



# NEWSLETTER

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### FROM THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

Hello Bowlers,

There seems to be some differing views over what the entitlements for new members are.

Free membership for the first year applies to new full members but not to a past member of the Club who is re-joining.

There is no free uniform for new members. This only applied to new members who were with us at the time we changed to our current uniform, the same as it applied to everyone else.

On another note our Greens Keeper, **John Graco**, found a broken bottle in the ditch of one of our greens on Monday morning. At the moment we do not know if it was one of our members or someone who has jumped the fence but security footage will be looked at.

Members are reminded that no glass is to be taken near the greens and if a member fails to follow these rules they shall render themselves liable for expulsion.

**Max Sutherland,  
Executive Director**

*“Your body actually reminds you about your age and your injuries—the body has a stronger memory than your mind.”*

—DANCER/CHOREOGRAPHER MIKHAIL BARYSHNIKOV

<b>EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR:</b>	Max Sutherland
<b>EXECUTIVE SECRETARY:</b>	Ron Hurley
<b>FINANCIAL DIRECTOR:</b>	John Corn
<b>COMMITTEE MEMBERS :</b>	Albert Taylor, Maureen Hodgkisson
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## TALK ABOUT A TIGHT FINISH!

Although numbers were small, bidding was brisk in the auction for ownership of the horses at Cup Eve Capers, and the night was quickly underway with Carl Boltwood in charge of the dice to keep the horses moving, although in Race 3 Jim Pumphrey didn't even make it out of the starting stalls.

If you think the finish to the real Melbourne Cup was close, you should have been there for our version of it. Zac Woning was a flying starter and seemed a certainty, until Tim Yates got moving and overtook him. Then Barb Keenan and Brian Dodson got in on the act as well. When the final dice was rolled, Tim and Zac were on the finish line, Barb one off and Brian one behind her. Out came the Number 4 dice and Tim, riding for his owner Dad, Charles, was declared the winner. Incidentally, it was not a night that went well for Zac. His horse, Number 3, didn't win a race! The Adkins Memorial Cup, named in memory of Ray and Rita Adkins who introduced Cup Eve Capers to the Club more than 25 years ago, was won by a syndicate of the Dodsons, Southwards and Boltwood, ridden by Rachelle.

## A NOTE ABOUT FUNCTIONS

Elsewhere in this newsletter, and by a previous email, the Board has outlined restrictions on members that will be put in place when functions are being held, as they are entitled to do under the constitution, and while this was brought about because of incidents involving the Soul Club, it is also the Board's intention that the same principles should apply to other functions as well.

The reason is simple ... people who book a function generally expect to have the place to themselves, because we only take bookings (except in exceptional circumstances) for times that do not clash with club events, pennant, carpet bowls, practice, etc.

The club relies heavily on the income generated by these functions. Many functions are repeat business or come from word of mouth. If a client is unhappy with the experience we lose that business.

So I'd urge all members to respect the privacy of our clients when there is a function on. It's in your own interest to do so.

**Alistair Smith, Functions Coordinator.**

## UPCOMING EVENTS

The second weekend of November is shaping up to be huge.

On Friday, November 11, we have a booking from Bayswater West Primary School for a disco (for adults, not the kids) and going on previous events, we expect this to be a busy night. The Soul Club have their regular session the following night, Saturday, November 12. And on the Sunday it's the singles final.

Next scheduled "outside" event is a 1<sup>st</sup> Birthday Party (that's the third one this year) on Sunday, November 20<sup>th</sup> at 2 pm., with plans for a jumping castle.

Then, on Friday, December 2, we have a corporate Christmas Party, which included barefoot bowling in the afternoon and evening.

At this time of year, we are receiving a steady flow of inquiries for bookings, so things are likely to change.

If this is the case, details will be posted on the Social Notice Board, as well as updated on the Bowls Coordinators board so that you can plan any championship games accordingly.

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### WHAT A DUMP

Here's another posting on the senior moments thread of reddit.com. Writes "Raj1030": "The pipe underneath the sink was leaking so I had placed a bucket to catch all the water. When the bucket was getting full, I emptied it out in the same sink . . ."

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## So you want to be a lead!

**A**s a lead it is now recognised that you are probably the most important player in your rink because you have up to 33% accountability.

So what do you need to be able to do.

For first division you need to be able to get at least 50% of your Bowls within a maths length on both minimum and maximum lengths.

For lower divisions between fifth and first you need to be able to get 30% to 50% within a maths length both minimum and maximum lengths.

You are part of the front-end team with the second and between you need to have at least two bowls in the head.

Test yourself on a rink by yourself, bowl 10 Bowls minimum length then 10 Bowls maximum length then check your average.

Now you will know how much extra effort you will have to put in to be an effective member of your rink.

## FROM THE PRESIDENT

So far this pennant season the Saturday results are a little mixed with the second and third side doing pretty well what was expected.

The Tuesday pennant results are not too good with our topside probably being outclassed. Some of our opposition has quite a few Saturday Premier division, first division, and even an occasional international player in their sides.

We have signed up with an expression of interest in a new out of season competition called Quicka Bowls.

The Bowls committee will notify members as more details come to hand.

The coaches and selectors would like to see more pennant players at training and practice, as in today's game we need at least two good practice sessions a week just to match it with our competition.

We have a group of our players going to the Victorian open to take on the best bowlers in the state and we wish them good bowling and every success.

**Doug Clarke**  
**President Bowls committee.**

## MEMBERS EXPECTED BEHAVIOUR DURING FUNCTIONS AT THE CLUB

This matter has been discussed by the Board in light of recent incidents that have been brought to the Boards attention.

Please remember that the visitors have paid for the use of our premises and as such deserve to have as much privacy during their visit as possible.

The Club relies on the revenue that comes from functions and associated bar takings. As such the Board has deemed it necessary to lay down expected behaviour by members during these functions.

Apart from members who are rostered on to serve our visitors please limit your time within the Club Rooms.

In Line with Rule 52 of the "Constitution and Rules", the Bar will be closed to Members from 7.45 pm and Members are to vacate the premises by 8.15 pm at the latest.

If members are out on the veranda prior to 7.45 pm then access to the Club is via the main entrance or the door near the Bar. Doors on the veranda are not to be used as these interfere with visitors in the main area.

If coming in through the front door then go along the kitchen side so as to cause as little interference as possible.

If there are tables arranged in front of the Kitchen to serve meals from then please use the outside door near the Bar.

If any member is asked to leave by the member rostered to be in charge of the function prior to the above hours, or if there is a complaint by the people booking the function, then the member concerned must leave quietly with no argument.

**Board of Management**

## Membership Application Forms

Members who are nominating other people for membership of our club, please make sure that the application is filled in correctly and is legible. Some forms received recently have been near impossible to read, (please print), and have not been filled in correctly, with vital information missing.

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### 30 Actual sentences found in patients hospital charts.

1. She has no rigors or shaking chills, but her husband states she was very hot in bed last night.
2. Examination of genitalia reveals that he is circus sized.
3. Since she can't get pregnant with her husband, I thought you might like to work her up.
4. The patient is tearful and crying constantly. She also appears to be depressed.
5. The patient has been depressed since she began seeing me in 1993.
6. Discharge status: Alive but without my permission.
7. Healthy appearing decrepit 69 year-old male, mentally alert but forgetful.
8. The patient refused autopsy.
9. The patient has no previous history of suicides.
10. Patient has left white blood cells at another hospital.
11. Patient's medical history has been remarkably insignificant with only a 40 pound weight gain in the past three days.
12. Patient had waffles for breakfast and anorexia for lunch.
13. Between you and me, we ought to be able to get this lady pregnant.
14. On the second day the knee was better, and on the third day it disappeared.
15. She is numb from her toes down.
16. While in ER, she was examined, X-rated and sent home.
17. The skin was moist and dry.
18. Occasional, constant, infrequent headaches.
19. Patient was alert and unresponsive.
20. Rectal examination revealed a normal size thyroid.
21. She stated that she had been constipated for most of her life, until she got a divorce.
22. I saw your patient today, who is still under our car for physical therapy.
23. Both breasts are equal and reactive to light and accommodation.
24. Patient has chest pain if she lies on her left side for over a year.
25. The lab test indicated abnormal liver function.
26. The patient was to have a bowel resection. However, he took a job as a stock broker instead.
27. Skin: somewhat pale but present.
28. The pelvic exam will be done later on the floor.
29. Patient was seen in consultation by DR. Blank, who felt we should sit on the abdomen and I agree.
30. Patient has two teenage children, but no other abnormalities.

# SATURDAY PENNANT RESULTS

## **Bayswater 1**

## **Division 2**

## **Section 4**

<b>Rnd 1</b>	<b>Oct 8</b>	<b>v</b>	<b>Monbulk 1</b>	<b>67 to 80</b>	<b>-13</b>
Z Woning 14-25, CJ Snary 17-19, A Woning 18-19, S Weber 18-17.					
<b>Rnd 2</b>	<b>Oct 15</b>	<b>v</b>	<b>Donvale 2</b>	<b>106 to 75</b>	<b>+31</b>
Z Woning 32-21, CJ Snary 28-12, A Woning 24-18, S Weber 22-24.					
<b>Rnd 3</b>	<b>Oct 22</b>	<b>v</b>	<b>Eltham 2</b>	<b>Washout</b>	
<b>Rnd 4</b>	<b>Oct 29</b>	<b>v</b>	<b>Warburton 1</b>	<b>59 to 87</b>	<b>-28</b>
Z Woning 9-28, CJ Snary 15-18, A Woning 18-23, S Weber 17-18.					

## **Bayswater 2**

## **Division 3**

## **Section 4**

<b>Rnd 1</b>	<b>Oct 8</b>	<b>v</b>	<b>Yarra Glen 2</b>	<b>61 to 80</b>	<b>-9</b>
R Southward 16-17, D Clarke 14-20, B Murray 14-22, T McCamley 17-21.					
<b>Rnd 2</b>	<b>Oct 15</b>	<b>v</b>	<b>Mooroolbark 2</b>	<b>104 to 50</b>	<b>+54</b>
R Southward 29-13, D Clarke 34-9, B Murray 23-13, T McCamley 18-15.					
<b>Rnd 3</b>	<b>Oct 22</b>	<b>v</b>	<b>Doncaster 2</b>	<b>Washout</b>	
<b>Rnd 4</b>	<b>Oct 29</b>	<b>v</b>	<b>Heathmont 3</b>	<b>68 to 84</b>	<b>-16</b>
R Southward 20-17, D Clarke 22-19, B Murray 7-25, T McCamley 19-23.					

## **Bayswater 3**

## **Division 5**

## **Section 5**

<b>Rnd 1</b>	<b>Oct 8</b>	<b>v</b>	<b>Glen Waverley 3</b>	<b>75 to 63</b>	<b>+12</b>
S Pastoors 12-21, B Milford 23-9, L McNamara 24-16, C McNamara 16-17.					
<b>Rnd 2</b>	<b>Oct 15</b>	<b>v</b>	<b>Yarra Glen 3</b>	<b>94 to 62</b>	<b>+32</b>
S Pastoors 38-6, B Milford 27-12, L McNamara 12-20, C McNamara 17-24.					
<b>Rnd 3</b>	<b>Oct 22</b>	<b>v</b>	<b>Heatherdale 4</b>	<b>Washout</b>	
<b>Rnd 4</b>	<b>Oct 29</b>	<b>v</b>	<b>North Balwyn 3</b>	<b>100 to 69</b>	<b>+31</b>
S Pastoors 21-24, B Milford 28-19, C McNamara 27-15, J Phyland 24-11.					

## **Bayswater 4**

## **Division 6**

## **Section 6**

<b>Rnd 1</b>	<b>Oct 8</b>	<b>v</b>	<b>Dandenong Club 3</b>	<b>91 to 71</b>	<b>+20</b>
C Yates 21-14, A Smith 22-24, J Corn 25-16, B Layton 23-17.					
<b>Rnd 2</b>	<b>Oct 15</b>	<b>v</b>	<b>Upwey/Tecoma 3</b>	<b>77 to 74</b>	<b>+3</b>
C Yates 22-9, A Smith 14-24, J Corn 28-16, B Layton 13-25.					
<b>Rnd 3</b>	<b>Oct 22</b>	<b>v</b>	<b>Hampton Park 3</b>	<b>Washout</b>	
<b>Rnd 4</b>	<b>Oct 29</b>	<b>v</b>	<b>Heathmont 6</b>	<b>80 to 75</b>	<b>+5</b>
J Graco 21-14, A Smith 30-15, J Corn 19-19, A Cullen 10-27.					

## **Bayswater 5**

## **Division 7**

## **Section 6**

<b>Rnd 1</b>	<b>Oct 8</b>	<b>v</b>	<b>Mooroolbark 6</b>	<b>65 to 80</b>	<b>-15</b>
J Lyne 13-22, M Davey 16-20, S Wilson 20-15, J Hoffman 16-23.					
<b>Rnd 2</b>	<b>Oct 15</b>	<b>v</b>	<b>Mulgrave CC 10</b>	<b>67 to 99</b>	<b>-32</b>
J Lyne 12-27, M Kemp 9-31, A Cullen 32-15, J Hoffman 14-26.					
<b>Rnd 3</b>	<b>Oct 22</b>	<b>v</b>	<b>Vermont South 6</b>	<b>Washout</b>	
<b>Rnd 4</b>	<b>Oct 29</b>	<b>v</b>	<b>Doncaster 6</b>	<b>62 to 89</b>	<b>-27</b>
J Lyne 15-24, C Yates 23-19, M Davey 10-29, M Kemp 14-17.					

# MID-WEEK PENNANT RESULTS

<b>Bayswater 1</b>		<b>Division 1</b>	<b>Section 5</b>
<b>Rnd 1</b>	<b>Sept 27 v MCC Kew Sports</b>	<b>42 to 88</b>	<b>-46</b>
	D Clarke 15-28, B Milford 12-36, R Southward 15-24.		
<b>Rnd 2</b>	<b>Oct 4 v Mitcham 1</b>	<b>Washout</b>	
<b>Rnd 3</b>	<b>Oct 11 v Ferntree Gully 1</b>	<b>44 to 80</b>	<b>-36</b>
	D Clarke 18-23, B Milford 6-31, R Southward 20-26.		
<b>Rnd 4</b>	<b>Oct 18 v Bennettswood 1</b>	<b>62 to 51</b>	<b>+11</b>
	D Clarke 15-27, B Milford 22-13, R Southward 25-11.		
<b>Rnd 5</b>	<b>Oct 25 v Berwick 2</b>	<b>55 to 50</b>	<b>+11</b>
	T Hudson 13-30, B Milford 14-30, R Southward 21-19.		
<b>Rnd 6</b>	<b>Oct 27 v Vermont South 2</b>	<b>48 to 79</b>	<b>-31</b>
	T Hudson 24-10, B Milford 11-22, R Southward 20-18.		
<b>Bayswater 2</b>		<b>Division 3</b>	<b>Section 5</b>
<b>Rnd 1</b>	<b>Sept 27 v Monbulk 2</b>	<b>74 to 40</b>	<b>+34</b>
	B Murray 27-12, T Davis 25-17, C Yates 22-11.		
<b>Rnd 2</b>	<b>Oct 4 v Ferntree Gully 3</b>	<b>Washout</b>	
<b>Rnd 3</b>	<b>Oct 11 v Eastwood Golf 2</b>	<b>67 to 45</b>	<b>+22</b>
	B Murray 29-14, B Layton 15-16, C Yates 23-15.		
<b>Rnd 4</b>	<b>Oct 18 v Vermont South 6</b>	<b>53 to 50</b>	<b>+3</b>
	B Murray 25-12, B Layton 9-23, N Spokes 19-15.		
<b>Rnd 5</b>	<b>Oct 25 v Pakenham 2</b>	<b>58 to 73</b>	<b>-15</b>
	B Murray 31-19, C Yates 18-18, N Spokes 9-36.		
<b>Rnd 6</b>	<b>Oct 27 v MCC Kew Sports 3</b>	<b>68 to 49</b>	<b>+19</b>
	B Murray 20-16, C Yates 28-17, N Spokes 20-16.		
<b>Bayswater 3</b>		<b>Division 4</b>	<b>Section 7</b>
<b>Rnd 1</b>	<b>Sept 27 v Croydon 2</b>	<b>23 to 78</b>	<b>-55</b>
	A Smith 16-21, S Wilson 10-33, M Kemp 13-24..		
<b>Rnd 2</b>	<b>Oct 4 v Monbulk 3</b>	<b>Washout</b>	
<b>Rnd 3</b>	<b>Oct 11 v Eastwood Golf 3</b>	<b>73 to 44</b>	<b>+29</b>
	A Smith 32-13, M Davey 25-12, M Kemp 16-19.		
<b>Rnd 4</b>	<b>Oct 18 v Donvale 6</b>	<b>58 to 44</b>	<b>+14</b>
	A Smith 23-12, K Groenewegen 14-17, M Kemp 21-15		
<b>Rnd 5</b>	<b>Oct 25 v Ferntree Gully 4</b>	<b>43 to 75</b>	<b>-32</b>
	A Smith 25-17, M Kemp 13-25, J Graco 5-33.		
<b>Rnd 6</b>	<b>Oct 27 v Heatherdale 3</b>	<b>50 to 69</b>	<b>-19</b>
	A Smith 12-24, M Kemp 10-31, M Davey 28-14.		



**October 8**  
22 M Sutherland  
35 D Andrews

**October 15**  
28 M Hodgkisson  
30 Club

**October 22**  
43 Club  
29 J Webber

**October 29**  
36 J Pumphrey  
22 M Sutherland

## SOCIAL BOWLS RESULTS

<b>Wednesday October 5</b>		<b>3 Bowl Triples</b>
<b>2 Game Winners:</b>	J Garrity, J Pumphrey, M Sutherland.	
<b>1 Game Winners:</b>	B Smith, R Southward, D Kimberley.	
<b>Wednesday October 12</b>		<b>3 Bowl Triples</b>
<b>2 Game Winners:</b>	B Smith, R Southward, D Kimberley.	
<b>1 Game Winners:</b>	J Sutcliffe, D Clarke, B Milford.	
<b>Wednesday October 19</b>		<b>3 Bowl Triples</b>
<b>2 Game Winners:</b>	J Sutcliffe, D Clarke, B Milford.	
<b>1 Game Winners:</b>	M Smith, N Shilkin, S Pastoors.	
<b>Wednesday October 26</b>		<b>3 Bowl Triples</b>
	Washout. (Cards Fanned)	
<b>Wednesday November 2</b>		<b>3 Bowl Triples</b>
<b>2 Game Winners:</b>	J Garrity, J Pumphrey, M Sutherland.	
<b>1 Game Winners:</b>	B Smith, J Pickering, R Southward.	

### AT LEAST IT MADE MY PRISON SENTENCE SHORTER!

Ronald Gollnick was charged with attempted bank robbery in La Crosse, Wisconsin, after he demanded that a teller hand over \$800. He would have been charged with plain old robbery if he hadn't forgotten to take the money when he left the bank.

## So you want to be a second!

This is most difficult job in the team because you are the pivotal player.

After you have played, half of the teams Bowls have been used up and the skip is faced with a favourable or adverse position. It is no longer good enough just to draw close to the head.

So what do you need to do – firstly make sure there is at least two Bowls in the head.

Never ever be shorter than one mat length.

Be able to draw over 30% within a mats length to the position as indicated by the skip.

Be able to drive at 30%.

Practice by yourself drawing to different positions relative to the jack 10 Bowls minimum length, 10 Bowls maximum length and check your percentage.

Now you will know what you need to do to be an effective second in your team.

## NOVEMBER BIRTHDAYS

Joanne Acker, Troy Cogan, Jeffrey Crook, Max Sutherland, Joshua Daniel, Judith Brown, John Pickering, Mitchell Skey, Elizabeth Barton, Bev Grummett, Linda Hatton, Allison Bradtke, Maree Hollard, Ray Stackpole, Matthew Ramadge.