

Presidents report.

This last week has seen some satisfactory repairs and maintenance carried out at the your Club.

Hard Courts: 5,6,7,10,11,and 12 have had a great clean for Christmas. The company which re surfaced them back in 2007 has been employed to clean them, this comprised a water blasting and scrubbing process which has resulted in a new look. However it was not all plain sailing, as a breakdown with equipment caused Marco to work late into the night and then start again early the next morning to allow him to get back to Wellington to the job he had interrupted to get our courts done. Well this resulted in me fielding a noise complaint from the Council the next day, which I have hopefully dispelled. How would you like to have a motor running late into the night under lights and then starting up again at sunrise to complete one court not finished the day before, if you were the neighbour.

I have apologised to the our neighbour concerned through the Council staff member for our over enthusiastic contractor, and assured it will not happen again for another 7 years?.

Notice board and sound system: Many fingers had been tinkering with the amplifier control knobs over past years. Plus the micro switch which turns all the electronics off when the Notice board sliding door shuts has not been operational for a long time (in fact the existing one was in the wrong way) Also the magnetic indicator which tells the plunger to lock the door, has also been on holiday for while.

These have now all been repaired, the speaker levels have been balanced for hearing at the outer limits of our complex and a new micro switch installed to shut down the amplifier system when the door is closed. The door plunger lock now operates instantly when closed.

WHAT NOW : The control room cupboard which holds the amplifier is now locked (the key is available to those who need it) All the FIRST AID gear is now in the cupboard next to the refrigerator and is clearly signed.

Weather, I have it on good authority that the weather is going to be great for Christmas, so get in plenty of tennis and have a

MERRY CHRISTMAS and a HAPPY NEW YEAR

from your hard working Management Committee