

Management Committee

President:	Gill Howard (658196)	Chairman:	Guy Slater (633609)
Hon. Secretary:	Trevor Seanor (634681) Applecroft, On Hill Swanland, HU14 3NQ	Membership Sec:	Position vacant
Hon. Treasurer:	Graham Haldenby (653193) 25 Ladysmith Road Willerby, HU10 6HL	Club Coach:	Teo Arkut (07890 783807) 50 Tranby Lane Anlaby, HU10 7DU
Committee:	John Chaney (653152) Chris Gee (657910)	Sean Howes (634579) Steve Walmsley (635717)	Marion Riley (632652)

Website address: www.swanland.info/tennisclub.htm

Club News and Development

Members have been enjoying the benefits of the resurfaced courts this past year, and we are now planning the rejuvenation of courts 4 and 5.

The Management Committee has lost two members through ill health and age, and we are appealing to members to come forward to help with the running of the club. Please let a committee member know if you feel you can commit to about 10 meetings a year to keep our club going. The commitment is mainly monthly, and it is essential for the health of the Club to have a committee with fresh views and ideas who can continue the development of the Club. Our thanks and thoughts go to Helen Watson and Peter Ward.

Members who wish to apply for Wimbledon tickets through the Club ballot should put their request in writing to Guy Slater. His address can be found on the subscription page. The indications from the LTA are that this will be the last year that tickets will be issued to the clubs as before. Membership of British Tennis appears to be the likely route in the future.

Tournaments are held regularly throughout the year for junior boys and girls. More information can be obtained from the coach or by looking on the Junior noticeboard.

Club Nights and Competitions

It was agreed at the AGM, that the annual club tournament, should all be played in the month of September, for a one year trial. The lack of match time-keeping and players unable to fulfil matches were the reasons for a re-think and change to the traditional tournament. Singles and doubles, will still be played from scratch, so there will be no handicapping. Partners for the doubles will continue to be drawn. Finals day (1pm) and the BBQ (6pm) are scheduled for Sunday 28th September. See entry form attached. Club mix-in sessions continue throughout the year as follows: Monday and Thursday evenings from 6pm and Sunday and Tuesday mornings from 10am. All players are welcome.

Teams at all levels have been entered in the Hull and District League and all members are invited to attend pre-season practices. All players who want match play should attend from week commencing 7th April 2008. Mens' practices are Tuesdays at 6.00pm and Ladies' practices are Saturdays at 2.00pm. For further information see the club noticeboard.

American (2 hour mix-in) tournaments will be held on the 1st Sunday in each month from May to August, except July (3rd Sunday), commencing at 2.30pm, including the Humber Bridge Trophy (June), & Pam Williams Trophy (August). We are also planning floodlit events including a fish & chip supper 6.30pm (October) & a Christmas mulled wine and mince pie event in December. Exact dates for these events will be confirmed in the Autumn Newsletter.

Subscriptions – revised for this year are as follows:

Seniors	£107	or	£92 if paid before 1 st May 2008	
Student	£56	or	£51	“
Juniors	£41	or	£36	“
Members over 65	£61	or	£56	“
Family Membership	£255	or	£220	“
Social Membership	£5			

See attached form for new membership and 5 & 10 year memberships

Teams/Matches

7 senior teams and 2 junior teams will be entered in the Hull and District League as follows:

Mens 'A'	Steve Walmsley	635717
Mens 'B'	Andrew Clark	631532
Ladies 'A'	Abigail Omblerturan	633663
Ladies 'B'	Pauline Appleton	634659
Ladies 'C'	Fiona Douglas	632311
Mixed 'A'	Trevor Seanor	634681
Mixed 'B'	Karen Taylor	07773 301459
Boys and Girls	Teo Arkut	07890 783807

Please contact any of the above or see noticeboard for practice and match arrangements.

Coach

Teo Arkut is resident licensed coach (LTA CCA & member of the European Registry of Tennis Professionals), and organises courses for individuals and groups of all ages and disabilities. For further details, please contact Teo on 07890 783807, (teoarkut@hotmail.com) or see the club noticeboard.

Social

Social activities for the coming months are as follows:

Quiz night Date in May to be announced. See notice board or club web site for details
Barbecue Sun 28th Sept at 6pm following finals afternoon, which starts at 1.00pm
We are also planning a combined American Tournament and Barbecue on 20 July (tournament 2.30pm, barbecue 6.30pm)

Tickets for all these events can be obtained from a committee member and any offers of help will be gratefully received, as will ideas for other social functions.

Sponsorship

Offers of sponsorship are always welcome and much appreciated, especially for the junior squads.

Discounts for club members

We are grateful to Robert Hebb at Cottingham Sports, 24 Finkle Street, Cottingham, Tel. 844826, who continues to offer club members a discount of 10% on all tennis clothing and equipment.

General Information

For court procedures, student and junior membership, DP Horsley Memorial Award and detailed match information please see club noticeboard.

A racket re-stringing service and sports injury therapist are available to members at reasonable cost. See club notice board.



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Subscriptions 2008/2009

This form should be returned to the Club Chairman together with your subscription, club championship entry form and social events form – **All cheques should be payable to “Swanland Lawn Tennis Club”**

Mr G Slater, The Court, Humber Road, North Ferriby, HU14 3DW

Senior.....	£107	including LTA levy
Student.....	£56	Ditto
Junior	£41	Ditto
Members over 65.....	£61	Ditto
* Family membership.....	£255	Ditto

(* this includes parents, and **children under the age of 18**, or any in full time education over 18)

All new members pay the full fee, and senior members and families also pay a joining fee of £10.

There will be a renewal discount for existing members **only if paid before 1st May 2008**

Senior.....	£92	including LTA levy
Student.....	£51	Ditto
Junior	£36	Ditto
Members over 65.....	£56	Ditto
* Family members.....	£220	Ditto
Social membership (Non-playing)	£5	

Five year membership	£390
Ten year membership.....	£725

Categories

1. Senior - 18 years and over on 1st May, 2008
2. Seniors in full time education can pay the student subscription
3. Student - 16/17 years old on 1st May, 2008
4. Junior - 15 years and under on 1st May, 2008
5. Over 65's - on 1st May, 2008

Name(s)	Address (Postcode please)	Tel. No.	Date of Birth (if under 18)	Subscription

Club rules are posted in the clubhouse and all members are expected to abide by them.

If you have no objection to being sent information about club events electronically please print your e-mail address clearly here.

Signed Date.....

**PLEASE ENCLOSE A STAMPED ADDRESSED ENVELOPE
WHEN YOU RETURN THESE FORMS. THANK YOU**



Swanland Lawn Tennis Club Club Tournament in September

Please return to

Mr G Slater, The Court, Humber Road, North Ferriby, HU14 3DW

Please note that an entry form will also be posted in the clubhouse from mid May onwards and entries will close at the end of July

Name/s	Tel No
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Please enter me/us in the tournament as follows:

Ladies singles

Mens singles

Ladies doubles (partners will be drawn for)

Mens doubles (partners will be drawn for)

Mixed doubles (Senior members only - partners will be drawn for)
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Veterans mixed (50 and over) (partners will be drawn for)
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Social Events - Please indicate your interest Yes or No

Please return by 1st May to Mr G Slater, The Court, Humber Road, North Ferriby, HU14 3DW

I am interested in the Quiz Night (May)

I am interested in the summer American tournament / barbecue (20 July)

I am interested in the Finals Day Barbecue (28th Sept) at 6pm

I will donate a tombola/raffle prize

Suggestions for other social events I would support

Name..... Date.....