

PORT ELLIOT BOWLING CLUB

NEWSLETTER

JUNE 2022

PRESIDENTS REPORT

After a slow start it has been great to see the level of support that so many bowlers have given to our winter bowls season. I would like to acknowledge the hard work of all involved in ensuring that each day goes as smoothly as possible.

Eileen and I have, like many of our members, been away travelling over the last two months and its was exciting to be back playing bowls on Monday.

Our Board have been busy preparing for the new season, reviewing policies and processes so that we are best placed to serve our members and the club. Amongst the key areas we have focussed on has been the preparation and passing of a Club Code of Conduct. This will be sent out to all members during July. We would welcome your feedback on the policy. We are also reviewing our induction processes for new members and volunteers who help around the club and once these have been finalised will be advising members of any changes and enhancements to our current processes.

The sub-committee who have been looking into the situation regarding A5 Green have been gathering further information on the precise issues with the green, seeking expert advice and once we have finalised recommendations on the possible way forward we will be contacting members to arrange a special general meeting at which these recommendations can be discussed, opinions aired and decisions made as to how we best manage the situation. This is likely to be early in the new bowling season.

As many of you may be aware we are stil experiencing issues related to the changes to our club telephone system. I would like to acknowledge all the hard work that Bill May has put into getting our new system working. We are hoping that the initial teething problems can be ironed out over the next few weeks so that it is fit for purpose and up and running well before the new season.

In the meanwhile, if you need to contact anyone regarding winter bowls, please contact the organisers directly on the numbers provided on the Winter Bowls programme cards.

A MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT Continued

You may have noticed that the “Bottle Shed” has been removed. Some further work needs to be completed before the new shed can be installed and this is all in hand. Many thanks to Jeff Owen and his team for their hard work.

As most of you may already know, Bowls SA’s No Jab No Play Policy as been rescinded in line with the revocation of the Emergency Services Declaration. As a result all members are welcome back in the club and mask wearing inside the clubhouse is no longer a requirement.

There are many people working behind the scenes to ensure that we have a smooth start to the season. Bowls SA has just published tournament dates and we are in the process of finalising dates for Club competitions, tournaments and events and once this has been completed will be letting everyone know.

As many of you plan to be away in the lead up to the new season, I’m listing some initial dates below to help you organise your plans:

10th September

12th and 13th September

17th September

24th September

26th September

1st October

8th October

Opening Day

Dodd and Page Mens Two Day Carnival

First Trial Game Saturday Pennants

Second Trial Game Saturday Pennants

Ladies Skins Day

Third Trial Game Saturday Pennants

First Saturday Pennant match



THINGS THAT HAPPEN AROUND THE CLUB WHEN THERE IS NO PENNANTS OR TOURNAMENTS ON



Neville Thomas is 😊 feeling thankful at Port Elliot Bowling Club.

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We thought the Easter (guard) Bunny was on duty today at the bowling club for Tuesday practice today. Quite unusual to see one of our local wildlife on our not so edible greens. Turned out our Eggbert the Easter Bunny was (sadly) affected by 'Mixo' and had to be taken into care by the local Wildlife Rescue Organization guys who responded in 15 minutes to a phone call. Such a caring mob, well worth our community support. Thanks guys.



On the 12 April 2022 Photo taken

Neville informed me that poor Eggbert, wasn't able to be saved and was sent of to a greener rink.

Thanks Neville for sharing with us.



Also a big thank you to the Local Wildlife Rescue Organization who acted very quickly to assess poor Eggbert the Rabbit.

MANY THANKS

THINGS THAT HAPPEN AROUND THE CLUB WHEN THERE IS NO PENNANTS OR TOURNAMENTS ON

Our hard working Secretary Dianne Thomas, had to go to the Club on the 15 April (Good Friday) to drop some paperwork off and was lucky enough to see the Sea Fog that was in Horseshoe Bay.

You lucky thing being able to see it.

Thanks Dianne



IAIN AND EILEEN LOVE

'GETAWAY'



Leisurely trip to Plush's Bend (a \$10 campsite on the river in Renmark).

Stopped off at Banrock Station for a coffee.

Thought we'd have a walk in the wetlands but at \$10 each for the walk, coupled with having done it several times for free we decided to move on to Renmark, one of our favourite spots. We had a stunning walk along the river, before we had to try out the Renmark Club for a wee libation!

Back to our digs beside the river for tea and an abortive fire! Need more kindling next time!

😂 Coffee at Arrosto's tomorrow and perhaps a visit to 23rd St Distillery, probably too early for that!!

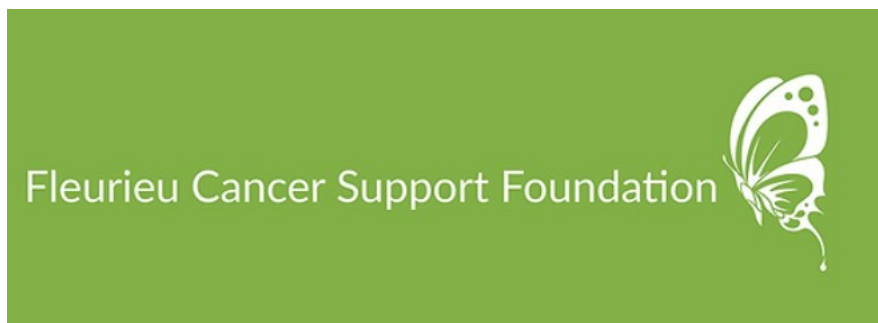
Never too early to have a drink whilst on a get away

"No drink driving"



“Australia vs The Rest of the World “

EASTER SATURDAY 16 April 2022



What a wonderful day was had by those who came along and played.

The Port Eliot Bowling Club was very pleased to have raised and donated a whopping **\$3,175.00 for the Fleurieu Cancer Support Foundation**

I also understand that this is a voluntary group that receives no funding via local government, state and federal government. A very worthy cause to contribute too.

This money that was raised was through the Ladies Pink Seafood Day and the raffles that they had on the day, I better not forget “Elliot” the shark (normally a spider) did a great job.

Money was raised also through the Australia vs The Rest of the World Day.







The Winners

End of the day

Big shout out to Phil Hollow for the call up, as a Reserve to play in the

2022 PRESTIGE MEDLEY SIDES

WAS PLAYED ON SATURDAY & SUNDAY 9 & 10 APRIL

MEN

TO BE PLAYED AT WEST LAKES BOWLING CLUB

PAIRS – DARYL STEINWEDEL (SK), MALCOLM SQUIRES

TRIPLES – JACKHATELEY (SK), RAY DIENELT, JASON MCCAULEY

FOURS – GRAEME SCHBERT (SK), PHIL RYAN, BRENTON ROBERTS, ROB BARRETT

RESERVE – PHIL HOLLOW

I was very pleased to be a Reserve and even more so to get a game in the Prestige Medley when one of the team pulled out.

Great experience

Phil



100

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

All Club Members

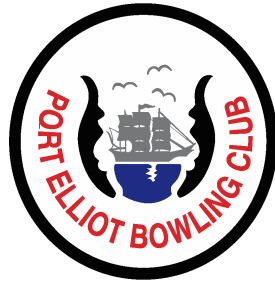
Are directed to the Bowls SA website for more information on Covid.
This can be found under the heading of Covid Hub on their website.

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This address will get you to the Bowls SA Covid Hub



THE CARPET ON THE COAST



WINTER BOWLS PROGRAMME 2022

SEASON

2nd May to 27th August 2022

Clubhouse: (08) 8554 2317

Kym: 0400693828 (Monday)

Dorothy: 0414666030 (Wednesday)

Peter: 0428188472 (Saturday)

Jonathan: 0468690249 (Saturday)

PLEASE LEAVE A MESSAGE IF PHONE IS UNATTENDED

VISITORS WELCOME

(Must be a member of a Bowls Australia affiliated club)

Dress: Casual, flat soled shoes

Entries: Single or Team entries accepted

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| Monday: Open Pairs | Names on Board or contact Kym McRostie | |
| Commencing May 2 | \$10.00 entry fee PP | Soup lunch provided |
| Wednesday: Scroungers | Names on Board or contact Dorothy Price | |
| Commencing May 4 | \$5.00 entry fee PP | Coffee/tea and snacks provided |
| Saturday: Triples | Names on Board or contact Peter Barclay or Jonathon Hogg | |
| Commencing May 7 | \$10.00 entry fee PP | Snack lunch provided |

ENTRIES CLOSE

Phone entries close 6pm night before. Board entries close at 8:30am on the day

WINTER BOWLS PROGRAMME 2022

SATURDAY TRIPLES

Week 1:

Winners: Peter Barclay, Glenys McCracken, Kym McRostie (58+11)

Runners Up: John Hogg, Brigitte Day, Mike Wenman (54+14)

Week 2:

Winners: Bridgette Day, Dianne Thomas, Tony Gunnell (59+29)

Runners up: Ron Gebert, John Deal, Mike Wenman (57+24)

Week 3:

Winners: Sandra Monk, Jim Gamble, Chris Monk (55+18)

Winners of losers: John Macnamara, Dean Clohessy, Micheal Schuman (27+6)

Week 4:

Winners: Dennis Wright, John Deal, Mike Wenman (57+14)

Runners Up: Peter Barclay, John Macnamara, Dean Clohessy (54+7)

Winners of Losers: Jan Lind, John Hogg, Brigitte Day (27+10)



WINTER BOWLS PROGRAMME 2022

SATURDAY TRIPLES

Week 5:

Winner Overall: Ron Lind, Peter Goulden, Terry Hogg (52+15)

Runners Up: John Deal, Dennis Wright, Mike Wenman (52+10)

Winners of losers: Maria Gallego, Elmore Schumacher, Michael Schuman (26+5)



(Unfortunately Peter left straight after)





The Port Elliot Bowling Club know how to have a good time



Bowling Can Be Thirsty Work
at the Port Elliot Club

WINTER BOWLS PROGRAMME 2022

MONDAY OPEN PAIRS

2 May

Winners Two Games, Peter Faull & Kym McRostie 58 +31

Runners Up, Johnathan Hogg & Tony Gunnell 54 +13

Winners of Losers Glenys McCracken & Daniel Krabeck 31 +24

9 May

Winners Two Games, Chris Etherton & Dennis Williams 56 +32

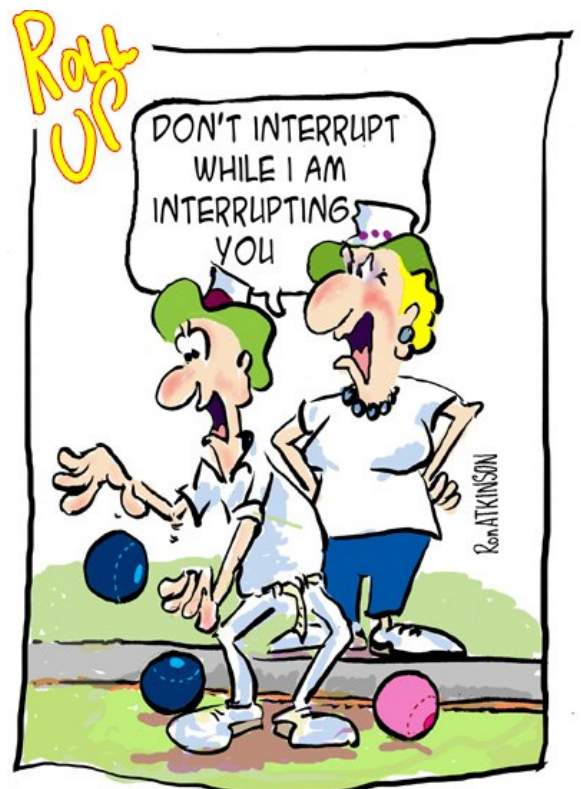
Runners Up, Chris Marsden & Kym McRostie 56 +22

Winners of Losers, Tony Forshaw & Fred Kelly 27 +18

16 May

Winners Two Games, Joy & Peter Caldicott 54 +10

Runners Up, Brigette Day & Michael Wenman 53 +6



WINTER BOWLS PROGRAMME 2022

MONDAY OPEN PAIRS

23rd of May

Winner Two games Glenys McCracken & Daniel Krabeck (Goolwa) 58 +27,

Runners Up J. Gamble & P. Hollow 56 +16.

Winners of Losers Juan & Maria Gallego *WHAT A GREAT FEAT AMAZING SCORE OF 31 +17* cheers,

30th of May

Mondays pairs Winter blast bowlers were treated with a Pie Floater which warmed their bellies, the day was shortened to 2 X 10 end games, weather turned on second game so scores were worked out.

Winners of Two Games J. Hogg & J. Gamble 52 +27

Runners Up T. Gunnell & R. Gebert 51 +12

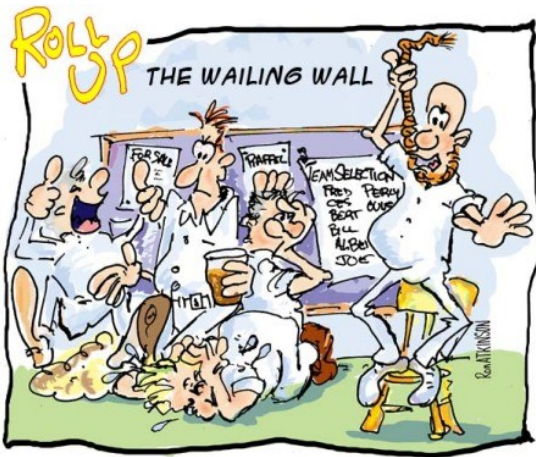
Winners of Losers D. Cammack & R. Mole 23 +3



Monday Winter Pairs, **SOUP DAY**, has been well contested first week 7 rinks, 2nd week 8 rinks & another 7 rinks 16/05/22 the Club has had visitors each week from other Bowling Clubs of Goolwa, Victor Harbor, Strathalbyn, Torquay VIC & Brighton S.A. looking forward to many more visitors to our Club.

Special thanks to Chris Brindal who has been doing a fantastic job warming & serving soup out to fellow bowlers.

Michael Yeoman for being my cashier & to all members who volunteer running of the bar.



They beat their breasts and cried out loud,
 As they faced the northern wall,
 Where the selectors had placed the team selections.
 On the notice board was their call.

There were some that swore and some that cried,
 And some who stood and muttered
 Some were proud, some were coy,
 And others merely stuttered.

There were voices raised in anger,
 Shriek screams split the air,
 There were those who didn't say a thing,
 Because they really didn't care.

"I won't play with him", one said,
 "He's a bloody hopeless skip."
 And one who very quietly said,
 "It's time I took my trip."

There were many self selections,
 There were lots of "bloody hells!"
 There weren't very many
 who said the Selectors had done well.



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Helping YOU STAND OUT in the Crowd

Jan and Ron Lind “TRAVELS”

We wanted a short break and not wanting to go too far we decided on Kingston SE as a base to explore parts of the Limestone Coast.

No visit to Kingston would be complete without visiting Larry the Lobster who has been given a facelift back to his impressive self.

A visit to the Obelisk at Robe is also a must for several reasons.

Historically the Obelisk was built with the intention of helping passengers from shipwrecks. It was built in 1855 and is 40ft tall and is 100ft above sea level. In 1853 alone there were 30 wrecks in this area

The purpose of the Obelisk was to store rockets which would be fired to the ship. The rockets contained life lines and baskets for bringing passengers ashore.

The other amazing thing at this site is the evidence of nature at work, eroding the limestone cliffs, so much so that eventually the Obelisk will sink into the sea.

Much more to see yet in this interesting part of SA.

Jan & Ron



Mike and Tina Geisler

Eyre Peninsula Holiday hospital

Well we finally got to meet our new grandson Harry Alexander Hosking. Who was born on the 11 March 2022. He was a prem baby and very sick and was in and out of hospitals both in Adelaide and Port Augusta. Thank God he came home and was visited by the Nurse at home every second day to check on him.

As you can imagine my angst not being able to see him in person and not being able to hold him.

We meet him on the 4th May in Port Augusta and I was able to hold him and give him big cuddles.

We had Mothers day together

"Harry"



"Teddy"



We left for Tumbly Bay overnight at the CWA caravan park, and I was not happy as we came the wrong day for the scones



The next day we travelled to Coffin Bay, glorious spot, we met up with Raelene Southern, Bill was too busy fishing

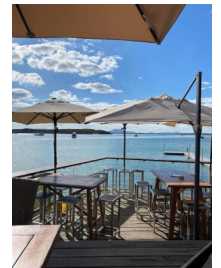


Had a lovely chat and coffee. Thanks Raelene

We met up with some friends from Adelaide who we went to the Oyster HQ for lunch the next day wow wow, wow, you have to give this a try.



Mike enjoying his oysters for his birthday and a cheeky red.



Our caravan and fire pit



Coffin Bay Sunset

CONGRATULATIONS

The wait is over for the new car
Its finally here, I hear red goes faster on the road



2022 Pre Season Dates for Trial Matches

At this stage it is envisaged that we will hold 3 trial matches at the beginning of the season.

To assist you with your own planning, the 3 dates are:

Saturday 17th September

Saturday 24th September

Saturday 1st October



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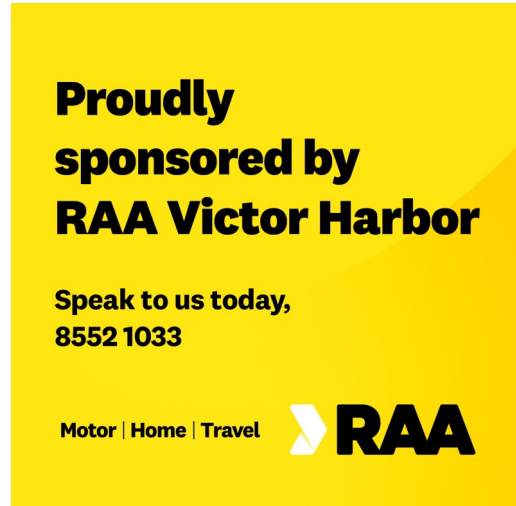
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Your next Newsletters will come out in June and then August

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

