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### From the Board

- The next working bee is scheduled for Monday 20 May from 8.30 am. Please make an effort to support your club by coming along and giving a few hours of your time, there's plenty to do!

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### Members News

**Wednesday bowls – 12.30 pm start**  
**Saturday social bowls – 12.30 pm start (names down before 12 noon)**  
 Call the Bowls Hotline - 3870 1695

### Practice Practice Practice

Regular trainings are being planned – but don't forget you can use the greens to practice.

### [Nominations closing](#)

Nomination forms are on the noticeboard at the club for **BDBA Ladies Novice Singles**. This tournament will be played on Saturday 17th June and Sunday 18th June 2017 at a venue to be advised.

Please place your name on the sheet, and pay your money over the bar to nominate. Nominations close at the Club on Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> May.

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Nomination forms are on the noticeboard at the club for **BDBA Ladies Singles**. This tournament will be played on Saturday 24th June and Sunday 25th June 2017 at a venue to be advised.

Please place your name on the sheet, and pay your money over the bar to nominate. Nominations close at the Club on Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> June.

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Any ladies wishing to play pennants this year, please place your name on the sheet on the noticeboard.

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### Members prizes this week

Wednesday & Saturday – Winners of Winners or biggest margins for Toowong dollars

### BDBA Ladies Pairs Championships

Good luck to 3 pairs teams representing Toowong in the BDBA Ladies Pairs Championships this weekend. Teams are Harriet Posner & Gabrielle Evans, Tania Messervy & Pauline Barton, and Pam Salway & Nikki Geran.

Good luck ladies – go the Terriers !!!!

### Bowls Show

Is back – starting 14th May – 3 pm. on SBS



### Farewell

Don't forget to come and say good bye on **Sunday 21 May from noon** at the Club to our two favourite Poles, Piotr and Alicja, as they set out for new adventures in Melbourne.

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## Games Called

### Ladies Fours Championships

The Ladies Fours Championship is called for 27<sup>th</sup> May. It will be a round robin – so 2 games will be played on the 1 day, HOWEVER, there is only 10 ends per game or 2 hour time limit.

The winning team will be decided on games won and margins.

See below for schedule :

(skips listed first)

Date	Team	vs	Team
27 May 10.30 am	H Posner, S Goode, G Trevaskis, L Chamberlain		T Messervy, G Evans, N Geran, P Barton
1 pm	T Messervy, G Evans, N Geran, P Barton		P Salway, C Hurst, P Bishop, S Jordan
3.15 pm	H Posner, S Goode, G Trevaskis, L Chamberlain		P Salway, C Hurst, P Bishop, S Jordan

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### Men's Pairs Championships

Games called are :

Date	Team	vs	Team
Wed 31 May 12.30 pm	P Jordan/D Allen		T Salway/D Buchbach
3 <sup>rd</sup> June 12.30 pm	M Barton/T Laundon		W Kenny/C Thomson
	D Falkenmire/B Vandersee		M Young/A McKay
	D Gilbert/S Hossack		L Chamberlain/P Longland
	J Pope/B Mills		P Wilce/L Lyndon

### Men's Singles Championships

Winners of sections – games played 12.30pm Saturday unless otherwise arranged.

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## Results

### Ladies Singles Championships FINALS

The day was dull and overcast with the occasional sprinkle of rain but nothing could dampen the spirits of Alicja and Gabrielle or the enthusiastic cheer squad of the usual suspects, Suzanne J, Mary C and Mary P!

After a bit of a slow start from Gabrielle the game settled down to a tight contest with the ladies playing some brilliant bowls and the score reaching 16 all after 20 ends. Eventually, after 3 hours, many measures and often just a matter of millimetres between bowls to determine the outcome, Gabrielle was successful 25 -18 in reclaiming the title she last won in 2014.

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### Mens Singles Championships

The surprises continued to flow thick and fast as the sectional round of the men's singles competition concluded over the weekend.

Following on from Lloyd Lyndon's upset victory over Robbie Rimes last week, perhaps the biggest casualty of the day was Piotr Malicki, with David Gilbert triumphing after both bowlers overcame a determined Matt Young in the first two games. Piotr's starring role in Premier 7s singles had him viewed as an early favourite for the club singles title, but David played one of the best games of his early career to cause a 21-17 boil-over.

In another minor upset, Peter Jordan progressed through a close group with Jim Adams and Dave Allen. Peter was pushed 21-15 a close first game against Dave, and Jim was never heeded after a hot start against Dave in the 2<sup>nd</sup> game, taking it out 21-9. Peter's consistency proved too much for Jim in the final game, triumphing 21-16 and progressing to the next round.

The closest section of the day was that of Chris Thompson, Peter Longland and Jim Pope, with each bowler taking one win and one loss. Jim progressed on aggregate by a single shot, with Peter's 21-10 defeat of Thommo in the final game not being enough to lift him over the line.

Mark Israel fought gallantly against both Alistair McKay and Matt Barton, trailing by only a couple of shots midway through each game before being overrun at the line. Alistair ultimately had too much firepower for Matt in the final game, preventing another surprise victory for the underdogs.

Bill 'Tiger' Mills defeated Ted Laundon after the morning's rain, taking advantage of long ends and slow greens to run away to a 21-6 victory and progression onto round 2, after Doug Pannel's withdrawal from the group due to travel commitments.

Finally, in a reconstituted group, Chris Hassen fought off a strong finish from Ward Kenny and a strong start from Les Chamberlain to take out each of his games 21-14 and 21-7 respectively. Ward and Les chose to enjoy lunch rather than play a dead rubber in the rain!

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## Calendar

June			
Club	District		
Social Bowls - Saturday 12.30 pm start Wednesday 12.30 pm start	Sunday	4	BDBA Mens Pairs
	Sunday	4	Ladies Challenge Match Vs Gateway
	Monday	5	Nominations BDBA Ladies Pennants close
	Wednesday	7	Mens O60s Gold Metro Challenge
		10 - 23	Australian Open
	Saturday - Sunday	17-18	BDBA Ladies Novice Singles
	Saturday	24	Mens Pennants W1
	Saturday - Sunday	24-25	BDBA Ladies Singles
	Thursday	29	Notify BDBA of entrants for CoC

July			
Club	District		
1 <sup>st</sup> - Nominations close - Consistency  Consistency challenge commences  Teams in Mens & Ladies Pennants  Social Bowls - Saturday 12.30 pm start Wednesday 12.30 pm start	Saturday	1	Mens Pennants W2
	Sunday	2	
	Saturday	8	Mens Pennants W3
	Saturday & Sunday	8-9	BDBA Level Ladies CoC
	Monday	10	BDBA Ladies Pennants Start
	Saturday	15	Mens Pennants W4
	Saturday	15	BDBA Ladies Pennants
	Sunday	16	BDBA Level Mens CoC Singles
	Sunday	16	BDBA Level Ladies CoC
	Saturday	22	Mens Pennants W5
	Sunday	23	BDBA Level Mens CoC Singl
	Saturday	29	Mens Pennants W6
	Sunday	30	BDBA Level Mens CoC Pairs
		TBC	Qldvs NSW Under 18's boys & girls Test Series

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## Gallery



Some familiar faces on the sideline.

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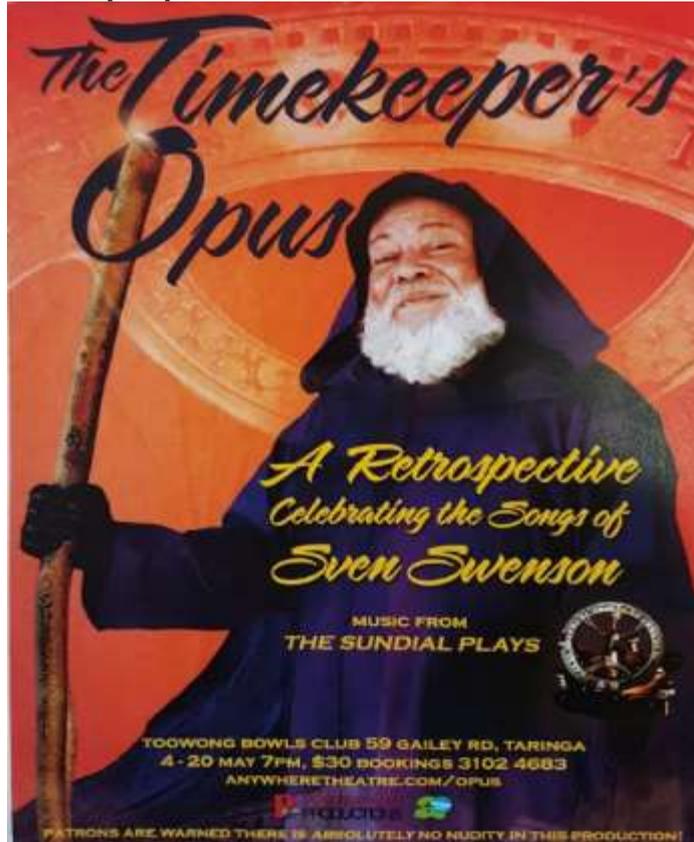


Lloyd Lyndon in action

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## Other Info

Come along for great entertainment. **Toowong Bowls Member's offer is a 2 for 1 deal – pay \$30 for 2 people.** Held at the club



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