

Halls Head Bowling and Recreation Club Inc.

One Club, One Family

The BIAS

1st June 2023

Ladies Match

Another busy week at the club with sensational autumn weather (no wind makes for very enjoyable bowling) and very good numbers making hay while the sun is shining.

Thursday Mixed bowls

Mixed bowls last Thursday we had 22 players rock up.

Winners: **Ron Seddon and Geoff Stubbins**

Runner Ups: **Jill Gumbleton, Ben Raynor and Sue Edwards**

Just a reminder. Names in by 12.30pm and we will be on the greens before 1pm, and off the greens before 4pm. We play 2 X 10 or 12 ends, triples or pairs, depending on numbers. There is no break between the games. We enjoy a coffee and or drink together at the completion of the two games.

Ladies Winter Triples

Ladies Winter Triples was played out at Pinjarra on Tuesday. Halls Head had 9 teams playing out of 26 teams entered. All teams were very competitive and we had two teams amongst the major prize winners.

Winners: **Linda Young, Lorraine Heckingbottom, Lyn Clouston**

Runner-ups: Boddington Ladies (Way to go Boddo ladies!)

3rd Place: Composite Mandurah/Comet Bay Team

1st Round Winners: Yunderup

2nd Round Winners: Mandurah

3rd Round Winners: **Jeni Petty, Mariee Scanlan** (playing with her new St Kilda Bowls) and **Rhonda Tuttle.**

Just a reminder!

Next Monday 5th June is a public holiday. The club will continue with "Any Gender Pairs" on this day as our numbers for this event are reaching record numbers, even though it is supposedly the "off season". Well done to all our members for supporting the Monday afternoons, and to Captain Dave and his Merry Men for organizing these busy afternoons.

Pinjarra Winter Triples



Men's Captains Report

Captains report 31/05/2023

Any Gender Nominated Pairs

Another great week of bowls. Any Gender Nominated Pairs is still proving to be a great hit with 48 teams contesting Mondays event.

- Winners **Denny Berson and Denis Gilpin**
- Second **Matt and John Trehella**
- Third **Keith Guelfi and David Armstrong**
- Consolation **Simon Towers and Lyndon Wallis**

Wednesday Mens Pairs

Wednesday saw 34 players braving the weather. The rain mercifully held off and we completed the day to the surprise of many.

- Winners **Keith Guelfi and Lyndon Wallis**
 - Second **Graham Doy and John Burke**
 - Third **Keith Savage and David Butler**
- Congratulations to all winners.

Coming Events – Men's Winter Open Triples coming Wednesday the 21st of June. Dress Mufti. Sheet will be out Monday.

Cheers everyone
Happy Bowling Dave

Monday Nominated Pairs



Scroungers Results

Scroungers

70 players were at scroungers on Friday May 26. The day was won by **Alan Grieve**. Alan had to shake off a challenge from Lyn Parker in the semi-finals and won his way into the final after a roll off. The final ended up in a draw with **Jill Gumbleton** and again Alan had to win a roll off to be the days winner. Jill Gumbleton was the runner up and **Ian Butler** came in third.

The consolation was a four-way tie with Peter Nimmo, Ron Seddon, Graham Steele and Wayne Langborne. Michael Bear



Around The Greens



Halls Head Monday ANY GENDER PAIRS is getting great numbers every week, all but filling the greens. Thank you to Dave Butler, Peter Nimmo and team doing a top job running our events. NEXT MONDAY will be the same format.



Denison Bowling Club MAY Carnival.

Sandra having a relax between games. Their 5 days of bowls is a popular stop for many bowling travelers. This year the last days event was cut short due to rain but it looks like beautiful weather for the first four days of bowls. More pictures and winners available on their Facebook page Denison Bowling Club



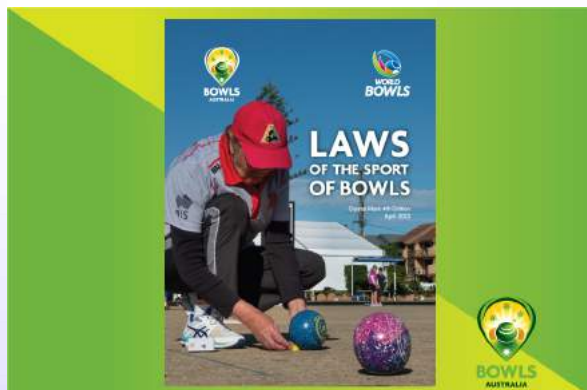
A busy week for Keith Guelfi being in the winning circle a few times...no wonder he's looking a bit dazed. Congratulations and good bowling Keith.



Reminder to prospective men pennant players please get your forms in ASAP. In addition to the forms already emailed to each member forms can be found on the bar adjacent to the men's notice board and deposited in the marked box in the same location. Thanks Peter Brophy



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WORLD BOWLS MEMO – CHANGES TO LAWS OF THE SPORT BY BOWLS AUSTRALIA ON MAY 26, 2023

World Bowls have issued a Memorandum, advising of two important changes to the Laws of the Sport, which take immediate effect.



Memorandum

TO: World Bowls Board, MNAs, WB Laws Advisory Group

FROM: Neil Dalrymple, Chief Executive Officer

DATE: Thursday May 25, 2023

RE: World Bowls Laws Advisory Group decision on Laws 37.1.3 and 37.1.5.3

In August 2022 the above two new laws were introduced to the Laws of the Sport Crystal Mark Fourth Edition. They were designed to penalise a player who deliberately displaced their own teams bowl on its original course or lifted a bowl at rest to allow one of their own team's bowls to pass.

Despite a clarification document published on the World Bowls Website in September 2022, it has become very clear from communications that the two laws have caused a great deal of confusion and have resulted in games being forfeited incorrectly following players innocently stopping bowls from entering the ditch.

Furthermore, the management of a side game and the resulting penalty after a team has been disqualified has also caused a great deal of confusion with MNAs and domestic Controlling Bodies.

Concern has been around the severe penalty of forfeiting the game and clarity in the wording of the law itself. Recommendations have been received to reduce the severity of the forfeit to penalising with shot deductions. This approach would be inconsistent with any other law and was not felt to be a suitable solution. Penalties have always existed for the displacement of a bowl by its own team players but at the time of the 2021 Laws review these penalties were not felt to be severe enough for what is considered an act of "cheating".

Having considered several options to improve the intent of these two laws, the World Bowls Laws Advisory Group have concluded and recommended to the Board of World Bowls to rescind them. The numbering of Law 37.1.4 will remain untouched until the next review of the Laws.

The changes to the Laws are summarised as follows:

~~37.1.3 If a bowl in its original course is deliberately displaced or stopped by a member of the team that delivered the bowl, the defaulting team will forfeit the game to their opponent.~~

37.1.4 Displacement of a bowl in motion.

37.1.4.1 If a bowl in motion is displaced by a player and it has not disturbed the head after it is displaced, the opposing skip or the opponent in Singles must choose whether to:

- 37.1.4.1.1 place the bowl where the player believes it would have come to rest; or
- 37.1.4.1.2 declare the end dead.

37.1.4.2 If a bowl in motion is displaced by a player and it has disturbed the head after it is displaced, the opposing skip or the opponent in Singles must choose whether to:

- 37.1.4.2.1 place the bowl where the player believes it would have come to rest and replace any part of the head disturbed after the displacement; or
- 37.1.4.2.2 declare the end dead.

37.1.5 Displacement of a bowl at rest.

37.1.5.1 If a bowl at rest or a toucher in the ditch is displaced by a player and it has not disturbed the head after it is displaced, the opponent must put the bowl back to its former position.

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~~37.1.5.3 If a player lifts a bowl at rest on their rink to allow their team's bowl in its original course to pass, the defaulting team will forfeit the game to their opponent.~~

The World Bowls Board, following a recommendation from the World Bowls Laws Advisory Group, have agreed to rescind Laws 37.1.3 and 37.1.5.3 with immediate effect.

Out and about, travelling during these cooler months, visiting another club?

Take a quick photo on your phone and send it through to us so it can be included in the BIAS and help bring a smile to our readers. Cheers David Heckingbottom

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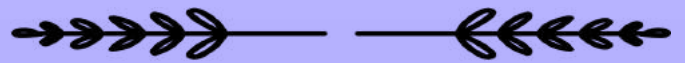
Bowls is better for you!

- Improve concentration
- Be more alert
- Soak up natural vitamin D
- Reduce the risk of heart disease
- Be more flexible
- Reduce stress
- Increase muscle tone
- Burn calories - lose weight
- Get better balance

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You did it! *Congratulations*

Boundary Island Brewery - 2023 BEST NEW EXHIBITOR

Boundary Island Brewery did Mandurah proud winning the Gary Sheppard Memorial Trophy for the best new exhibitor.

The local brewery, which opened its doors just more than a year ago has quickly become a fan-favourite amongst the local community, offering punters delicious hand

crafted beverages while overlooking Mandurah's waterways in Erskine.

the largest annual Beer awards in the world and the Boundary Island Brewery cleaned up with 6 medals for 6 entries.





Friday Night 2nd June

RUMOURS

What's On!
@ Halls Head Bowling Club

- Fri 2nd June Rumours**
- Fri 9th June Chain Reaction**
- Fri 16th June Best Friends**
- Fri 23rd June Monaros**
- Fri 30th June Midway**







plus Meals, Raffles
Chase The Ace and members draw

Reservations phone 9581 1726
 3 Sticks Boulevard, Halls Head

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June 2nd



Music by Rumours

Plus \$25 Carvery

book a table
Ph: 9581 1726



BIAS editors David and Lorraine Heckingbottom caught having a spin on the dance floor last Friday.
 Thanks to Pam Fleming for the photo!

Chase the ace & Members draw both Jackpot from last week

HALLS HEAD BOWLING & RECREATION CLUB INC.

Chase the ACE

\$800

PLUS MEMBERS DRAW

\$1100

members must be present to win

Redraw Redraw

We had *two redraws* on Chase the Ace last Friday...very unusual. John found something in his pocket shortly after the Chase The Ace Draw....
 One of the unclaimed numbers...Doh!!!

