## WALDRINGFIELD TENNIS COURT TRUST

# REPORT TO THE ANNUAL PARISH MEETING, 8th April, 2014

### **GENERAL CONDITION**

The court is now into its 16<sup>th</sup> season after total re-construction in 1998. In 2012 a root barrier was inserted along the south-eastern corner, tree root damage was repaired and the surface painted and relined.

The court is now in very good condition and should last another 3 seasons before major re-surfacing becomes necessary, which is likely to cost at least £15,000.

### **ANNUAL FINANCES**

- Income for 2013 (court fees and interest less expenses) was £507, this being £347 down on the previous year. This is thought to be due to change in demographics and that the school children are no longer taking coaching sessions (due to the coach no longer being available). An alternative coach is being contacted and awareness ensured of all new comers to the village.
- The total bank balance at the start of the 2014 year was £10,844.59.

### **COURT FEES**

At the Annual General Meeting, the Committee agreed the court fees should remain the same as the previous year which are as follows:

Annual membership fees: £50 family membership

£24 single adult

£11 junior

The hourly rate: £5
Guest with Member: £1

#### **ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS**

Liz Melero has kindly agreed for another year to receive the court fees, to hold the court key and deal with bookings. The Committee wishes to express their sincere thanks to Liz for this.

#### **Colin Archer**

Chairman of the Waldringfield Tennis Court Trust 4<sup>th</sup> April, 2014