

The Eclectic - Game 3

Sponsored by Nic Fisher - Harcourts Nundah

Game 3 of the Eclectic was played on Saturday the 23rd of September 2023. A full field of 20 teams took to the greens, all intent on snaring first place and thereby moving up the overall ladder. Without divulging too much, the race to be crowned overall winners of the 2023 Eclectic is still wide open. The winners will be crowned after game 4 in November.

Game 3's winners were John Kendrigan, Beryl Pye and Ken Miles. Runners-up on a count back were Hector Brunello, Liz Sheen and Noel Shephard, and 3rd place getters also on a count back were Kathryn Turner, Ian Corser and Matt Blyth.

Many thanks to our Sponsor Nic Fisher and Harcourts Nundah, Tony Xavier and all our other game day volunteers.



Game 3 Winners: John Kendrigan, Beryl Pye and Ken Miles



2nd Place: Hector Brunello, Liz Sheen and Noel Shephard



3rd Place: Kathryn Turner and Ian Corser, absent; skip Matt Blyth

THE ECLECTIC COMPETITION

More action from the Eclectic - Game 3



Northern Suburbs B.C. turns 11

Have you entered our 11th Birthday Open Fours?

There are still team spots available.

Players may enter as a team (preferred), or put their name down on the 'interested in playing' list, and the club will try to place those players into a competitive team.

Support your club by entering this great event.

See flyer on BOWLS EVENTS AT N.S.B.C. page for details

EXCITING HAPPENINGS AT N.S.B.C.

Ladies' Division 1 Pennant team through to State Pennant Finals in November at Tweed Heads



**2023 Ladies Group 4 Division 1 Pennant Playoff Winners
(Northern Suburbs)**

A big day for this amazing group of ladies winning the Ladies Zone (Group 4) Div. 1 Pennant playoffs last Sunday against two tough competitors in Pine Rivers (Moreton Bay District) and Kawana (Sunshine Coast District).

Undeclared the whole season in our first year together, and to have in our team a vision impaired bowler, and a 10 year old, shows the inclusive culture of bowls at our amazing club. To all our supporters, we couldn't have done this without you, and special thanks for our men's club who gave so much support, and helped train with us to make this happen. Huge thanks to the board and management of Northern Suburbs Bowls Club, you made this all possible.

Believe and you will achieve.. that's what this awesome group of girls did!

Now it's on to the big dance in November at Tweed Heads for State Pennant Finals.

BOWLS EVENTS AT N.S.B.C.



Northern Suburbs Bowls Club

Birthday Open Fours

Saturday October 14th 2023

\$4,000.00 in Prize money to be won



Nominations: \$120.00 per team

Includes lunch

Arrive 8:30am for a 9.00am game start

3 games of 12 ends or the bell (2hrs 15 min)
No dead ends - re-spot on the T

NB: Controlling body reserves the right to change Conditions of Play as required.

Email entry to: bowls@nsbc.com.au with Skip/Contact's Name, Club, Ph number &

record of payment detail.

Bank Transfer entry fee to:

BSB: 014 275, Acc No.: 3813 84887

Acct Name: Northern Suburbs Bowls Club Inc

Ref: BD4 + "Skips Name"

1st Prize \$1,600.00

2nd Prize \$ 800.00

3rd Prize: \$ 600.00

Round Winners: \$200.00

2 x Lucky 'Out of Hat' winners: \$200.00

teams can only win one prize

Proudly sponsored by:



Sci-Fleet Toyota



SIMCO



FRIENDSHIP DAY

2023

FRIDAY

27TH OCTOBER



MIXED FOURS - 21 ENDS OR BELL AT 12.30PM
SELECT YOUR OWN TEAM
SINGLE ENTRIES WELCOME - PLEASE NOTIFY CLUB

MORNING TEA

9:00AM

PLAY COMMENCE

9:30AM

LUNCH

1:00PM

CONTACT:

ROBYN: 0450 396 101

OR JILL: 0407 024 939



RAFFLE

COST- \$25 per Player (\$100 per Team)

LUNCH only \$15 - Please advise any Dietary requirement requests asap

PROUDLY SPONSORED BY:

ALEX GOW FUNERALS



Bowlers Open Breaky Pairs



@ Northern Suburbs



3rd Sunday, every month

All bowlers welcome
please wear bowls attire please

3 Bowl Pairs, 2 games of 1hr 10m

9am Breaky for 9.30am game
(arrive & pay by 8.45am)



\$20 per player

includes Breaky & Bowls
(GF & Veg AV,
if advised in advance)



\$ Prize money \$

*subject to min. no. of 8 teams
* may increase with more teams entered

Winner of Winners: \$100

Runners-Up: \$50

Winner of Losers: \$50

To pre-register:

Write names on the sheet at the bowls noticeboards

or
Phone: 3359 4837
& leave a message

or
Email: bowls@nsbc.com.au

Northern Suburbs Bowls Club

175 Edinburgh Castle Road (Cnr 14th Ave), Wavell Heights

Coffee available for purchase from 7am @ GRID

BBQ Breakfast available for purchase from 8am @ GRID



November Friday Nights Social 2 Bowl Triples



Northern Suburbs Bowls Club

175A Edinburgh Castle Road, Wavell Heights
Ph: 3359 2142



November 3rd, 10th, 17th, 24th

6.30pm: Game 1; 7.30pm: Break; 8.00pm: Game 2

Team Registration - \$40 (max. 4 players per team)



A combination of registered players to play each week

No further substitutes allowed



Payment of team registrations can be made at the bar or by bank transfer:

BSB: 014275

Acc#: 381384887

Acc Name: Northern Suburbs Bowls Club

Reference: Team Name & NS283

Entries accepted in order received with payment

Email Team Name, Player list & Rego payment record to: bowls@nsbc.com.au
or Give to Paula

Weekly green fees - \$30 per team

Friday Night Dinner Menu will be available for purchase before the game

VETERAN'S BOWLS AT N.S.B.C.

Twenty-eight teams, from sixteen clubs, one hundred and twelve bowlers plus a host of volunteers, catering and bar staff. This was the scene at Northern Suburbs Bowls Club on Monday the 18th September 2023 as we took our turn to host Veteran's Bowls.

This is a scene repeated on 44 Mondays each year at various Northside and beyond bowling clubs, and has been this way for many years now. On those Mondays, Veteran (70yrs and over) bowlers play 2 x two and a quarter hour games of fours with a sit down lunch between games included. The cost is \$25 for a day of enjoyment, friendship, rivalry, exercise, staying active, a nice meal - priceless.

Most weeks N.S.B.C. field 3 teams. Some weeks we do well and go home with a little bit of prize money, other weeks we don't do so well, we go home with great memories of a day spent bowling with mates and the thought that the next Monday can't come soon enough.

A lot of our veteran bowlers now use a bowling arm, many have knee sleeves, some use a balance stick and some don't see or hear too well. The fact that these men are not only able to participate in a game of sport, but still play well, is what makes lawn bowls such an inclusive sport. A sport that's open to all.

Some of the day's action



AROUND THE CLUB

News from the Ladies' Games Director

Wednesday Bowls News:

A special **Congratulations to all Division 1 Ladies** who have recently joined NSBC and have **WON the Division 1 BDBA Pennants competition**. The pennant is being proudly displayed in our bar area. On October 1st the ladies will play at Windsor in the Zone 4 Play-Offs. If you are able to get there, they will definitely appreciate any support.

Open Consistency Singles Championships:

The draw has been done and has been placed on the notice board for viewing.

Round 1: With many of the round one games already played, could those remaining please note your games will need to be finalised on or before Friday October 13th.

The Open Consistency preferred play day is on a Wednesday, but we realise some players may require games on other days of the week. In these instances please advise the convenor of your chosen day, to make sure a rink will be available, and you also must organise your own marker. Please also advise the Ladies' Games Director as to when your game is to be played.

Round 2 - Progressing to final: Games will be called by the Ladies' Games Director after October 13th, however if round 1 winners wish to organise to play their next round game earlier, please advise the Ladies' Games Director. On a Wednesday, the next round games will be called to play on the following Wednesday (giving seven days notice), if you are unavailable to play on the following Wednesday you will be required to have completed your game before then.

An Umpire is not required except for the final.

I trust you will all enjoy the competition, the winner will receive a trophy, \$100 prize money and a certificate, and the Runner-up will receive \$50 prize money and a certificate.

BDBA Novice Singles Championship is to be held at NSBC on both Sat. the 7th of October and Sun. the 8th of October. Members are welcome to come along and watch or assist.

Friday 27th October - Friendship Day will be held at NSBC, this is a mixed fours game, men are encouraged to join in the day. Morning tea will be at 9:00am and play will commence at 9:30am. Drinks between 12:30-1:pm. Lunch will be served at 1:00pm. All members are welcome to come along and support the club.

Costs are: Bowls and lunch \$25, Lunch only \$15.

We depend on your support and it is much appreciated.

Thank you - Robyn Lambert - Ladies' Games Director.



MORE AROUND THE CLUB

News from the Mens' Game Director

The Men's 'B' Singles Championship has been decided. Mick Davies overcame a determined challenge from Russell Wheeler to take the title. It was a game of contrasting strategies with Mick playing medium to long ends and Russell electing to play shorter ends. Mick had the early ascendancy but as is his nature to not give up, Russell came storming back to level at 24 all. With the title on the line Mick was able to win the last end and secure his second club singles title after previously having won a Novice Singles Title. Russell came into this match having recently won this years Men's Novice Singles Championship.

Congratulations to both players, it was a fabulous game to watch.



Men's 'B' Singles Championship Winner
Mick Davies



Men's 'B' Singles Championship R/up
Russell Wheeler

The Mixed Pairs and Men's Triples championships are presently underway and it is hoped that both events will be completed before 31/10/2023.

Jeffrey Taylor - Men's Game Director.



Due to N.S.B.C. hosting the **2023 BDBA Men's & Ladies' Novice Singles Competitions** **this weekend** (Sat 7th & Sun 8th), there will be no Saturday Social bowls.

Eight (8) of our Novices will be competing in this competition, so come along and give them some support!

THIS **JUST IN**

The **Mens' Triples FINAL** has been called for play on **Saturday 29th Oct @ 1pm**
.....
Chris Jones, Keith Donaldson
& Ken Condren
versus
Peter Hull, Peter Corey
& Rob Norquay
.....
GOOD LUCK TO BOTH TEAMS

MORE AROUND THE CLUB

* Bowls * * Directors * NEEDED!

QBBA is holding a session at N.S.B.C. for anyone interested in learning to become a 'Director' for vision impaired and blind bowlers.

It will be a fun and informative, social morning.

Come along and find out what's involved.....

See flyer to right for details.

Last round of 2023

Round
4

11th
Nov.

ARE YOU INTERESTED IN

HELPING

FELLOW BOWLERS WHO ARE VISUALLY CHALLENGED

'DIRECTORS DAY'

PURPOSE:
TO TEACH THOSE INTERESTED IN BECOMING A 'DIRECTOR' FOR VISION IMPAIRED AND BLIND BOWLERS.

THIS WILL BE DONE IN A FUN AND INFORMATIVE WAY FOR ALL INVOLVED.



Tea & coffee provided.

Contact: Peter: - 0434349810
Helen: - 0414761652
qbbatreasurer@gmail.com

9:30am-12pm

Northern Suburbs Bowls Club
175 Edinburgh Castle Road
Wavell Heights

16 OCT
2023

HELP WANTED



2023 PETER REID ECLECTIC COMPETITION

CLUB SELECTED MIXED TRIPLES

Proudly Sponsored by

Nic FISHER of **Harcourts Nundah**

GAME DATES
22nd April
17th June
23rd September
11th November

OVERALL PRIZES
Winning Team : \$300
Runner Up Team : \$165
Winning Rink Draw : \$75

ROUND PRIZES
1st : \$75
2nd : \$60
3rd : \$45

(All teams that win a rink in any round of the competition, except those that have already won a prize, go into the Winning Rink draw
Cost: \$15.00 per player (\$45.00 per team)

Presentation of Overall Winners, Runners Up and Winning Rink prize moneies will be at the completion of the last day.

Presentation of Round prizes will be on the day of play.

COMPETITION FORMAT:

- Teams are Club selected.
- Each team plays a different team each round (a random draw).
- Game start - 1:00pm
- Games are 18 ends or the bell.
- Nibbles after the games.

SCORING:

- 2 points for game win PLUS
- 1 point for each end won PLUS
- 1 bonus point per shot in an end win in excess of 2



EXTRA AROUND THE CLUB

From 7th Oct
on **SATURDAYS**
too!



SUNDAY

8am - 10.30am

BBQ

Breakfast

@ GRID

EGGS

TOMATO



BACON

HASH
BROWNS

Club Coaches 2023

Feel free to call any of our
coaches to arrange a
coaching session.

- * Di MacDonald: 0419564870
- * Errol Lymbery: 0421551508
- * Jill Sammon: 0408280427
- * Peter Hull: 32662068
- * Wendy Wilson: 0408684118

Friday Night SCROUNGERS

TO PLAY SCROUNGERS

\$10 to play. Be at the club or Phone 33594837 by 6PM
BOWLS ROLL @ 6:30PM

\$100 PRIZE MONEY

\$10 BAREFOOT BOWLS available too
CLUB: 07 3359 2142

INDOOR BOWLS

Monday
night
7pm

INQUIRIES: 0414 988 726



District Events open for nominations

Nomination forms with full details are on the bowls noticeboard.

If you want to enter, please write your details on the form and pay the entry fee at the bar by close of business the day prior to the specified close date.

District Ladies Pairs Championship

VENUE: Enoggera Bowls Club

**** ALL GAMES PLAYED AT NIGHT & ALL ROUNDS MUST BE PLAYED ****

OCT/NOV: Tuesday 31st, Wednesday 1st & Thursday 2nd (Sectional-round robin)
NOV: Tuesday 7th, Wednesday 8th & Thursday 9th. (As req. for Post Sect.-knockout)

Nominations close at 12 noon Wednesday 18th October, 2023

District Ladies Singles Championship

VENUE: Enoggera Bowls Club

**** ALL GAMES PLAYED AT NIGHT &**

ALL ROUNDS MUST BE PLAYED **

NOV: Tuesday 21st, Wednesday 22nd & Thursday 23rd (Sectional-round robin)
NOV: Tuesday 28th, Wednesday 29th & Thursday 30th. (As req. for Post Sect.-knockout)

Nominations close at 12 noon Wednesday 8th November, 2023

District Senior Mixed Fours Championship

VENUE: Everton Park Bowls Club

**** ALL ROUNDS MUST BE PLAYED ****

NOVEMBER: Friday 17th (Sectional) and Friday 24th (Knockout)

Nominations close at 12 noon Wednesday 8th November, 2023

District Men's Fours Championship

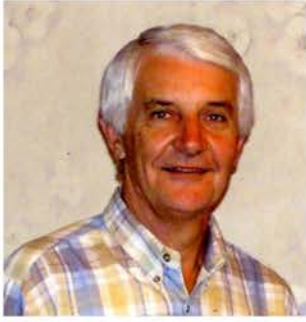
VENUE: Enoggera Bowls Club

OCT/NOV: Tues 31 Oct, Wed 1 Nov & Thurs 2 Nov (Sectional-round robin)

NOV: Tues 7 Nov, Wed 8 Nov & Thurs 9 Nov (Post Sectional-knockout)

Nominations close at 12 noon Friday 13th October 2023

IN PROFILE



Frank Jedroszkowiak

When and where did you begin your lawn bowling journey? I started at NSBC approximately one year ago.

Why did you take up lawn bowls? As my wife and I have always done things together (renovating, concreting, painting etc.) we decided to take up an activity in which we could both participate.

What are your achievements in lawn bowls? Getting there on Tuesdays and (despite her reluctance) seeing my wife enjoy playing.

What do you consider to be your best moment in lawn bowls? Playing in the novice singles. (Editor's note: Frank and his wife, Janet have become a formidable pairs combination and win more games than they lose).

What is your best moment in lawn bowls? In my time with the club I have never had a bad experience. Even when I play badly, the members of the other team are supportive and helpful. (Editor's Note: It's not often that Frank plays badly).

What is the best lawn bowling advice you have been given? Stay calm and enjoy yourself.

What advice do you have for other beginning bowlers? Have a go. Ignore the people who tell you it is an old people's sport and also those who call you a white leghorn. Obviously they are living in the past.

What keeps you coming back each week? The positive interaction with the club members.

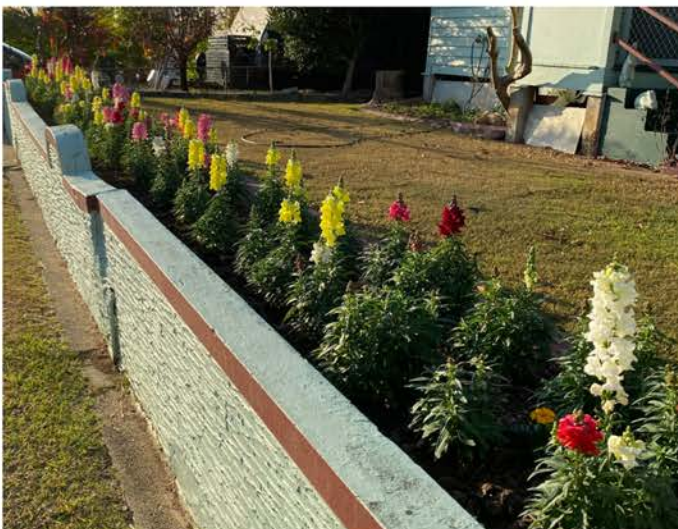
What did you do before you retired? After recovering from a serious illness I was unable to continue my work in engineering. I then worked with Australian Customs (now Border Security) and then with the Department of Agriculture Forestry and Fishing.

What is something others may not know about you? People, when they first meet me do not realise that I am 'a boat person', or that I was born overseas, until they see my name. They really don't know how shy I am.

A little bit of Spring gardening magic.

Below are photos of the Snapdragons in long time member George Scrivener's front garden.

Photos - courtesy Derek Matthews.



OF NOTE



October Birthdays

2nd: Robin SPENCER

4th: Dennis WHITMORE

8th: Glen HANCHARD

8th: Ken ROSS

8th: Karen CONDREN

8th: Paul HANSARD

11th: George SCRIVENER

12th: Charlie PARRELLA

14th: Tony IACOVELLA

15th: Val BURNS

16th: Emma SPICER

18th: Lorna ANDERSON

18th: Greg ARGUS

18th: Eileen SWANSON

21st: Nick TRITTON

22nd: Walli BHAI

22nd: Trevor KELLY

22nd: Graham COX

23rd: Jill SAMMON

23rd: Dorothy McSWEENEY

Club Sponsors



Sci-Fleet Toyota



Your Local Agent
Nic Fisher | 0418 461 061



MEMBER DETAILS UPDATE

Please advise bowlensbc.com.au or **07 3359 2142** if any of your contact details have changed (address, email, phone etc).

Content submissions for the newsletter warmly welcome.

To be submitted via: bowlensbc.com.au

Subject: NEWSLETTER ARTICLE (or something similar).

Thank you NSBC Board