

Woodville Table Tennis Club

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Tournaments in 2019

Club members are advised that that the **SA Veteran's** tournament will be on **Sunday 21st July at Southern**. Entry forms will be on the TTSA web site.

Woodville Junior Tournament Singles Results

Unfortunately, there were no Woodville Juniors in the list.

U 18 Boy's Singles Wilson Wang	U18 Girl's Singles Hanna Goh
U 15 Boy's Singles Royce Goh	U15 Girl's Singles Alana Burrows
U 13 Boy's Singles Max Thomas	U 11 Singles Peter Zhang
Smash Hit Singles Ethan Cherrington	RC <1200 Daniel Lawrie
RC <900 Max Thomas	RC <600 Cam Thomas

Dennis Hartnett: The newsletter article on club history brought a response from Dennis – He was a member of Woodville during 1962 – 65 and played in the Club Tournament in 62 and came runner up to Terry Cameron when he was 18. He thought the Club Coach then was Bill Oatey.

Junior Coaching

Junior Coaching is available on Friday night from 7 – 9pm with Robert, cost is still \$6. As your children/grandchildren reach 8yrs they are ready to follow instruction. Why not get them to follow in your footsteps and show them our great game.

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More Trivia

The 10 top baby's names for 2018

<u>Girls</u>	<u>Boys</u>
Sophia	Jackson
Olivia	Liam
Emma	Noah
Ava	Aiden
Isabella	Caden
Aria	Grayson
Riley	Lucas
Amelia	Mason
Harper	Oliver
Adalyn	Elijah



Betty Bird

Club Legends

Betty Bird

Betty Bird came to Australia in 1974 and was England's No 2 ranked female player in her youth. She came to WDTC and played in pennant and tournament competition in S.A. but also entered in World Championships in countries all over the world and brought home medals. When she was 83yrs she had the title of World Champion. Betty was a Club Committee member from 1998 to 2014 and is still showing endurance and skill on the table. She is remembered for looking out for bargains for the canteen in crisps and lollies. Betty has always played with pimple rubbers. She went to Bendigo in Oct 2018 for the Australian Vets and won gold in 80 WS – (5 years in a row) and gold in the 80 WD also Best player award in 80's plus No2 ranking in 75 WS in Aust. In the recent Veteran's tournament, she won the three events she went in. A true legend.

Club History

With the fortuitous discovery of some old club minutes and correspondence dated 1955-1971 tucked away in the bottom drawer of an old filing cabinet in the rear of the clubrooms, we are now able to provide some interesting excerpts of Club History over the ensuing months. For those members interested in financial trivia, a letter was sent by the Hon. Secretary of the WDTC on the 25th.May 1955 to the SATTA (now TTSA) enclosed with a cheque for £16/5/- for the purchase of one table tennis table. This amount equates to around \$33 in modern currency. Now 60 years on it is more likely to cost nearer to \$1000 for professional top-grade tables equipped with all the modern features.



A good news story for the Club comes from coach Tony Ferro. His pupils the Woodley boys Lincoln, Brendan and Tyson have been playing in the Smash Hit grade representing our club. They won the first week comfortably then won the second week 9 - 0. Looking good boys.

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<http://wdttc.org>

Omer or Glenn will keep the Club's Facebook page up to date. To find it just google "wdttc"

Club Lights

The Committee wishes to remind all players to take your belongings and check that you have **switched off all the lights** by looking behind you when leaving the Club.

Pro Shop

Although there is no "Pro Shop" as such visible, David can get items for you from our supplier and replace your bat rubber when needed.

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