# News from the Green

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## THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

2010 has almost come to and end and another busy year has been completed. The bowls schedule is a hectic one and we are currently in the planning stages for 2011.

The championships are almost completed with only the mixed pairs to be completed (at the time of writing) before presentation day. This year our Christmas luncheon will be combined with our Men's, Ladies and Mixed presentations. Invitations have been sent and tables are filling fast. It will be a nice change to have our spouses attend the presentation of champions and share in the recognition of achievements.

I congratulate all winners, runners up and participants for 2010. I also note a "changing of the guard" when it comes to our champions for 2010. It is great to see the enthusiasm and commitment by so many more bowlers within the club.

Our Management committee, with full support of the Board of Directors of the Sports Club submitted a joint proposal in conjunction with Pennant Hills Bowling Club to Zone 10 to co - host the No 4 Grade State Pennant Final in July 2011. After much hard work by many our presentation was unsuccessful. However, the quality of the work submitted has put the Zone 10 hierarchy on notice that we are serious about such events and will continue to work towards hosting such activity in the future.

Collective thanks must go to Peter Eagle, Dallas Palm, David Wilson and Mal Horner for the effort contributed towards our submission. A quality job, well done!

As our year draws to a close I would like to take this opportunity to wish all members, your families, friends and loved ones a most Joyous Christmas and Happiness in 2011. For those of you travelling during the Christmas period please do so with care.

A warm welcome to recently joined members Eric Hilton, David Beavis, John Skidmore, Keith Grattan, and Jack Cargill.

I look forward to sharing our bowling activities with each and everyone in 2011.

Terry Barnett President

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#### CHAMPIONSHIP RESULTS

#### Men's Fours

Semi-Finals M. Kakoscke, A. Barnett, M. Stubbs, T. Barnett (21)

d. A. Bowry, P. Eagle, K. Robinson, N. Roach (19)

C. Donohoo, A. Stewart, L. Saly, P. Booth ()

d. K. Henry, D. Carpenter, R. Robinson, M. Walters (F)

Final M. Kakoscke, A. Barnett, G. de Costa (sub.), M. Stubbs (17) d.

C. Donohoo, A. Stewart, L. Saly, P. Booth (16)

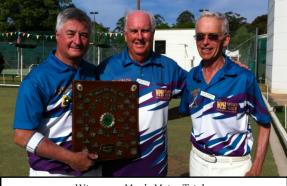
#### Men's Triples

Semi-Finals J. O'Reilly, D. Stubbin, P. Booth (25) d. K. Wighton, A. Bowry, P. Eagle (17)

C. Donohoo, B. Joyce, J. Leonard (sub S. Brady)(23)d. A. Barnett, K. Robinson, T. Barnett (12)

### FinalC. Donohoo, B. Joyce, J. Leonard (17)

d. J. O'Reilly, D. Stubbin, P. Booth (12)



Winners—Men's Major Triples John Leonard, Brian Joyce, and Clive Donohoo



Novice Singles Alex Stewart (Runner Up) and Mark Kakoscke (Winner)

#### Men's Novice Singles

Semi-Finals M. Kakoscke (31) d. L. Saly (18); A. Stewart (31) d. I. Corke (21)

Final M. Kakoscke (31) d. A. Stewart (14)

#### Mixed Triples

Final

R. Gamble. V. Doyle, P. Eagle (22)

d. J. McCreadie, M. Stubbs, K. Robinson (15)

#### ETIQUETTE on the GREEN

There are a number of considerations for bowlers to make the game more enjoyable. This is the second part of the list. I am not sure how many bowlers read the first set. Watching players on the green, since then, there is still room for improvement. Second set of considerations.

- Don't delay the game. Be ready to play when it is your turn.
- Before delivering a bowl, look to see if the skip wants a particular shot.
- Don't argue with the skip on the shot to play.
- Give full support to the skip and other members of your team by picking up their bowl and handing to the players ready to bowl.
- Keep still and silent whilst other members of your team, or your opponents, are on the mat.
- If you are at the head, don't wander around or move about the head when a player is about to deliver a bowl, and particularly do not stand on the centre line, or in line with a boundary peg.
- Don't move around on the bank when a player at the other end of the rink is about to bowl.
- Don't offer directions to the skip unless the position in the head has changed since he has left it.
- If you are in control of the head, make sure you know which bowls belong to your team.

#### FROM THE LADIES --- MARGARET WIGHTON

Our bowling calendar is coming to a close, with the Consistency Final finishing our Championships. It was such a close game it was a shame there could not be two winners. Well done Rosemary Roles & runner-up Anne Lucietto, score 154/146.

The Minor Singles was won by Veronica Doyle on a forfeit, runner-up was Maureen Howell.



Dawn Caldecott Trophy Cheltenham v. West Pennant Hills J. McCreadie receiving the trophy from Keith Caldecott

In September we hosted the Dawn Caldecott Trophy. This friendly competition played each year against Cheltenham commenced in 1998 when Dawn finished her term as President. On her passing, husband Keith continued the competition. It is always a happy day made more enjoyable by a few of their men playing and made even better by our Club winning!

The ladies were saddened to hear of the passing of Val Wheeler. Val enjoyed many years in various positions on the Committee including Presi-



Minor Singles Winner Veronica Doyle, and Runner-up Maureen Howell



Newly Elected Patrons of the WPH Women's Bowling Section Margaret Wighton & Shirley Gunton

dent. Together with her husband Ian they were very committed to the Club and the game of bowls. Although not a playing member for the last few years, Val will always be fondly remembered.

Thank you to our members for supporting and playing in the Mixed Events, to help get it off the ground.

Our Patron's & Past Presidents Trophy Day was won by P. Brady, A. Lucietto, M. Howell & C. Joyce. R/U T. Dowling, A. Graves & M. Greenhalgh.

Our festive season has taken off. It started with the W.P.H.S.C. Ladies Christmas Luncheon. The Ladies Bowls Club continued the Christmas feeling with their luncheon in the Restaurant. This is always a happy occasion as we catch up with ex-bowlers. Our thanks to Shane for the special attention we receive. The ladies will finish play for the year, Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> December with yet another party lunch! We are looking forward to once again joining the men at a joint Christmas & Presentation Luncheon.



Our Ladies at the WPHSC Christmas Luncheon

Our return to bowls in January will see us hopefully, with recharged batteries for a better bowling year.

# A wish for peace and happiness this Christmas season & throughout the New Year to you all.

|                   | Vale                                                                                                                                                         |
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| Vitale Giovenali: | a regular player in our Club since 2000, passed away in October, after a short illness                                                                       |
| Colin Hamilton:   | a long time member of West Pennant Hills and Carlingford Bowling Clubs, passed away 27th November 2007.                                                      |
| Val Wheeler:      | Prominent member of the Women's Bowling Section and wife of a Past President of the Men's Bowl-<br>ing Section, Ian Wheeler, who passed away some years ago. |

|                | <b>UPCOMING EVENTS - DECEMBER to MARCH</b> |
|----------------|--------------------------------------------|
| DATE           | EVENT                                      |
| SAT: 12-DEC-10 | CHRISTMAS FUNCTION AND PRESENTATION        |
| SAT: 29-JAN-11 | MEN'S FOURS –ROUND 1                       |
| SUN: 30-JAN-11 | MEN'S MAJOR PAIRS - ROUND 1                |
| SAT: 5-FEB-11  | MEN'S FOURS –ROUND 2                       |
| SUN: 6-FEB-11  | MEN'S MAJOR PAIRS - ROUND 2                |
| SAT: 12-FEB-11 | MEN'S FOURS – FINAL                        |
| Sun: 13-FEB-11 | MEN'S MAJOR PAIRS - ROUND 3                |
| SAT: 19-FEB-11 | MEN'S MAJOR PAIRS—Semi-Finals              |
| SAT: 5-MAR-11  | MEN'S MAJOR PAIRS—FINAL                    |
| SUN: 6-MAR-11  | WPH 5 – A – SIDE CARNIVAL                  |
| Mon: 7-Mar-11  | TURN-AROUND-TRIPLES-BEECROFT               |
| SAT: 12-MAR-11 | PENNANTS—ROUND 1                           |
| SUN: 13-MAR-11 | MEN'S MAJOR TRIPLES—ROUND 1                |
| SAT: 19-MAR-11 | PENNANTS—ROUND 2                           |
| SUN: 20-MAR-11 | MEN'S MAJOR TRIPLES—ROUND 2                |
| SAT: 26-MAR-11 | PENNANTS—ROUND 3                           |
| SUN: 27-MAR-11 | MEN'S MAJOR TRIPLES—SEMI-FINALS            |

For information about State events go to www.zone10.org.au

#### **BOWLING TIMES**

Visitors are welcome to join us on social days.

You can put your name on the list in the Sports Room for every event EXCEPT Thursday Twilight Bowls

Tuesday (Ladies) Cards called at 9:45am. Games commence at 10:00am.

Tuesday (Everybody Welcome) Twilight 3-bowl Pairs. Cards called at 5.30pm.

Wednesday (Men) Phone between 11.00 am & 12.00pm on 9980-6922\*. Cards called at 12:45 pm.

Games commence at 1:00pm.

Thursday (Everybody Welcome) Twilight Bowls From 5.30pm, no phone-in required.

Friday "Jackpot Pairs" Nominated Mixed Competition. Cards called at 12:45pm.

Games commences 1:00pm.

Saturday (Men) Phone between 11.00 am & 12.00pm on 9980-6922\*. Cards called at 12:45 pm.

Games commence at 1:00pm

Sunday Mixed Bowls Games commence at 2:00pm.

{\*If 9980-6922 is not working, only then use the emergency number 0420 211 938}

Arranging a corporate event for your workplace? Looking for something different for that family function? Then contact **Paul van Tilburg on 9656 1453 or at** <u>corporate@demaj.com.au</u>.

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