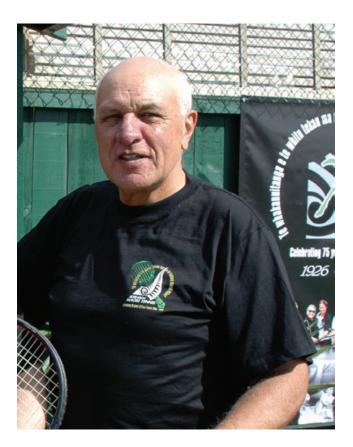
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E nga mana whakahaere o te Roopu Tenehi Māori o Aotearoa, tēna koutou!

As Kaumātua for the Aotearoa Māori Tennis Association I want to say a simple 'Thank you!' for the huge enjoyment we shared in the spirit of cooperation that marked this tournament - despite the wet weather.

It is well worth reflecting on our 86th anniversary that this is probably the only national tournament that provides for whanau/family competition in sections ranging from 8years to 80years! The standards at the younger levels just keep getting higher and higher. The crafty-oldies were of course just as enjoyable to watch. It is good to see the return of families who have long supported our Māori tennis tournament such as veterans like David Goldsmith, Ron Farrell, and the Peni Whanau.

Youngsters of the likes of Kyle Butters - winner again of the Men's Open Singles at 15 years of age, along with his brother Sam and sister Paris, also winning titles. Kataraina Hunia, the Open Women's Singles Winner, was well supported by her whanau as was the runner up, Luci Barlow, who had her parents, Jim and Shirley in strong support. Eru Lyndon, with brother, Dr Mataroria, along with juniors, Rawhiti Williams and Arapeta Collier-Waiomio, showed their skills in the Open Grades.

The Women's Open Singles top seed, 15 year old Paige Hourigan, was invited to qualify for the ASB Classic this year. She was given direct entry to the ASB Classic Doubles. We wish her well in her future tennis endeavours.

These are players who are already playing at national and international tournaments, and it gives testimony to the outstanding contribution AMTA continues to make to NZ tennis. Their achievements lift us all!

Our announcement of our campaign 'Ruia Morrison Return to Wimbledon 2013' is another worthy commemoration.

Once again, a very successful tournament. Congratulations to our President and Committee and all who work in the interests of maintaining this heritage of our great Māori leaders of the past - Sir Apirana Ngata and Dr Pei Te Hurinui Jones - who we've commemorated so appropriately with a new trophy for the Open Men's Doubles.

Kia kaha, kia toa!

Nga mihi nui. Ta Tamati Muturangi Reedy



I take this opportunity to firstly acknowledge our Patron Kiingi Tuheitia in making time to attend the 86th Powhiri just as King Koroki did in 1947 and 1948, Te Puea Herangi in 1949, 1951 and 1952, and Dame Te Atairangikaahu from 1975 to 2005.

How times have changed since 1926 when each iwi or rohe sent their best players to compete in the NZ Māori Lawn Tennis Championships. Each iwi or rohe was represented by iwi leaders with a national profile, together with outstanding orators, the likes of Pei Te Hurinui Jones, Turi Carroll, James Henare, Wetene Hotu, Haeroa Marumaru, Takarua Tamarau, and Sam Mitchell - to name a few.

Time was not of the essence in those days, and it is understood that some of those powhiri carried into the next day.

Today we are still blessed to have our whatukura at the forefront of the powhiri, Sir Tamati Reedy and David Goldsmith - and just as important are our māreikura – Kahurangi Te Koingo Reedy and Mrs Ruia Morrison, MBE.

I thank one and all, for another successful tournament with the new online entry system and tournament format which got a 100% pass rate from our members.

As always, our sponsors are very important to us – "nga mihi tino nui ki a koutou." They are highlighted at the back of this booklet. Tena koutou e ngā whatukura, māreikura me ngā mema o Te Tēnehi Māori o Aotearoa

A big mihi to our Waikato members for their manaaki and support – a special mihi to you, Te Mana, and your cultural group for the performances at the powhiri kaihakiri and social evening.

Congratulations to all winners of the various events, especially to our two supreme winners – Kyle Butters and Kataraina Hunia. It must be mentioned that the Association, is very impressed with the standard of our young players. This gives us much confidence in the future of Māori tennis players and to the future success of our tournament.

I, on behalf of the Association, humbly request the support /donations towards the 'Ruia Morrison return to Wimbledon 2013 Fund.'

Congratulations to Paige Hourigan gaining direct entry to the ASB Classic qualifying event and direct entry to the main draw of the doubles. Paige will also be playing in the Australian Junior Open qualifying.

Further, we wish all our junior members success in the many up-coming national junior age group tournaments.

Following the AGM, the committee will be working on the development of our historical 90th Anniversary Tournament scheduled for 2016. In closing, we extend our sincere thanks to Tā Tamati Muturangi me Kahurangi Tilly Te Koingo Reedy for their generous contribution once again towards the Nga Purapura Trust Fund.

Nga mihi mo te tau hou ki a koutou katoa

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Richard (Tiki) Garratt President, AMTA



2012 AMTA Championships, Waikato Tennis Centre, Hamilton, 27-29 December.

Event	Winner/s	Runner/s Up	Results
10 Boys Singles	Xavier Coman	Ryan Rooney	R/R
10/12 Boys Doubles	Raniera Maxwell & Mahaki Whauwhau	Teiki Sydney & Carlin Vollebregt	7/3
10/12 Girls Singles	Georgia Atkinson	Tia Tarau	R/R
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12 Boys Singles	Raniera Maxwell	Teiki Sydney	6/3 7/6
12 Girls Doubles	Georgia Atkinson & Tia Tarau	Evangeline Coman & Isabelle Coman	7/3
12 Mixed Doubles	Carlin Vollebregt & Isabelle Coman	Raniera Maxwell & Paris Maxwell	R/R
12 Boys Singles Plate	Carlin Vollebregt	Teiki Sydney	2
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14 Girls Singles	Paris Butters	Gabrielle Hiri	7/1
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14/16 Boys Singles	Joshua Moorby	Kierran Rooney	7/6
14/16 Boys Doubles	Clayton Barry & Ricky Collier-Waiomio	Jodi Bond & Hone collier-Waiomio	R/R
14/16 Girls Doubles	Holly Matson & Tiana Windbuchler	Tammy Douglas & Brooke Nihill	R/R
14/16 Mixed Doubles	Hone Collier-Waiomio & Chantelle Barry	Clayton Barry & Tammy Douglas	R/R
16 Girls Singles	Naea Albert	Tiana Windbuchler	R/R
30/49 Mens Singles	Luke Atkinson	Ants Nepia	Def
30/49 Mens Doubles	Peri Woods & Wayne Thompson	Luke Atkinson & Roland Hiri	R/R
30/49 Womens Singles	Leona Davis-Kaye	Tia Ormsby van Selm	R/R
30/49 Womens Doubles	Leona Davis-Kaye & Ann Davis-Mouralis	Tia Ormsby & Fiona Wikaira	R/R
30/49 Mixed Doubles	Adam Whauwhau & Te Mana Rollo	Peri Woods & Leona Davis-Kaye	R/R
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50/65 Mens Singles	Jeremy Wichman	Bob Peni	9/7
50/65 Mens Doubles	Arthur Bauld & Harry Tawhai	Dave Brake & Alby Tipiwai	R/R
50/65 Womens Singles	Te Mana Rollo	Wendy Wrigley	R/R
50/65 Womens Doubles	Te Mana Rollo & Wendy Wrigley	Christine Brake & Wendy Hiha	R/R
50/65 Mixed Doubles	Bob Peni & Queenie de la Croix	Dave Brake & Christine Brake	R/R
66+ Mens Singles	David Goldsmith	Dinny Mohi	7/5 0/6 (10/8)
Championship			\rightarrow
Mens Singles	Kyle Butters	Eru Lyndon	1/6 6/3 7/6
Mens Singles Plate	Sam Butters	John Boynton	9/6
Mens Doubles	Kyle Butters & Sam Butters	Eru Lyndon & Mataroria Lyndon	7/6
Womens Singles	Kataraina Hunia	Luci Barlow	3/6 6/4 6/3
Womens Singles Plate	Aliya Edwards	Dana Hiri	9/7
Womens Doubles	Tracey O'Connor & Luci Barlow	Kataraina Hunia & Kasey Nihill	9/7
Mixed Doubles	Arapeta Collier-Waiomio & Kasey Nihill	Rawhiti Williams & Kataraina Hunia	7/6

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