

Esperance Tennis Club



Wednesday 23rd October
1900

Meeting Notes

Attending

Ainslie Wildberger
Alysha Castelli
Jill Wehr
Darren Floss
Shane Spengler
Kim Jones
Neville Welke
Debra McBride

Announcements

Head coach position

- New and existing.

Fence upgrade

- Cost, time line.

Discussion

- Current head coach, Darren completes his contract at the end of the year. Darren has contacted Kelvin Maclean regarding the taking over of the position of head coach. Kelvin Maclean's extensive coaching career would make him an asset to the club and advance the club's development. Kelvin was highly recommended by Darren as he has worked with him before.

Kelvin has asked for a 3 year contract with a retainer of \$800 per month. It has been indicated that he would like to stay for 5 years. Club able to support this retainer.

Darren will handover to Kelvin and provide him an overview of the club and how it works.

Start date will need to be confirmed.

Jill motioned to provide Kelvin with the contract and employ Kelvin as Head Coach of the Esperance Tennis Club. Seconded by everyone.

Contract signed by Ainslie and Jill. Darren to give Kelvin the contract to be signed by him and returned to the committee.

A member of the committee is to be in contact with Kelvin to welcome him to the town and ensure he as someone to touch base with.

Club to look at developing a head coach package to assist with the transition between future coaches. To include more information about what to expect, tournaments, functions, country week and people involved in the running of the club. Also, to include information about the town. Discussions about annual leave to be had with Kelvin. Also, for future contracts to involve information about annual leave and the conversation required with the committee.

- Fence – Alysha is applying for more grants. Quoting \$50,000 for replacement of the entire fence. Club to front ? \$30,000. To look into TennisWest hotshots, McDonalds, Rick Wilson for grants. Ainslie has a book that would assist with which grants aid infrastructure development; to provide to Alysha.
- List of Junior's to be emailed to Kim/Darren at 8am on Thursday 24th by Jill to confirm Junior pennants' numbers.

Roundtable

Jill – Would like to develop a regular meeting time for the committee. Plans for a committee meeting on the second Wednesday of the month at 1800. This to be confirmed

For the word to be distributed throughout the club about the Glencore sponsorship.

Ainslie and the rest of the committee - Would like to recognize the time and effort Darren has put in to coaching the next generation of tennis players at our club. Also we would like to thank him for his help in contacting Kelvin and facilitating the signing of a contract. The committee also wish Darren all the best with his new job in North Carolina.

Meeting closed at 1930.