



**PORT ELLIOT BOWLING CLUB**  
**NEWSLETTER**  
**DECEMBER 2022**

**A MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT**

**Club Competitions**

Thanks to Michael Geisler and Anthea Faull for their flexibility in managing club competitions in the midst of the COVID outbreak.

Having the Men's and Ladies competitions played at the same time has been a great success. I have really enjoyed being able to watch both competitions when I've come down as a spectator. I think that it is important that we seek to keep this format, at least for the later rounds, when we review the format of these events early in the new year.

Congratulations to our Singles Club Champions Jan Lind and Mike Wenman and runners up Chris Brindal and Ern Taylor.

**Christmas Party**

Although our numbers were considerably down on previous years due to the COVID outbreak those of us who attended had an enjoyable time. Thanks to Lyn Wenman and her team for all their hard work and attention to detail. They put on a wonderful Christmas dinner.

The Christmas raffle winners were:

- 1<sup>st</sup> Prize Peter Ratcliffe from Goolwa Bowling Club
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Prize Eileen Love
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Prize Gary Mellor
- 4<sup>th</sup> Prize Mike Wenman

## A MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT Continued

### Tony Gunnell's 90th Birthday Celebration

It was wonderful to participate in Tony's celebration on Sunday afternoon. He has been and continues to be, an integral member of our club. He is approaching his 21st year of membership and during that time has put so much into supporting our club and our members. For years he has mentored new bowlers, worked on our gardens and the beautification of our club as well as supporting numerous maintenance and development projects. The Gunn shed is a testament to his contribution.

Many of Tony's immediate and extended family made the trip over from around the country and I know he loved catching up with them. Thanks to Neville Thomas who worked with Tony to deliver on his brief to find out who his father was as well as highlight important elements of his life story. Neville and Tony are working together to publish a book on Tony's life which will be available for order.

**Thanks Tony for all you do for our club!**

### Ongoing COVID Situation

Thanks to everyone for your support as we navigated our way through COVID.

Health authorities are advising us to treat COVID like any communicable disease, with several outbreaks a year forecast. It is becoming increasingly clear that the onus is on each of us as individuals to monitor and manage our own health and well-being, making personal decisions as to what levels of risk we are prepared to take. As a club it is incumbent upon us to manage this risk as best we can for our members and visitors

At our recent Board meeting we reviewed the situation in light of this information and have developed the following draft policy for how we deal with the ongoing situation.

#### 1. Throughout the Year

- Remind members of the need to be careful and monitor their own health as well as considering the needs and well-being of fellow members.
- Advise members who are feeling unwell not to attend the club and seek medical help if Necessary.
- Offer support to members who develop COVID and don't have local support.

#### 2. When an outbreak of COVID is Identified, but there is no change to the advice given by Bowls Australia and/or the Federal &/or State governments

- Provide masks for people who have forgotten one and wish to wear a mask
- Provide hand sanitiser in appropriate places
- Put in place basic social distancing and reduced seating with no more than 6 people to a table in the clubhouse
- Encourage social distancing outside where possible.
- Review the viability of upcoming events and whether they should be cancelled, postponed or their format modified to ensure the health and well-being of volunteers, members and guests.
- Keep members updated on the evolving situation.

## A MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT Continued

### 3. Long Term

- The Tournament Committee will meet at the end of the season and discuss issues and give feedback to The Board on a range of issues including how best to manage the impact of potential COVID outbreaks in the future in the best manner possible.
- Review the events which we put on throughout the year, including Tournaments, Friday Night Teas and Club Events and develop guidelines for what to do when COVID outbreaks occur.

We would appreciate your feedback on the above so that we are able to continue to move forward as a club, keeping our members as safe as possible, whilst finding a way to keep things as normal as possible.

### Christmas and New Year Break

I wish all of you an enjoyable break over the Christmas and New Year period and look forward to seeing you all around the club in the New Year.

PRESIDENT

Iain Love



# IN MEMORY

**PEARL YORK**  
**20 DECEMBER 2022**



The Port Elliot Bowling Club is saddened to hear of the passing of Pearl York at the age of 94.

Pearl's wish was that she was to die at home.

Pearl joined the Port Elliot Bowling Club in 2013, as a skipper Pearl was a pocket rocket with great tenacity. Never to be underestimated by her stature.

Pearl played the game until she could barely stand, let alone see the other end of the green if she had on her wrong glasses. There were often times when her team was worried about her being carried away by a puff of wind.

Pearl changed her bowls to a larger size leaving her team mates worrying about how was she going to lift them.

On the last bowl of the day Pearl would kiss her fingers to send the bowl on its way, to the amusement of all and sundry.

Pearl is survived by husband Allan, her children Peter, Bettyanne, Susan and six grandchildren and seven great grandchildren.

**PEARL IS NOW AT REST**

## UPCOMING TOURNAMENTS AND EVENTS FOR JANUARY AND FEBRUARY

Monday 2 January	Yankallilla Shaw Family Invitational Men's Fours
Tuesday 3 January	Yankallilla Adelaide Fuel Men's Invitational Fours
Monday 9 January	Encounter Bay Presidents Open Fours
Wednesday 11 January	Port Elliot Men's Northpoint Fleurieu Super Pairs
Monday 16 January	Port Elliot Presidents Open Medley
Wednesday 18 January	Port Elliot Men's Northpoint Fleurieu Super Pairs
Monday 23 January	Myponga Ladies Summer Gala Day
Thursday 26 January	Port Elliot  Australia v Rest of The World 
Thursday 26 January	Milang Aussie Day Mixed Fours
Monday 30 January	Willunga Alfred James Presidents Fours
Wednesday 1 February	Port Elliot Ladies RAA Super Pairs
Monday 6 February	Port Elliot Men's Seafood Medley
Wednesday 8 February	Port Elliot Men's Northpoint Fleurieu Super Pairs
Friday 10 February	Strathalbyn Women's Medley
Sunday 12 February	Langhorne Creek Daish Rump 'n Red Fours
Monday 13 February	Myponga Presidents Open Fours
Wednesday 15 February	Port Elliot Men's Northpoint Fleurieu Super Pairs

**PORT ELLIOT BOWLING CLUB**

**LADIES CLUB CHAMPIONSHIPS**

**LADIES SINGLES FINALISTS**



**LADIES SINGLES CLUB CHAMPIONSHIPS**

**WINNER**

**Jan Lind**

**LADIES SINGLES CLUB CHAMPIONSHIPS**

**RUNNER-UP**

**Chris Brindal**



# PORT ELLIOT BOWLING CLUB

## LADIES CLUB CHAMPIONSHIPS

### LADIES PAIR'S FINALISTS



### LADIES PAIR'S CLUB CHAMPIONSHIPS

#### WINNERS

**Bridgett Day**

**Anthea Faull**

### LADIES PAIR'S CLUB CHAMPIONSHIPS

#### RUNNERS-UP

**Lyn Mole**

**Glenys McCracken**



# PORT ELLIOT BOWLING CLUB

## LADIES CLUB CHAMPIONSHIPS

### LADIES FINALISTS



## LADIES TRIPLES CLUB CHAMPIONSHIPS

### WINNERS

Tina Geisler

Marion Heintze

Sandra Monk

## LADIES TRIPLES CLUB CHAMPIONSHIPS

### RUNNERS-UP

Maureen Orrock

Joy Caldicott

Meredith Koch



Throughout October the Ladies Triples have been conducted.

What a fantastic game was played by both teams.

The two teams played last year in the finals.

They came to together again to play off again in the Final.



# PORT ELLIOT BOWLING CLUB

## LADIES CLUB CHAMPIONSHIPS

### LADIES FOUR'S FINALISTS



## LADIES PAIR'S CLUB CHAMPIONSHIPS

### WINNERS

Eileen Love

Meredith Koch

Jan Lind

Anthea Faull

## LADIES PAIR'S CLUB CHAMPIONSHIPS

### RUNNERS-UP

Glenys McCracken

Marion Heintze

Rosie Jacquier

Lyn Mole



**PORT ELLIOT BOWLING CLUB**

**MEN'S CLUB CHAMPIONSHIPS**

**MEN'S SINGLES FINALISTS**



**MEN'S SINGLES CLUB CHAMPIONSHIPS**

**WINNER**

**MICHAEL WENMAN**

**MEN'S SINGLES CLUB CHAMPIONSHIPS**

**RUNNER-UP**

**Ern Taylor**



**THE SPECTATORS YOU SEE AROUND THE CLUB**

**Was a bit chilly watching the Finals of the Singles of the Women and Men Finals**



**The Men were tough in shorts**

# Men's Northpoint Fleurieu Super Pairs

16 November 2022

## MORNING SESSION



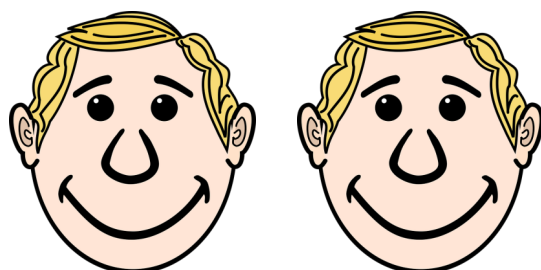
### OVERALL WINNERS

Peter Faull & Daryl Hammat



### 1ST GAME WINNERS

Ian McLeod & Michael Wenman



### OVERALL RUNNER UP

Bill May & Kym McRostie



# Men's Northpoint Fleurieu Super Pairs

16 November 2022

## AFTERNOON SESSION



## OVERALL WINNERS

Peter Cullen & Chris Monk



## 1ST GAME WINNERS

Dennis Wright & Jim Schofield



## OVERALL RUNNER UP

Serulithch & Trenorden

# Men's Northpoint Fleurieu Super Pairs

14 December 2022

## MORNING SESSION



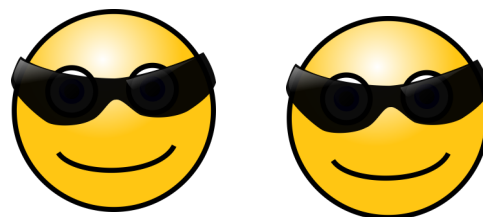
## OVERALL WINNERS

Peter Faull & Daryl Hammat



## 1ST GAME WINNERS

Phil Hollow & Mike Kelly



## OVERALL RUNNER UP

Phil Shillabeer & Dennis Lloyd

# Men's Northpoint Fleurieu Super Pairs

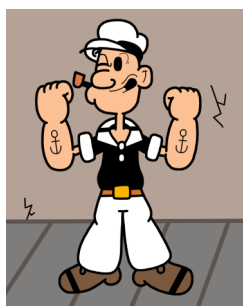
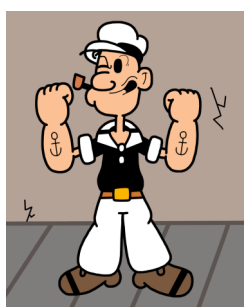
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## AFTERNOON SESSION



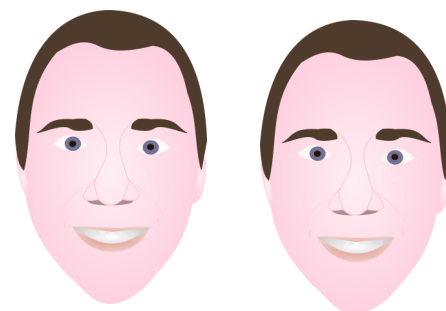
## OVERALL WINNERS

Serulithch & Trenorden



## 1ST GAME WINNERS

Taylor & Wilson



## OVERALL RUNNER UP

Etherton & Williams



# VICTOR HARBOR MOTORS MEN'S FOURS

Monday 21 November 2022

A great day was had by all teams participating in the tournament.

We had clubs from

Encounter Bay	Ascot Park	Blackwood	Two Wells
Tranmere	Glenelg	Victor Harbor	Holdfast Bay
McLaren Vale	Langhorne Creek	Willunga	Yankalilla

There were occasional showers through out the day, the sun peaked out a few times to make it enjoyable.

**Thank you to Victor Harbor Motors for your sponsorship for this event**

Lunch was a great success , thankyou to all who worked in the kitchen, the food was delicious. Also the person selling the raffle tickets and of course the bar staff, and the greens workers for setting it up for the day. Also to Helen Taylor for a superb table setting again



## OVERALL WINNERS

Ken Wallers Team

With the Victor Harbor Motors sponsors

Steve Walsh and Michael Nancarrow

Presenting the team the prize envelope

**"Congratulations"**



# PORT ELLIOTT BOWLING CLUB

## NIGHT OWLS

2022-2023



It was a great night on 6 December celebrating a 60th birthday at the Club.

An email from Marion who was celebrating her birthday at the club.

Dear Kitchen Angels

Thank you so much for making a birthday cake for me on Tuesday night. I was overwhelmed when it came out of the kitchen towards me, beautifully decorated with flowers from the garden at the Club.

Week after week, you prepare what tastes like a home cooked meal for us before we go outside to play!

It is this family environment that I Love most about at Port Elliot Bowling Club.

Thank you

Warmest wishes to you all for a really lovely Christmas spent with those you love and those that Love you.

Warmest regards

Marion 'Maz' Weatherburn



Welcome to the Royal Family Hotel Port Elliot



Best beer garden on the South Coast



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**MAJOR SPONSOR FOR NIGHT OWLS**

# PORT ELLIOTT BOWLING CLUB

## NIGHT OWLS

2022-2023

The last night of the night owls was the 13 December which had a Christmas theme through it.

Some teams went above and beyond with them dressing up for the night.

It was great to see the comradery between the teams.



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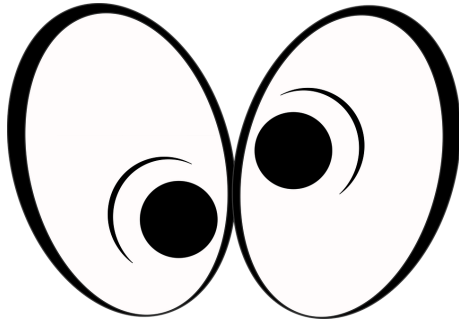
# TONY GUNNELL

## 90th BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION

Many of Tony's immediate and extended family made the trip over from around the country and I know he loved catching up with them. It was great to see so many club members attending the celebrations with him.







## Spotters Fee

We recently sold a member of the Port Elliot Bowling Club (Trevor Wilson) a new Subaru Outback and in accordance with our club incentive scheme we will require the bank details (ie BSB number & account number) of the Port Elliot Bowling Club so that we can deposit \$250.00 into their account.

I have attached a couple of photos of Trevor at the dealership picking up his new car with our promotional cheque that I hope you can use to promote the sales incentive scheme to your members through your newsletter

In short the scheme entails the following :-

“ If a purchaser of any vehicle from Victor Harbor Motors informs us that they have been referred from the Port Elliot Bowling Club before signing the sales contract we will pay the club a Spotters Fee of \$250.00 upon delivery of the said vehicle”

This applies to all of our new car brands (Subaru, Suzuki and Isuzu Ute) and all used cars

Also could I be included on your newsletter mailing list so that I can keep a scrapbook

I hope we have to pay many more of these incentive scheme payments and look forward to an article appearing in the newsletter.

Kind regards

Steve Walsh

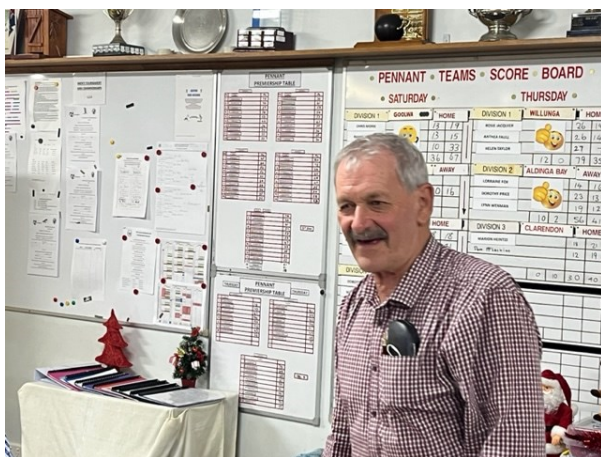
Dealer Principal.



# PORT ELLIOT BOWLING CLUB

## CHRISTMAS DINNER

10 DECEMBER 2022



**PORT ELLIOT BOWLING CLUB**

**CHRISTMAS DINNER**

**10 DECEMBER 2022**

**Having a good chin wag**



**Having some fun**



**I wonder if she is reading the tea leaves?**



**The bar staff for the night**



**Kitchen Fairies**



**Beautiful Ladies**

## SAFETY MATTERS - STAY HEALTHY IN THE HEAT



Heat stress and dehydration are significant risk factors for lawn bowlers, particularly among the elderly and not so fit. With several incidents already recorded this season, it is timely to remind everyone to stay hydrated. Start drinking plenty of water up to 24 hours before a game and avoid alcohol and caffeine drinks. Talk to your doctors about the effects of blood pressure medication, diuretics, and benefits of hydralite supplements. Staying hydrated and alert can affect game performance, especially in the last half of a game.

If that happens to you, you may not be drinking enough water.

**(A message from the PEBC Safety Advisor)**



**FRIDAY NIGHT TEA's**  
**BACK ON 13 JANUARY 2023**

**Phone Bookings on 85542317**

Please leave a clear message and contact phone number.

There is a booking sheet on the outside notice board of clubroom.

It will ask for the following details

- ◇ Name
- ◇ Number of diners
- ◇ Contact phone number



**Please book if you are coming on a Friday night**

**FRIDAY NIGHT**

**BARTEL & HALL MEMBERS "POT OF GOLD" DRAW**

Every Friday night we have a draw for members who have purchased a meal on the night as well as rostered volunteers.

There is a minimum prize \$50 every Friday night.

If there is no winner the prize jackpots by \$50 each Friday up to a maximum of \$1000.

To increase the opportunity of winning the draw there will be an additional draw, increasing by one each week that the draw is not won.

**GOOD LUCK**



## FOUNDATION 100 CLUB

We welcome our newest Foundation 100 Club members

Dorothy Price Vic Lewicki Phil Hollow Anonymous Tony Gunnell

Our Inaugural Members

Peter and Anthea Faull.

If you would like to be part of this PEBC program or to find out more

Call Phil Hollow on 0435 942 842 or [philandsuehollow@gmail.com](mailto:philandsuehollow@gmail.com)



## CLUB UNIFORMS

If you have any enquiries regarding uniforms.

Janice Patterson is the lovely lady to help you out.

Cheryl is taking a well deserved break from dressing you all.

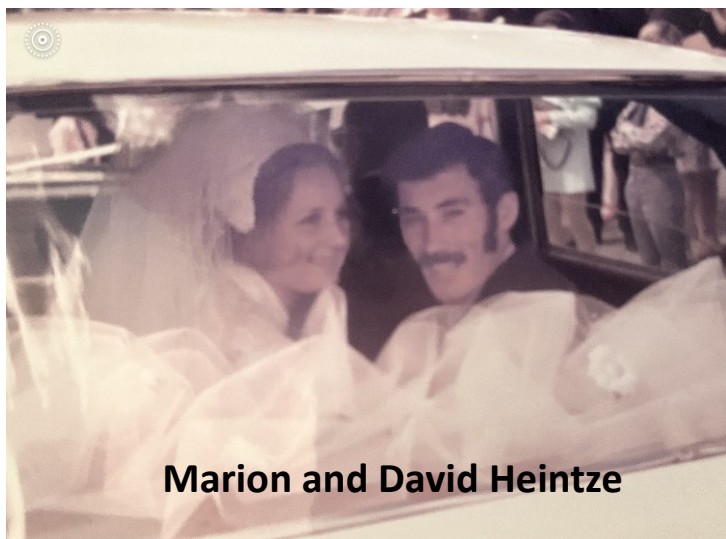
**Janice's contact details are 0402 686 086**



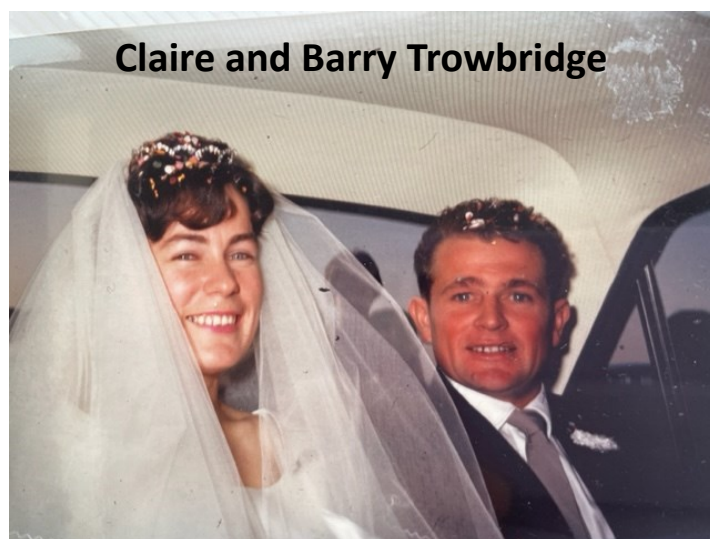
**A big THANK YOU to BRIDGETT DAY**

For preparing and staining the tables on the balcony

## THE BRIDES THAT NEARLY GOT AWAY



**Marion and David Heintze**



**Claire and Barry Trowbridge**

### AND THE ANSWER IS

1	Chris Brindal and her Father
2	Peter and Anthea Faull
3	Irene Hurren
4	Jan and Ron Lind
5	Bridgett Day
6	Lynne and Graham Trenerry
7	Lyn and Ray Mole
8	Michael and Tina Geisler
9	Sandra and Chris Monk
10	Nancy Petherick
11	Cheryl and Jeffery Owen
12	Phil Beckett
13	Lorraine Fox
14	Eileen and Iain Love
15	Maureen Orrock
16	Trever Wilson
17	Kaye and David Cammack
18	Lynn and Michael Wenman
19	Cathy and Bill May
20	Helen and Colin Ingham
21	Maria and Juan Gallego
22	Joylene Liebelt
23	Dianne and Neville Thomas



**Joy and Peter Caldicott**





Lorraine Fox celebrated her 80th Birthday on the 16 December.

She tried to keep it quiet but a little bird told me.

Hope you had a wonderful celebrating with your family and friends.



Can any one guess who this is



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Thank you  
for your support

Me doing the meet and greet on the last night of the Friday night dinners

Hope I didn't scare you



**See you all at the Club in 2023**

**I'll be around with my camera**



**If you would like to see anything else included in the Newsletter, please let me know by emailing me.**

**[tinahosking@yahoo.com](mailto:tinahosking@yahoo.com)**

**Your next Newsletters will come out in February**

Thank you Dianne, as she will be sending it to you via email.

I hope you enjoy the newsletter, and please stay safe and healthy.

**Tina Geisler**

