

Pennants

Robbie's team delivers

Redemption was foremost in the thoughts of Robbie Rimes and his team all week and they delivered in spades to dominate Toowong's 62-52 home defeat of Samford in Division 2 pennants.

Upset by a big loss at Gaythorne the previous week, Robbie skipped Ward Kenny, Chris Thomson and Jim Adams to a sizzling 31-10 win that served as a huge psychological boost for the other two rinks.

Chris Hassen's team came from 13-17 down to lead 21-17 playing the last end before dropping a four for a 21-all draw.

John Arrowsmith fell 21-10 after a bizarre set of circumstances that resulted in him skipping accidentally and Doug Pannell reverting to third.

Toowong completed the first round with four wins and second place on the ladder behind Enoggera.

Robbie is unavailable this weekend but we have a handy replacement in Scott Gregory who has kindly come to the rescue.

Our Division 4 team was gallant in an 82-45 defeat at Windsor.

Simon Adams went down 23-19 with a dropped four on the last end, David Gilbert held his opponents to 23-16 in a promising skipping debut, and Ted Laundon's team tasted the highs and lows of bowls by following last week's big win with a 36-10 loss.

The teams for Saturday are:

Div 2 v St Lucia at St Lucia at 1pm

C Hassen/P Malicki/A McKay/P Jordan
D Pannell/J Arrowsmith/D Falkenmire/D Denino
S Gregory/ J Adams/ W Kenny/ L Lyndon
Manager: D Pannell
Transport to leave the club at 11.45

Div 4 v Grange at Toowong at 1pm

E Laundon/T Dobinson//T Salway/M Young
M McDonald/M Murphy/M Gilmour/M Israel
D Gilbert/W Mills/D Allen/J Pope
Reserves: L Chamberlain, D Robinson
Manager: E Laundon

Toowong ladies – more like “Putt Putt”



The ladies just didn't fire the engines last Saturday, and the games were more like putt putting along, rather than the full throttle ahead that was the week before.

Team Messervy, Goode, Trevaskis, Chamberlain went down 19:12, whilst team Salway, Malicka, Barton and Hurst went down 24:18. The combined team of New Farm/Merthyr are now on the top of the ladder, followed by Toowong. But the ladies need to win their next game to stay in the final's running.

Next Saturday is a bye for the ladies.

If you haven't done so already, please don't forget to pay for your new shirts (\$35) over the bar at the Club. Receipt to go to Jim Adams please.

Rogues Gallery

Thanks to Sue Goode for the pics of the rogues gallery cheering on the men's Div 2 at home last Saturday - Mary C, Gabrielle E, Stacey A and Jessica, John McC plus a few ring in's Matt Barton up from Melbourne for a bit and Gordon Hill.



CLUB NEWS

- ↳ **COL GRAY** - Reports are that Col is in rehabilitation in St Andrews hospital and is progressing well – walking, talking, and eating. Here's hoping for a full and speedy recovery.
- ↳ **SHERWOOD VISIT:** Sherwood Social Bowls Club will visit us on Sunday, August 7, with a 18-20 bowlers. It would be good if we could supply the same number of players for social play from 1pm. There will be a sheet made available to put your names down.
- ↳ **BOWLS LAWS BOOKS** - If you would like a 2015 edition Bowls Law Book (\$9) please let us know if you'd like to purchase one.
- ↳ Have you missed your edition of Captains Call? Captains Call is posted on the Toowong Bowls Club website each week. See <http://www.toowongbowlsclub.com.au/captains-call-results-draw>
- ↳ **WEDNESDAY BOWLS & PENNANT PRACTICE**
Pennant Practice' will follow from social bowls on Wednesday - 4.00-5.00 pm. Pennant practice is open to everyone – not just Pennant players. All bowlers welcome...should be serious fun!

PENNANTS PLAYER OF THE YEAR



Dinner, Medal Count

This function has been set down for Thursday, September 8, at 6pm. There will be medals awarded for the best players in all three teams, Div 2, Div 4 and Div 3 ladies.

All club members are invited and the club hopes to have a big-name guest speaker from the world of bowls. The menu and cost of the night will be advised soon.

DISTRICT NEWS

CHAMPION OF CHAMPION PAIRS

Doug Pannell and Chris Hassen represented the club with distinction at Ferny Grove on Sunday.

They beat Gaythorne by two shots in the morning to enter a quarter-final against titleholders Greg Rolls and Steve Hayden, of Red Hill.

It was 10-all on 13 ends and a real dogfight but Rolls and Hayden gained the upper hand for a 23-13 win with our boys completely devoid of any luck despite some superb aggression by Doug and pinpoint leading by Chris. Well done Doug and Chris.



UMPIRE, MEASURER AND MARKER COURSE



You are encouraged to give some thought in participating in this course. The Club needs more umpires as currently we have Peter Jordan and Lloyd Lyndon available. If they're away then..... "oh dear"!

Anyone interested in the above should place their names on the sheet on the Noticeboard at the Club.

UMPIRE, MEASURER & MARKER COURSE

DATES: Sundays, 16 & 23 October 2016

VENUE: Windsor Bowls Club

TIMES: 9.00 am – 4.00 pm both days for all applicants.

APPLICATION FORMS: Available from the Club Secretary. The completed form to be sent to Bowls Queensland with the Fee. Candidates will then receive the appropriate officiating manual on which the course is based. Please return the application form soon as it will give you more time to study the manual before the course.

All candidates must purchase a Law Book.

The candidates will receive more information on the format of the course when the District Umpires Committee receive the application form and test papers etc from Bowls Queensland.

All accredited Umpires will now also be an accredited Marker.

For more information contact Ray Skilbeck 3289 1166
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WANT TO PLAY BOWLS? – HERE'S HOW!

COMING UP FOR THE NEXT 2 MONTHS (extracted from the TBC playing calendar)

| <u>August</u> | | |
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| <u>Club</u> | <u>District</u> | <u>Other</u> |
| Social Bowls - Saturday 12.30 pm start Wednesday 12.30 pm start 9 th - <i>Nominations close</i> – <i>Consistency</i> 23 rd - Consistency challenge commences 6 th – Novice singles champs commence 20 th - <i>Nominations close</i> – <i>B Singles</i> – <i>Mixed Pairs</i> | <u>Ladies</u> 21 st – Challenge Match vs Caboolture 26 th – Nominations Close 2 Bowls Triples <u>Mens</u> 7 th – COC Pairs district 13, 20, 27 th – Pens Pennants 14, 21 st – COC Fours District 28 th – Tentative COC Group Play | <u>Ladies Financial Days</u> 1st Everton Park Ladies Six-a-Side Carnival |
| <u>September</u> | | |
| <u>Club</u> | <u>District</u> | <u>Other</u> |
| 3 rd - B Singles champs commence 3 rd – Mixed Pairs Champs commence Social Bowls - Saturday 12.30 pm start Wednesday 12.30 pm start | <u>Ladies</u> 13/14/15 th – Champs of Club Champs group playoff Final of district pennants t.b.a. after entries rec'd 11 th – Challenge match vs Downs 23 rd – Nomination close Senior Fours 24 th /25 th – District 2 bowl triples | <u>Ladies Financial Day</u> 5th Everton Park President's At Home 6 th – Gaythorne Fashion Parade 6 th – Samford Fun Morning with U3A 26 th – Samford Fashion Parade |

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| <p>24th - Nominations close</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Open Triples | <p><u>Mens</u></p> <p>3, 10th – Mens Pennants & finals</p> <p>5-7th – Aust COC Victoria</p> <p>11th –Challenge match vs Downs</p> <p>25th – Mens Pennants Group layoff</p> | |
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Nomination form for the **2016 LADIES DIST. 2 BOWL TRIPLES** is on the noticeboard for anyone interested in playing. This comp will be on Saturday 24th and Sunday 25th September at Ferny Grove Bowls Club.

Tip for this week

When putting the mat on the bank after an end, turn it over so unwanted grass/weed seeds don't stick to the side that's placed down on our wonderful greens and contaminates the green.



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