with Taupō Council on available options but currently it is vacuum, sweep, pick up. If you have any time to spare and would like to help, talk to Hermann. If we all do a little bit, it helps overall.



A small reminder. If you remove a key from behind the door, return it as soon as you have opened whatever door / gate. Do not put it in your pocket, as you will invariably take it home and when someone else needs the key, it is not there.



and Trusts for their support of the club. The court cleaning and switchboard replacement were fully funded through grants. Our other supporters and businesses give generously of their time, services, merchandise and money. The support of every business is appreciated. Please support these local businesses whenever you can.

Tech Central  
Bottle-O  
Triton Hearing  
Grassroots Trust

Sports Café  
Infracomfort  
GB Glass  
Youthtown

Avis  
Self-Loading Loggers  
Chris Dykzeul (Bayleys)  
NZCT

**Exciting news.** Our September Tournament has a new naming rights Sponsor, Bayleys Realty Group. As well as the naming rights Bayleys are supporting the club with a number of other sponsorship initiatives. Tournament entry spots are still available: [Click here to enter](#)



Welcome to our new sponsor, Empower Gym whose sign you will see up on the fence soon.



The committee are working on the Strategic Plan for the next 5 years. Currently we are seeking quotations and then grant funding for the following:

- Replacement of the outside power box.
- Resealing and marking the carpark.

If there is any project / that you would like the committee to consider, please chat to Ross.



**Intra-club Masters Doubles Tournament:** This tournament has a focus on those players who would not normally sign up for a tournament. However, we encourage all eligible seniors to enter if you can. The Taupo Closed Masters Tournament 2026 will be held on Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> June and is open to all club members aged 30+. Entry fee is \$5. Matches will start at 9.00am and may go

through till early/mid-afternoon, depending on entry numbers. All matches will be first to 9, tiebreaker at 8 all and we hope everyone will get 3 matches. Once opened, click on the red enter icon and login using your username and password. If you don't have one, then register where they say to, then login. Depending on entries, there may be an A & B section. This will be decided once entries close. Please enter online via this link: [Taupo Closed Masters Tournament | Tennis New Zealand](#)

## Club Tennis:

- **Midweek:** Tuesday and Thursday mornings 9–11am followed by morning tea. Open to all members. Games are organised by our computerised, Scoring Made Easy, system and are graded on ability. Friends and Family welcome as guests, \$10 per person.
- **Wednesday League:** Wednesday evenings during winter. Fast four format. Two competitive games are played.
- **Shield (summer):** Played on a Wednesday evening, open to all club members.
- **Juniors (winter):** Monday afternoons 3.30 – 5.30pm. Please contact Justin Megraw, No 1 tennis. 02108355422
- **Coaching:** Adult and junior coaching available. Talk to Justin about the options.



Have you thought about joining our committee. We are seeking new members for the 206/27 season and onwards. This is not an onerous role. If you are interested, please chat to Janice or Ross.

