

Police Legacy Day

Played Friday 07/07/2023

The weather gods were definitely on our side this month at the Police Legacy Charity Bowls Day on 7 July 2023. Two games of open fours were played, and the day was highly contested with a full complement of teams.

All proceeds for the day were in aid of Queensland Police Legacy, who support spouses and families of fallen officers as well as families where a parent is suffering a terminal illness. A very worthy cause indeed. The day raised an amazing \$10,000.00.

The day was organised by Mr Greg Early, State President of the Queensland Retired Police Association and Allan Dale, Queensland Retired Police Association Bowls Coordinator with assistance from Jeff Taylor and our Events & Operations Manager, Paula Crough. This year was the 17th such event to be run at the club.

The events' many sponsors were acknowledged and our club's Chair, Noel Shephard together with the Board, Paula and Jeff were all thanked for their fantastic input into making the day such a success.

A lovely hot lunch of corned meat, fresh vegies and white sauce followed by apple cake and ice cream was provided for all bowlers.

Many great raffle prizes were drawn hourly throughout the day.



The wonderful weather provided for a fantastic turnout



Bowls action - Police Legacy Charity Day



Ladies in action - Di MacDonald and Paula Crough both captured mid delivery . Well played ladies.



Action shots from across the day - and a handshake for a game well played



Mr Greg Early addressing the group.



Police Legacy Charity Day - con't

When it was time to announce the winners of the day (with prizes worth \$800) the patron of the Qld Police Legacy, Police Commissioner Katarina Carroll and the president of Qld Police Legacy, Detective Senior Constable Shane Prior arrived to congratulate the players, hand out the prizes and to thank all who supported this charity event.



The winning team for the day pictured (L-R) with Police Legacy Patron, Police Commissioner Katarina Carroll, Mal Wellington (Skip), Col Kennedy (Second), Kerry Herrmann (Third), Michael Jackson (Lead) and Detective Senior Constable Shane Prior.

Bowls Etiquette - Part One

A few simple items of etiquette to assist our newer bowlers as we have had a large number of new bowlers joined the club this year who are also new to the game, (and as a refresher for those who have been playing a while)

- 1. Bowlers should comply with their skip's directions.***
- 2. Bowlers should share the task of kicking back bowls after the end is finished.***
- 3. Third bowler from the winning end picks up the jack and hands it to their lead.***
- 4. Don't crowd the player in possession of the mat - possession of the mat is passed to you when the previous players bowl has come to rest.***
- 5. Do not move around close to a player when they are on the mat, stand well behind the bowler on the mat until it is your turn to bowl.***

Mixing it up with Paradise Point Bowlers



Continuing our busy month... on Sunday the 9th of July, NSBC hosted a cheerful bus load of visiting bowlers from Paradise Point Dolphins Social Bowls Club. We all had a lovely quiche & salad lunch before taking to the greens for a great afternoon of social bowls.

The NSBC players and our visitors were mixed together for a three bowl social triples comp. and once again almost all rinks were occupied.

The day was great fun for all who attended and we saw a multitude of skill levels, with the more experienced happy to share advice with those less advanced. We look forward to a reciprocal day in the future.



Bowls action - Breaky Pairs for July



BBQ masters cooking up a storm outside Noel Shephard, Mark Lee and Ian Corser cooking up some bacon, sausages, fried eggs, hash browns, tomato & baked beans



The ladies - not to be out-done by the boys outside rounding out the feast inside with scrambled eggs and toast - great work Paula, Jill P and Lee Corser

A little bit of trivia ...

1. **What year did the World Outdoor Bowls Championships begin for men? And Ladies?**
2. **How many times has Australia won each - Mens? And Ladies?**
3. **Which film directed by Mel Smith and released in 2003 is all about Lawn Bowls?**

Answers to previous Quiz questions.

1. Gold Coast, Australia
2. Smallest - 0000 and Biggest - 7.
3. New York.

Upcoming Bowls Events



Sci-Fleet Toyota
proudly sponsors
Northern Suburbs Bowls Club's
EKKA BOWLS DAY

Wednesday 16th August 2023
Team payment prior to the event preferred please

2 Bowl Triples : \$75 per team

3 games of 1hr 15m / 12 ends
NO Dead Ends - Re-spot on T

 **11.30am Sausage Sizzle**
(included in entry fee)

\$1200 Prize Pool
*Teams can only win 1 prize
*Prize money may be changed depending on number of teams

Games times
Game 1 : 12.00pm - 1.15pm
Game 2 : 1.30pm - 2.45pm
Game 3 : 3.00pm - 4.15pm

Email entry details to: bowls@nsbc.com.au
with Skip/Contact's Name, Club & phone number & record of payment detail
Bank Transfer entry fee to:
BSB: 014 275 Acc. No.: 3813 84887
Acc Name: Northern Suburbs Bowls Club Inc.
Reference: EKKA and Skips Name

Entries close Tuesday 15th Aug 5pm



Controlling body reserves the right to change conditions of play as required.

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: bowlsensbc.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

DATE CLAIMERS
MARK YOUR CALENDARS FOR THESE
UPCOMING EVENTS:

Leanne Linard Challenge
Sunday 1st October 2023

NSBC Birthday Fours
Saturday 14th October 2023

SUNSHINE COAST
SOCIAL BOWLS CLUB VISIT:
Sunday 20th August

11:30am: Arrival & Social Drinks
12:00pm: Lunch. 1pm - 4pm: Triples games
(\$25: includes bowls & lunch)

Sign on sheet at Bowls notice boards
We need about 45 bowlers to match
our visitors!

Open Consistency Singles Championship.
Commences Wednesday 20th Sept., Nominations close 13th Sept
Play 4 bowls each - First to 100 points wins.
Scored by closest bowl to jack scoring 4, then 3,2,1.
Anytime the jack is displaced, it is placed back on the spot before next bowl.
5 penalty points for each time the jack moved more than 1 metre.
Nomination forms are at the Bowls Notice Board.

Around the Greens...

News from the Games Directors

Men's Championship Events

The Men's Club Championship "B" Singles are well underway with the quarter finals to be played on or before 13 August. Congratulations to all who progressed to the quarter finals and those games are: Mal Bates v Rob Inglis, Mick Davies v John Kendrigan, Tony Fenn v Marty Simpson and Peter Corey v Russell Wheeler.

There have been some great games played with excellent sportsmanship across the greens.

The Mixed Pairs competition draw has also been announced with the first round games to be played by 27th August.

Good luck to all !

Wednesday Open Play Day

All members are welcome to join our Wednesday morning games.

Registrations close at 8:30am and play begins at 9:15am. Touchers are recorded each week and at the end of the month a \$20 prize is awarded to the bowler with the most touchers. There is a weekly \$30 random draw prize up for grabs, if not won, it jackpots to the next week, and must be won in the last game of the month.

Come along and find out for yourself how welcoming the Wednesday morning bowlers are.

Ladies Novice Singles Championship

The Ladies Novice Singles Championship games are currently underway.

Semi-finals will be held in coming weeks with

Natalie Fenn v Lorelle Stanisic & Kathleen Xavier v Christine Thomasson

Vets' Bowls for the month of July

With our regular Vets' correspondent on holidays, our fill-in has advised that the teams are playing well overall and have clocked up some miles in the last month. Two teams were fielded each week at Hamilton, Aspley, Gaythorne, Brighton then back to Hamilton.

Our first team had 2 wins for their first three games, and the second team had a win and loss for their games at Hamilton and Aspley and won the money round at Gaythorne. Brighton games were tough with our first team going down in both games and second team had one win and one loss.

Thanks to all who bowled in July.

NSBC Pennant News

BDBA Ladies' Day Pennant Competitions

This year we are excited to have a team entered in both Div. 1 & Div. 4.

Div. 1 (play on Saturday mornings)

Our newly joined Div. 1 ladies have been excited to take to the greens to represent Northern Suburbs. They bring with them a wealth of experience and skills. Most of them are working ladies so can't play during the week. They have played three games so far against some strong opposition teams, but have managed to get the win in all games and are currently sitting on top of the ladder. They had a bye last weekend and play their last drawn game this week against Windsor at Windsor. Game starts at 9am, so head to Windsor to show some support.

Div. 4 (play mid-week)

The Div. 4 ladies played their final drawn game yesterday, against Samford who were sitting 4th on the ladder going into the game. They had a draw so remain 3rd on the ladder. It has been great to see a good mix of novice ladies enjoying their first foray into Pennant comp., and the more experienced ladies happy to guide them along.

Good luck Ladies! Hang in there...

BDBA Men's & Open Pennant Competitions

The Brisbane District has changed this years Men's Pennants competition. It is now Men's Pennant for Div. 1 and 2, and Open Pennant for Div.'s 3-6 This year the club has taken on the challenge of entering teams in the Men's Div. 2 comp. and the Open Div. 4 and Div. 6 comp.'s. It's a big step up from Div.'s 3, 5 and 6 last year.

So far we are 5 rounds in...

Our Div. 2 Men have only suffered one small loss and currently sit top of the table.

Div. 4 has seen a good combination of some fairly new bowlers and some more experienced bowlers, and although the results haven't fallen their way the team has stepped up to the challenge well.

Div. 6 is currently sitting in 4th position and has a big two weeks coming up. If they win both they will be playing finals, and if they only win one game they could still be a chance.

It is a very exciting month of bowls coming up and everyone in the club should be super proud of our pennant teams. With the Div. 1 ladies and Div. 2 men on the top of their ladders, we are sure to see some finals action.

Be sure to get around and support your Northern Suburbs team mates.

NORTHERN SUBURBS BOWLS CLUB

DONATE A SLEEPER



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Now that our new retaining wall behind Green 2 is not so new, **don't despair** - you still have the chance to be a part of the upgrade!

Simply donate \$100 and you will receive a unique plaque with your name on a sleeper to commemorate your contribution (or donate for a family member/s).

The list of our current donors is below - a HUGE thanks to all those who have contributed:

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Regular happenings.....



Every Monday night from 7-9pm come down and play indoor bowls. \$5 to play.



Every Sunday from 8:00-10:30am come down and enjoy a BBQ Breakfast at GRID

Club Coaches 2023

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

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



August



Birthday List

Barbara FITZELL 1st	Noel ALLEN 8th
Ken MILES 1st	Catherine BRAGA 12th
Val ABERY 2nd	Ed SPRING 15th
Meryl ROWE 8th	Matt BLYTH 24th
Janelle McMAHON 30th	

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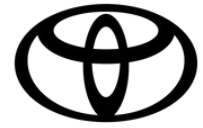


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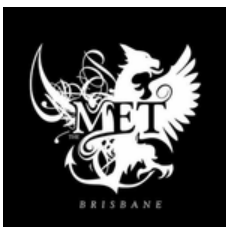


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Subject: NEWSLETTER ARTICLE (or something similar).

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