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"Pelican Brief"

The Pelican Brief is compiled and edited by Chris Dillon, with items supplied by Members of the Board and Bowling Arms, Members may contribute to the newsletter that are in keeping with the ethos of our Bowls Club.

Please leave any article/photos you may wish to contribute in the office.

Or contact by email: judypelicanbowls@westnet.com.au

The "Pelican Brief" is kindly copied by Pelican Waters Estates and is available on the stand near the Games Office at the Club, it is also available on our web site: www.pelicanbowls.com

Happy Birthday Wishes to all our Members

Who will be having a Birthday in May

All the very best of Wishes.



We would like to welcome all new Members, Full and Social into our Club during May We hope you enjoy the facilities of the Club, if you have any queries do not hesitate to contact the Club Secretary, Mr. Phil Marshall.

RENEE'S SPECIAL FOR MAY



WEDNESDAY NIGHT ROAST

only

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Happy Snaps

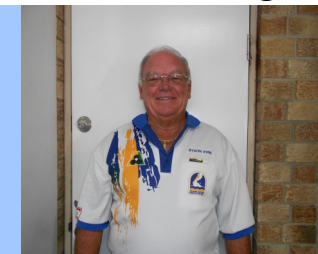


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Visiting the Social Security Office for the first time to arrange for pension payment is like the first day of school when you were a child.

You don't really belong there, but there isn't much you can do about it!!!

Chairman's Report:



I would like to start this report with congratulations to Loretta Searchfield for her work in securing The Queensland Junior Bowls Championships to be held in April 2017 at both Caloundra and Pelican Waters Bowls Clubs. This will not only put both our clubs on the map, but you will see some of our future champions at work. Well done Loretta.

Coming up we have Centaur Day on May 15th kindly sponsored by Caloundra RSL Sub Branch. This year it will begin at 12 noon and be "Open" 3 Bowl Triples (mufti or whites you please yourself). Cost of the event is a \$6 donation (or if you wish to donate more I am sure there will be no objections). This donation will be given on the day to the Girls doing The Kokoda Challenge a gruelling 39 hour walk to raise money for the Homeless youth.

The game will be 21ends or the bell at 4pm with prize money of \$500 a free drink (beer wine or soft drink) and a sausage sizzle after the game.

Please come along and support this day it is for a good cause. This is a good chance for all our bowlers to get some experience and meet other Club Members on the day.

This is a day that you can not say- I AM NOT GOOD ENOUGH - you are.

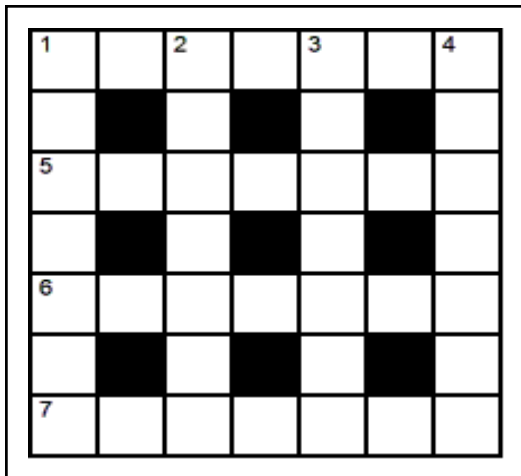
See you all around The Pelican. Byron

Happy Mother's Day to all Mother's
Have a great day.



Get Well wishes

We wish a speedy recovery to any Members who have not been feeling well of late and hope to see you on the greens real soon.



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View from the Umpire's Chair

Bowls Law Trivia Last month I presented the following scenario: "A bowler plays out of turn. We've all seen it happen. On this occasion the bowl slides off another bowl and it ends up right on the jack. The opposing skip declares the end dead, but the other skip, who was previously holding three shots and now holds four, says "No way – we can put the head back as it was". Who's right, and what does the law say?"

Well, they are both right in a way, but the choice lays with the opposing skip. If the head has been disturbed, as in this example, the opposing skip has three choices: a) leave the disturbed head as it is with their team playing two bowls to get back to the right order; b) replace the head in it's former position, return the bowl, and get back to the correct order of play; or c) declare the end dead. (Law 29.1.3 refers) In this situation and three shots down, option c) is the obvious choice.

A similar but slightly different scenario occurred earlier this month in the Ladies' Fours Championships. The skips changed ends, the wrong skip played the next bowl, and the umpire was called. As the head had not been disturbed in any way, option c) above is no longer available, and the opposing skip can either return the bowl and get back to the correct order, or leave the head as it stands and play two bowls in succession. (Law 29.1.2 refers) As the wrongly delivered bowl was about one-and-a half metres away from the jack, she wisely decided to leave it where it was!

This Month's Tip When measuring for shot, don't move anything without your opponent's agreement. Doing so is a displacement, and the law says that your opposite number gets to put the bowl or jack back where they think it was!

Stuart West.



LBA PRESIDENT'S REPORT:

We have been blessed with great weather during April affording some great playing days. Championships games are continuing. Congratulations to Pairs Champions Lovenia Harris and Jackie Grealy and Fours Champions Liz Johnston, Lovenia Harris, Jackie Grealy, and Leila Hansen. B Grade Singles games commence on 4th May.

Lots of bowling on the calendar for the next few months so we hope everyone is up to it. Watch the notice board for upcoming events.

On the social scene, a successful lunch was held on 19th April. Tickets are available for our Fashion Parade for 16th May. It was a great success last year with the shopaholics having a 'ball' so we hope it goes as well this year.

Last week we said farewell a long time Member Gwen Foster who is moving to Tamworth to be with her family. We wish Gwen all the best in her new home.

Play while you can

Valda Orchard



Congratulations girls

Well done!!!

The sausage sizzle at Bunnings on Saturday 26th March was hosted by our bowls Club. Our enthusiastic band of volunteers made the venture a financial success. Congratulations to all the helpers for their efforts in making it a success.

The other attraction was the artificial bowling strip for persons to try their ability at bowling. Although this was not terribly popular, it did attract some interest.

We have hosted two in visits to our club in April, these being Hibiscus Lend Lease Resorts on Sunday 10th and Seaside Real Estate and Lyons Solicitors on Sunday 17th. Both visits were an outstanding success, both in numbers and enthusiasm. The Pelican Waters bowlers matched the number of visitors to participate in enjoyable days.

The M.B.A. club competition is progressing well, with the final of the B grade singles to be played on Saturday 23rd April. The B pairs, mixed pairs and mixed fours will follow in succession, leading up to the Sunshine Coast Winter Carnival and the district Pennant season.

P.W. bowlers are reminded of two most important events set for mid May; that is Centaur Memorial Day on Sunday 15th May and Andersons Carpet One on Saturday 21st May. Please assist in making these days a success by your participation and attendance.

Trevor McGlynn.



Coaching Comments

It's curious, but I have been just recently been approached by some experienced bowlers who say they are having trouble rolling the jack (by the way it is a jack not a kitty).

The importance of delivering the jack straight and to a required length cannot be over emphasized. The simple act of delivering the jack to start a match or an end controls much of the game, yet many bowlers merely step on the mat without thought and even in haste, deliver.

Three things control a good delivery:

1. The Grip, 2. Position of the Feet, 3. Delivery

The Grip Place the jack towards the front of the fingers of your hand with the long finger under the centre of the jack. This forms a comfortable grip. The wrist should be firm to prevent any flicking of the wrist on delivery. Do not cup your fingers around the jack as this will force the jack above the wrist and make control difficult.

Position of the feet Place your foot in the centre of the mat but to one side of the centre line, bring your other foot up parallel so that both are pointing straight up the green. **Relax**, as we all know there is no bias to worry about, so that means that when you deliver, following the line of your body, it will go straight in the direction you want.

Delivery Your skipper should be indicating where the jack should end up (do they all do this)? Take a normal straight walking step bending your knee towards the heel and deliver the jack with a smooth follow through of the hand and arm straight towards your aiming point and stand still until the jack has stopped moving.

Most of you will be saying the above is pretty basic, but be it social or competitive bowls there is no excuse for a bad delivery of the jack.

Paul



Secretary's Report Continued:

Other Matters Discussed at the April meeting included:

Finances- are down slightly on last year due to reduced numbers and being monitored.

Restaurant - the menus have been reviewed and prices increased slightly to reflect increasing food prices and to implement suggestions from members which include some smaller meals;

Green Fees - it was noted that at least two other Sunshine Coast District Clubs have increased their green fees to \$12.00 and we may need to increase our fees also if we are to provide better facilities and services as requested by members;

Lighting – a quote has been approved to install lights to make the car park safer and illuminate the new fascia sign;

Fund Raising- this years Bunnings sausage sizzle raise over \$1300. A great result thanks to those members who helped.

Pokies- costs to upgrade some under performing gaming machines are being obtained.

Club Coaches - Congratulations to John Barnier and Glynn Hagstrom who have completed the Coaching Course and join our accredited coaching team.

2017 State Junior Championship – It is pleasing to report that our application to host the 2017 championships at our Club in conjunction with the Caloundra Bowls Club has been accepted. This event attracts a lot of visitors and will be good for our club. Thanks to for Loretta Searchfield who did most of the work to secure the event,.

Phil

SECRETARY'S REPORT

Board of Management - The newly elected Committee met on 18 April to consider the allocation of portfolios for the 2016/17 year and conduct routine business for the month. The Directors who will chair the the various sub-committees and to whom questions, comments and suggestions should be addressed in the first instance are :

Byron Ewin:	Chairman and Restaurant
Noel Harm: Deputy Chairman,	Bar Manager and Maintenance
Phil Marshall: Board Secretary,	Compliance, Grants and Business Planning
Judy Davis: Treasurer,	Assistant Restaurant, Publicity, Communication and Merchandise
Bob Johnstone:	Greens and Member Development
Lin Ballinger:	Gaming Nominee and Raffles
Jan McLean:	Social Activities and Member Development
Glynn Hagstrom:	Sponsorship
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BY FRIDAY THE 20th MAY

Chris Dillon is now compiling our Pelican Brief.

At the Club any inquiries please see Judy



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1 MUFTI
1 pm:
Social/Comps

2 Holiday Labour D
3 pm: Twilight bowls

3 UNIFORM
1 pm: Men's Nominated
Triples

4 UNIFORM
1 pm: Ladies Day

5 UNIFORM
8.45 am & 1 pm:

Open Pairs 

6 MUFTI
1 pm: Social Club
Selected

7 MUFTI
1 pm: Open Pairs

8 MUFTI
9 am: Mothers RSL

Crackerjack

9 MUFTI
9 am: 
3 pm: Twilight bowls

10 UNIFORM
1 pm: Men's Nominated
Triples

11 UNIFORM
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12 UNIFORM
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13 MUFTI
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14 MUFTI
1 pm: Open Pairs

15 UNIFORM
12 noon: Centaur Day



16 MUFTI
10 am: fashion Parade
3 pm: Twilight Bowls

17 UNIFORM
1 pm: Men's Nominated
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18 UNIFORM
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1 pm: Open Pairs

29 UNIFORM
1 pm: Social/Comps

30 MUFTI
3 pm: Twilight Bowls

31 UNIFORM
1 pm: Men's Nominated
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