

Tennis news

Sienna Leeson achieves a World Tennis Association (WTA) Ranking

Over the past year, Year 11 student, Sienna Leeson has competed in several professional women's tennis tournaments in Australia and America. Sienna recently travelled to Darwin and Cairns to compete in the WTA 25,000 ITF events.

Sienna has since achieved a World Tennis Association (WTA) ranking – an outstanding achievement!

Sienna will be travelling to more professional tournaments in the coming months. We wish Sienna well for these upcoming events.

Australian Hardcourt Championships

Over the school holiday period, six Meriden students qualified to compete in the 2022 Australian Hardcourt Championships held in Adelaide. This prestigious event is exclusive to select players.

Congratulations to Ariel Gunawan, Anjolaoluwa Ige, Valentyna Rosa, Jizelle Sibai, Alexia Taboas and Cecilia Teoh who showed exceptional skill and talent at the event. Special mention to Valentyna, Year 6, who placed seventh overall in her singles event and was a semi-finalist in her doubles event, and Jizelle, Year 7, who was a quarter-finalist in her doubles event.



Ariel Gunawan, Jizelle Sibai, Anjolaoluwa Ige, Cecilia Teoh and Alexia Taboas

2022 NSW State Championships

Recently, seventeen Meriden students competed in the 2022 NSW State Tennis Championships. Despite the tough weather conditions, all girls displayed exceptional skill and sportsmanship.

Year 9 student, Gabriela Garipova, was named the 16 and Under Singles Champion, while Year 7 student, Jizelle Sibai, was named the 14 and Under Singles Champion. Both girls played outstanding tennis over the entirety of the tournament, displaying consistent high-level tennis. Congratulations to all students who competed in this event.

New Zealand Junior ITF

Meriden students recently travelled to Auckland and Christchurch, New Zealand to compete in three Junior ITF events. The girls achieved exceptional results, all improving their Junior ITF rankings. Congratulations to the following girls who competed at each of these events:

- Elektra Arseniou, Year 10
- Piper Freeman, Year 12
- Abigail Gunawan, Year 8
- Giselle Guillen, Year 8
- Nina Krecklenberg, Year 11



Abigail Gunawan, Nina Krecklenberg and Elektra Arseniou

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