**Chair’s Report**

As my first year as chair comes to an end I’d like to thank everyone for their support, especially the committee who guide me through. We are finally back to being able to play tennis as normal and with the help of technology, the what’s app group there is lots of tennis happening. The evening club social nights have been very quiet and I hope with the warmer weather we will see more members turning up. Matt ran a successful open tennis weekend in May where the weather out shone and we had lots of people, including new members, we hope to run this again in May so watch out for the date.

It will not have escaped people notice that the club house is looking a little ‘tired’ and we have had some issues with the water not to mention the problems with the lights. We are now in need of replacing/repairing the club house and thinking what best to do about the lights. This is a big challenge and we need volunteers to set up a planning group to take this forward. If you are interested then please let me know.

With our strong committee and the support of our coach, Matt, we are looking forward to a success year of tennis with social and league games and hopefully the box/ladder club league(if I can persuade Matt to run it).

Frances Paul