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From the Board

- Players are requested to assist in the putting away of all equipment, mats, jacks, rink markers, flags, roll up sun shades plus generally tidying up the bowls rinks after usage. Thanks
- Many thanks to the 9 members who rolled up for the working bee on Monday morning. – see the gallery for pictures.

We cleaned off and restained all the outdoor timber tables. We restained the timber feature panels on the club house. We trimmed back overhanging branches, chopped down strangling vines and cleared out all the gutters along the rear of the clubhouse. We installed club pennants on the feature wall and picked up every single, last cigarette butt from the green surrounds.

- With Pennants coming up here is a timely reminder about a few of the rules.
 - Be sure to mark a toucher **before** the next bowl delivered comes to rest. After that it's too late!!!
 - After your bowl is delivered, make sure you are either behind the mat or (if you follow your bowl to the head) behind the head, before your bowl comes to rest.
 - And etiquette ...
 - Pick up the mat after your opponent has delivered their last bowl.
 - Don't waste time, be on the green ready to bowl straight after your opponent delivers their bowl.

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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



PENNANTS

The pennant season is rapidly approaching and there will be practice sessions for both men and ladies on Thursdays and Saturday mornings, **starting this week**, for players wishing to be considered for selection.

The **Thursday session will be from 4-6pm** and this will be held throughout the pennant season starting on Saturday, July 8.

Saturday's session will be from 10.30-11.30am leading up to the start of men and womens pennants.

Selectors have requested drills be specifically set up for leads/seconds and thirds/skips.

Men will be required to wear white shorts or long whites for pennants and these are available at the Enoggera Bowls Club shop where Brad Harris is happy to do business.

It is hoped that two men's pennant trials can be staged for both our Div 1 and Div 5 teams.

There will again be awards for the most valuable players- Ken Gannon Medal (Div 1), Col Gray Medal (Div 2) and Mary Cleghorn Medal (Ladies), as introduced last year. Rival skips will be asked to vote on a 4-3-2-1 basis.

The men selectors are already drawing up possible trial teams, bearing in mind chairman Doug Pannell will be out of the country for about a month. Doug and his wife Glenda leave on Thursday to visit their daughter in London before embarking on a river cruise from Amsterdam to Budapest and we wish them Bon Voyage.

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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 27th 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 3rd June.

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Coaching Course

A Coaching Course is being held at Capalaba Bowls Club on 24 and 25 June (8.45 am to 3.30 pm) Cost \$60. An application form will be available on the noticeboard, or please ask Peter Jordan.

Members prizes this week

Wednesday & Saturday – Lucky Draw – drink vouchers

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Games Called

Ladies Fours Championships

After a hiccup with the format of the Ladies Fours Championship the following games are called. (21 ends)

(skips listed first)

Date	Team	vs	Team
27 May 1 pm	H Posner, S Goode, G Trevaskis, L Chamberlain		P Salway, C Hurst, P Bishop, S Jordan
3 June 12.30 pm	T Messervy, G Evans, N Geran, P Barton		H Posner, S Goode, G Trevaskis, L Chamberlain
date t.b.a.	T Messervy, G Evans, N Geran, P Barton		P Salway, C Hurst, P Bishop, S Jordan

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Men's Pairs Championships

Games called are :

Date	Team	vs	Team
Wed 24 May 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
Wed 31 May 12.30 pm	P Jordan/D Allen		T Salway/D Buchbach

Men's Singles Championships

Finals game called :

Saturday 27 May
1 pm

John Arrowsmith vs Alistair McKay

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Results

BDBA Ladies Pairs Championships

Three teams - Harriet Posner & Gabrielle Evans, Tania Messervy & Pauline Barton, and Pam Salway & Nikki Geran competed in the BDBA Ladies Pairs Championships over the last weekend. The new team-up of Pam and daughter Nikki held their own early in their first match but were eventually knocked out in the first round against some experienced players. Harriet & Gabrielle, and Tania and Pauline won their way through to the second round before coming unstuck in the afternoon game. It was all valuable experience, and hopefully good training for the upcoming pennants season.

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Mens Championships

The past week has belonged to Bill Mills and Jim Pope.

They have made everyone sit up and take notice of their vast improvement to both be knocking on the door for Div 1 pennant selection.

First they suffered a heartbreaking extra-end loss to John Arrowsmith and Jim Adams in the pairs championship after appearing to have pulled off a huge upset.

They both followed up with outstanding efforts in the singles quarter-finals.

Jim raced to a 9-0 lead over a form player Lloyd Lyndon and pushed him all the way before being pipped 25-23.

Tiger Bill, playing the bowls of his life, sprung a 25-22 upset over Chris Hassen with some brilliant draw play.

Continuing in the same vein, he raced to a 15-10 lead over title favourite John Arrowsmith before John gained the upper hand for a 25-20 victory. John acknowledged receiving a scare and having to dig deep to stave off a red-hot Bill.

Meanwhile in the other semi, perennial singles contender Alistair McKay ended Lloyd's great run 25-17. Alistair had earlier eliminated David Gilbert 25-16 in a quarter-final.

So the stage is set for an Arrowsmith v McKay final on Saturday at 12.30pm with John still alive to complete a rare grand slam of title wins in the one year.

John and Jim (Adams) scraped through 23-22 in the pairs after trailing 22-20 playing the last end.

Jim (Pope) and Bill held shot with the kitty hidden but John played a superb shot onto the bowl and gained a shot with movement of the kitty. His last bowl scored another shot for the two needed to play an extra end.

Pope and Mills against held a close shot but John's class again shone through when when he drew a bowl even closer.

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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 st - 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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Farewell to Alicja & Piotr





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Working Bee – being busy bees

Thanks Bill, Tim, Lloyd, Jim P, Russell, David, Richard, Les and Sue G



