

# **KIAMA TENNIS CLUB INC.**

## **Junior Tennis Support Program**

The Kiama Tennis Club seeks to support the development of outstanding juniors in the club. For this reason the Kiama Tennis Club will provide up to 4 junior boys and 4 junior girls with financial assistance towards the costs of pursuing their careers in tennis. The eligibility criteria are specified below.

### **Eligibility**

- Players must be current junior or family members of the Kiama Tennis Club.
- Players must be ranked within the top juniors in the club in their respective age group.
- Players must be currently playing competition for Kiama Tennis Club.
- Players must be able to demonstrate a commitment to pursuing tennis by virtue of entry and success in a range of regional, state or national tournaments.
- Players should recognise the support of the club at relevant opportunities.
- A written report must be submitted once per year (15<sup>th</sup> June for the Annual General Meeting) detailing the results and participation for the player.
- If the player is unable to undertake the expected tournament commitments due to unforeseen circumstances eg. injury the Kiama Tennis Club will negotiate with the player a suitable solution.

### **Benefits**

- Kiama Tennis Club will provide up to \$200 per year towards the reimbursement of tournament entry costs.
- Kiama Tennis Club may consider greater financial support for outstanding juniors with considerable state or national tournament commitments.

### **Procedure**

1. Players should complete an application and forward it confidentially to the Convenor of the Junior Committee in early February each year.
2. The junior committee will consider all applications and make recommendations to the club committee. Committee members with personal relationship with any applicants eg. son/daughter must declare such an interest and be ineligible to vote.
3. The club committee will make the final decision and advise all applicants in late February.
4. Successful applicants will need to keep a record of all tournament entries and associated fees and performances (pro-forma attached) and submit it to the club Treasurer on 1<sup>st</sup> April, 1<sup>st</sup> August and 1<sup>st</sup> December.
5. Payment by cheque for the agreed amounts will be made within 7 days of receipt of the records.

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APPLICATION FORM**

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

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**Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Parent/ Guardian Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Coaches Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date of Birth:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Playing History (tell us about your playing record, what tournaments you have played, what your results were over the past two years):**

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**Tell us what your goals for your tennis in the next year are:**

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*Application must be submitted to the Junior Convenor - Warren McCullough by  
20<sup>th</sup> February 2004. No late applications will be considered.*