

## Tennis Australia's Orientation to Coaching (OTC) course

Tennis enthusiasts of any playing standard (aged 15+) have the opportunity to enrol in an OTC course.

OTC courses are conducted by Tennis Victoria qualified coaching staff. The OTC course aims to provide participants with coaching information and activities. It presents *take away* concepts as well as *can do* activities that can be implemented across a range of participant standards and ages.

Course content is directed at children's sport and covers basic tennis skills, group organisation, planning, child development, safety aspects, modified games and activities as well as administration of junior tennis programs.

The course includes two major components:

- The OTC CD-ROM that includes the OTC Manual, interactive questionnaire, game based coaching tennis videos and other tennis resources.
- A four-hour on-court practical session which includes general sport and tennis specific coaching principles.



## Participants do not need a strong playing standard to enrol!

As a special offer for Active Australia Network schools, any teachers enrolling in an OTC tennis course will receive 20% discount off the enrolment.

### The next OTC course in your local area is:

**Date:** 31st August 2008  
**Where:** Drouin Tennis Club  
**Time:** 10am – 1pm



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