



TOUCHER TOPICS

BORONIA BOWLS CLUB NEWSLETTER JANUARY 2012

FRIDAY NIGHT 40/40 SOCIAL BOWLS

Last Friday night saw the first Friday night social bowls (barefoot bowls) this season.

30 members and friends enjoyed the games conducted under the 40/40 format where players alternate positions and powerplays enable large scores to be made.

Check the hall noticeboard to put your names down for each Friday's bowls.

Invite your family, friends and neighbours to come and enjoy the games.

Bar is open and sausage sizzle available.

SUNDAY SAUSAGE SIZZLE MIXED FOURS

The Tournament committees want all members to make an effort to form teams to play in the next Sausage Sizzle Mixed Fours on Sunday 12 February.

Our new sponsor Bendigo Bank is the sponsor on this day.

It is an opportunity to fill our greens and show the Bendigo bank we are worthy of their support

INTERCLUB MIXED FOURS -MADGE DOBSON TROPHY-WILLIAM ANGLISS CHARITY DAY

Thursday 15 March is the date of this event.

Pat and Jeff Edwards sponsor the prizes on this day in honour of John Edwards a long-time member who passed away last season.

Pat asked me to invite as many members as possible to enter the bowls on this special day.



PENNANT REACHES THE POINTY END

At the time of publishing 3 Saturday sides are fighting for finals representation, two are holding up the ladder and the sixth is mid-table.

Our Tuesday Ladies Firsts are fourth, Seconds are seventh and Thirds ninth.

Our Night Pennant sides are both mid-ladder.

SPONSORS CORNER

The following are some of our many sponsors that keep your club financial, keep them in mind when you next need to make a purchase, repair or just some advice.

BENDIGO BANK BORONIA

For all your banking needs
Just call in and ask for
Jane Zunneberg
Shop 3 Chandler Arcade Boronia.
Phone 0430 489755
Credit Cards, General Banking, Loans
and Term Deposits.

PRIMA 7 CARPET CLEANING SERVICE

Just call **Rudy** and
ask for a quote. Good price
and excellent job.

MR MUFFLER

9 Scoresby Road Bayswater.
Brakes and shockers
If you are having trouble
With your muffler brakes
or shockers call **Hamish**

BORONIA VILLAGE PHARMACY

157 Boronia Road Boronia
For all you pharmaceutical
needs or advice just call in
ask for **Nick** or **Patrick** for
friendly courteous service.

JACKSONS HARDWARE

2 Alchester Crescent
Boronia.
See **Colin** for all your hardware
or garden needs. He is a very
helpful man with some
handy hints for the home.

BRIDGESTONE SELECT

876 Burwood Hwy
Ferntree Gully.
Just ask for **Russell**
for all your new tyres or
tyre repairs.
Good discount
For club members.

When you visit our sponsors, ALWAYS tell them you are from Boronia Bowls Club.

PRESIDENTS REPORT LADIES SECTION

Welcome back after the Christmas break. I want to wish everyone a very happy safe & healthy 2012.

We are now getting down to the business end of our pennant season.

The first two sides are doing quite well.

It has been a little harder for the third side as they are coming up against some very strong competition.

Let's hope we at least have one or two sides playing in the finals.

We have interclub on the 19th January, so we need more names down for that.

Also smorgasbord will be held on the 22nd January.

One of our biggest events, Classic Day is coming up on the 8th February. We still need a few more teams, so let's promote it our visitors.

Elvie is holding her coffee morning on Friday 20th February At Secret Recipe in Knox Ozone from 10.00am. Everyone is welcome, so come along & enjoy the company of your fellow bowlers.

Thanks to Gwen for making our lovely new aprons & to Elvie for donating them.

Good bowling everyone

Margaret Grossbard

PRESIDENTS REPORT MENS SECTION

Welcome back after the Christmas and New Year break. I trust that you all had a happy and peaceful time.

Barefoot bowling started Friday 13th January with a good attendance of club members and visitors.

Braving some light drizzle which soon eased, a fun night was had by all. Bruce & Rob handled the sausage sizzle. Many thanks to Steve Castle for his assistance.

Pennant has resumed. The 2nd side had a good win against Auburn, unfortunately that didn't lift them off the bottom of the ladder, however prospects are good for the rest of the season. The 1st side had no trouble with Burwood District to put them very close to top of the ladder. The 5th side is struggling and hopefully they will manage to turn things around. I wish you all good bowling for the rest of the season.

We still have some Club Championships to be completed. Good luck to all in your endeavours.

Regards



Mens Section President

TEL'S TEASERS

What word, expression, or name is depicted below:

1. 79 S 34 A 92

F 185 E 376

7 T 27 Y 12

2. DNA4TH

3. VAD ERS

4. Symphon

5. COTAXME.

BORONIA FOUR WIN NOBLE PARK OPEN TOURNAMENT

Noble Fours Men's Open Tournament held on Saturday 7th January 2012 was a great success with 26 teams competing for prize money of \$2000.

Teams were from all over the metropolitan area and as far away as Inverloch, the team of **Gary Senn, Manfred Mohren, Ted Nicholas and David Alderman** from Boronia Bowls Club were narrow victors by one shot from runners up Burden Park.



The proud winners receive their prizemoney at Noble Park

TEL'S TEASERS ANSWERS

1. Safety in numbers
2. Back and forth.
3. Space invaders.
4. Unfinished symphony
5. Income tax

ANNUAL TRIP TO MOAMA

See the list in the hall add your names if you are interested. This trip has been run for at least 27 years, principally by Irene and Alf Jackson, but from 2011 by Bryan and Lorraine Dennehy. Many members go every year. It is an opportunity to have an economical five days away with club members and their partners.

FAREWELL TO TWO FINE FELLOWS



Bill Duke passed away on Saturday 17 December after a long illness.

Bill, a former Club Singles Champion and valuable Pennant player, served the club on the Men's Tournament Committee, and was a member for many years.

Bill was remembered at his funeral service as a loving father and grandfather who actively involved himself in his grandchildren's sports.

He is pictured in his Merchant Navy uniform prior to his emigration to Australia.



Fred Wolske passed away on Friday 9 December after a long battle with cancer.

Fred joined the club in 2006 with his wife Marianne. He was an enthusiastic bowler who enjoyed night and day pennant both on Tuesday and Saturday. He joined Marianne in our Sausage sizzle and Smorgasbord events.

Fred emigrated from Germany in his early twenties. He worked at AGM in Spotswood for many years. It was there that he first met Marianne. Fred enjoyed hunting and camping and was a member of the German Club committee that began the successful Oktoberfest. Fred is remembered as a gentle person who loved his bowls.

OLDER BUT GOLDER

January

Maureen Bates celebrated her 80th birthday(15th) last Saturday 14 January with her family and many friends including a large contingent from the Boronia Bowls Club.

Maureen Haymes (1st) Robert Simpson (1st) Alan Forster (2nd) Fred Wilson (6th) Cheryl McCarthy (8th) Margaret Woodford (8th) Ray Bilton (10th) Maureen Bates (15th) Tom Pieters (16th) Brian McCristal (17th) Peter Learmonth (22nd) Angelo Lia (25th) Robyn Jones (31st)

February

Ted Nicholas (5th) Hazel Tomlinson (9th) Mavis Kohler (10th) Carol Ashmore (11th) Joy Curtis (15th) Gary Senn (18th) Greg Wheeler (18th) Max Lyon (20th) Margaret Grossbard (25th) Beata Burian (26th) Irene Hunnam (27th)

CLEANING ROSTER

1. Each team is on cleaning duty from the Sunday to Saturday inclusive for the duty weeks nominated.
2. Please note the dates in your calendar diary for these periods in which your team is on duty and contact your team leader when it is your turn to assist with cleaning.
3. Enquiries about roster operation to **KEITH SCUTT**. Thank you for your support and co-operation in helping out with this most important task

Name **Monday To Sun** **Name** **Monday To Sun**

<u>TEAM NO. 9</u>		<u>TEAM NO. 10</u>	
Terry Phillips	15 Jan to 21 Jan	Bruce & Lin Perry	22 Jan to 28 Jan
Brenda Phillips		Bob Murray	
Malcolm Barrow		Ray Bilton	
Jack Higgs		Garry Overs	
David Fletcher		Ron Marsh	
		George Lynn	
<u>TEAM NO. 11</u>		<u>TEAM NO. 12</u>	
Vin Hughes	29 Jan to 4 Feb	Derek Pitt	5 Feb to 11 Feb
Richard Allen		Ernst Burian	
Kevin Hamond		Tom & Olivia Lucas	
Robert Lancaster		Bill Paus	
Robert Simpson		Alan Cobb	
John & Dot King		Doug Smith	
<u>TEAM NO. 13</u>		<u>TEAM NO. 1</u>	
Graeme Ashmore	12 Feb to 18 Feb	Gary Degenhardt	19 Feb to 25 Feb
Royce Wardle		Brenda Degenhardt	
Tom Pieters		Don Edwards	
Hans Eriksen		Brian Carolan	
Geoff Turner		Bradley Castle	
Gary Senn		Gerry Gommers	
<u>TEAM NO. 2</u>		<u>TEAM NO. 3</u>	
Bruce Legrew	26 Feb to 3 Mar	Keith Scutt	4 Mar to 10 Mar
Kath Perryman		Annette Scutt	
Noel Comport		George Bisset	
Irene Hunnam		Max Lyon	
Jeff Edwards		Troy Haartsen	
Gerry Gommers		Brian McCristal	
		Ken Maloney	