

# MT GRAVATT NEWS

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MARCH-MAY 2023 NEWSLETTER



## CHAIRMAN'S REPORT

Dear Members,

I trust you all had an enjoyable Christmas and New Year Festive Season.

The process to reinstate our car park and to carry out the promised improvements is proving to be a very slow process. Speaking with our new Sport and Recreation Officer last week I was advised the project was still going through the approvals process and that it was planned to try to do the work during the first term school holidays after Easter. Apparently it is much harder to put the bollards back than it was to remove them. As the new work for the pick up and drop off area on the school property has also not commenced I suspect all the work will be done at the same time to coordinate everything while the students are on holiday.

As everyone will now be aware, the Board has been forced to increase Bar and Food Menu prices effective from the 1st of March. This decision was not made lightly but is necessary to keep the Club viable

and ensure we can continue to provide the quality services and experiences you have come to expect. The cost increases we are experiencing affect all aspects of our business, including trading stocks such as beer, wine, spirits, and food, as well as staff wages. We want to be clear that these price changes are not a revenue grab, but rather a reflection of what it truly costs to run the Club and maintain a minimum profit after accounting for these costs.

I have already received some advice from a few members about the proposed price increase but if you want to compare our prices, try going for a drink at one of our local pubs, not to the other much larger community clubs where the prices are heavily subsidised by gaming machines. We do not have that luxury and have to rely on our members, bare foot bowlers and functions to survive. We understand that as members, you are the lifeblood of the Club, and unfortunately, we must ask you to bear the burden of these increased costs because

you all are the Club.

At the end of this "Club Year" I will have been your Chairman of the Board for eight years and during that time I have done my level best to ensure our Club develops and continues to grow. During that time, I have invested many hours in the Club, usually at the expense of my wife and it is now time for me to step down and put my family first. We are not getting any younger and so we have ordered a new caravan and a new tow vehicle and if things go to plan we will become full time "grey nomads" in August. It is now time for our younger members to put their hand up and consider standing for the position of Chairperson.

Take care everyone.

*Graham  
Chattin*

**Board Chairman /  
Secretary**



## SPECIAL EVENTS SUB COMMITTEE REPORT

There has been nothing since the Melbourne Cup, however a new booking for later in the year. A social group titled Brothers Social Bowls Club Ipswich will visit us on Sunday 29 October for bowls and lunch. They will arrive at 9.00 am by bus, and following morning tea, commence bowling at 9.30 am. The day is expected to conclude around 2.00 pm.

We are seeking any of our interested members to join in and share the day with them.

Early notice, however a chance to place it in your diary.

*Reg Walls*

**Chairman, Special  
Events Sub Committee**





## LADY PRESIDENT'S REPORT

The year has commenced with much happening for our bowlers. The Championship Fours have been completed, the winners being Val Chappel, Margaret Robertson, Lorrie Hurley and Ros Taber. The Runners-up were Andrea Pitt, Margaret Wells, Jean Davis and Valda Scott. Congratulations to all those who entered the competition. At present the Championship Pairs are underway.

By the time this newsletter is printed we will have run the Gateway District Ladies Championship Singles. My thanks to all those who volunteered to mark on the first day. With full greens we required 14 markers. Thanks also to Bob and David Chattin for umpiring and to the ladies who helped with the organisation. In March we will have the Mt. Gravatt Shield and the hope is that we will have full greens.

Congratulations to all those who are playing in the Q7's. After weeks of trials teams were selected and at this stage they are all acquainting themselves very well. Eight ladies are taking part in this competition and enjoying being able to play in mixed teams.

Tuesday mornings continue to be quite a social time for many and I would encourage any gentlemen who have the time to come along for a game. You only have to put your name on the Tuesday sheet, arrive about 8.30am for morning tea and then a game at 9am.

It is pleasing to see those who are not bowling coming on Tuesday for a cuppa and a chat and also to keep in touch with events at our club.

*Bev Geldart*  
**President**



## MEN'S SECTION PRESIDENT'S REPORT

Hi everyone, it's great to be back playing competition bowls.

We have entered 4 divisions for Q7's and 2 divisions for Summer Shield competitions and the weekends are full of activity. The competitions have started and Mt Gravatt is doing very well, keep this going everyone.

This is a busy time of year and the Club has much to do and achieve. I thank everyone for the support and commitment required to keep our great Club viable and progressing forward.

Our Board, staff, committees, volunteers and members do an outstanding job. The Club could not function without this support, which often goes way above expectations. We do this because the Club is a great Community asset providing so many benefits that are overlooked or understated in today's society:

Exercise, fresh air, face to face communications, friendship, team sport, loyalty and mental health are just a few.

Our Try Us Out Days which we conduct every couple of months is how we promote the Club and these benefits. These are advertised on our website and within the Club so have a look and put your name down.

Stay safe and look after yourself.

*Shane Parry*  
**President,  
Men's Section**



## BUSINESS MANAGER'S REPORT

### Sponsorship

Both the hard copy and website Bowls Calendars have been completed. The hard copy was emailed to all members who have provided their email addresses to Gary and the website version can be found on our website under "Bowlers" Events Calendar. A copy of the hard copy version has been placed on the noticeboard above the writing slope.

My sincere thanks to all our valued sponsors for their ongoing support.

### Bottom Greens Works

It was reported in the previous newsletter that our grant for the replacement of the base, carpet and underlay on the bottom green had been approved. Since then matters have progressed to a point where an agreement with Berry Bowling Systems has been signed in an amount of \$231,800.00 plus GST to complete the works. Our deposit has been paid and carpet has been ordered from Dales in UK. At this point we are expecting works to begin late April-early May. This is subject to weather affecting not only our works, but other works in the pipeline. The same contractor who completed our top green conversion in 2016 is completing these works.

### Electrical Audit

Brisbane City Council as our lessor has commissioned an electrical audit to identify and rectify any deficiencies under its Sports Field Lighting Safety Program. The audit has been completed in late 2022 and some work has already been completed. There are some major works to be completed which will require the power to be shut down on Monday 3rd and Tuesday 4th April. You will be advised of more details closer to the time at game days and by circular. All costs are being borne by Brisbane City Council.

### Grant Approval

We were very fortunate in receiving funding from the Lord Mayor's Celebration Donation in an amount of \$200.00.

In mid December we applied to Lord Mayor's Community Fund for funds to purchase a portable disability ramp. Approval was provided in an amount of \$1,481.90 for a ramp purchase. Unfortunately we were caught up in the Christmas holiday period, however following resumption of work the grant has been funded and an order placed with our sponsors QLD Rehab Healthcare Solutions for the ramp. Hopefully it should arrive shortly. My thanks to Cr Steven Huang and the Lord Mayor Cr Adrian Schinnerer for this approval.

### Grant Lodged

We have applied for a grant titled "Community Sustainability Action Grant" funded by the Queensland Department of Environment and Science. We have applied for additional solar panels and batteries in which to store the power. We have obtained two quotes, one from Associated Energy Partners, who have completed our past solar installations. The quote is for an additional 21 KW of solar panels, replace the two existing 2 x 30 KW inverters with 2 x 50 KW Hybrid Inverters and install a seven (7) Battery Lithium Storage facility. Total cost \$98,500.00 plus GST.

Grant was lodged on 7 December 2022 which was the deadline. We were required to obtain Council approval as property owners prior to lodging the application. This was achieved at a very busy time and all grant requirements met.

No decision to date, expected early March.

### Unsuccessful Grant Application

Our Application for funds to replace the kitchen flooring was unsuccessful this time around, purely and simply as a result of grant requests being over and above the funds available in this round. Next round opens on 20 March and we have been encouraged to reapply in that round. Funds sought \$10,000 for a replacement cost of \$17,120.

### Grant Under Preparation

A grant to the Gambling Community Benefit Fund (GCBF) Super

Round is currently being prepared. These grants are usually a maximum of \$35,000, however once a year they extend to \$100,000. Purpose of the grant funds is twofold;

- . remove and replace the Ameplite strips on the roof of the covered green. Looking at Wonderglass H/D 3050 which is both tough and will let maximum light penetrate. Will not only enhance the appearance but reduce the amount of light usage resulting in less running costs.
- . underside of the covered green cleaning. With new green and surrounds looking great it would be a shame to have the same accumulated grime left on the structure and sides. Cleaning would be great.

We are seeking quotes for both and based on what we have to hand we look like having a total cost for both in excess of \$90,000.

Closing date is 28 February 2023. Council approval has been provided for the replacement of the sheeting.

### Retirement & Lifestyle Village Bowls Days.

The first of our bi monthly Village days was held on Friday 10 February. My sincere thanks to all Villages who attended with a total attendance of 28 teams which is by far the best attendance since pre COVID late 2019. Also my sincere thanks to our regular helpers Ian Svensson, Bruce Black, Henry Gauci.

### Friday Night Raffles

Our Friday night raffles have continued to run well, not only over the Christmas period as we would expect, but have continued to do well since the commencement of the year.

Always looking for more people to take on selling tickets on a roster basis. If you are interested, give me a call and I can let you know what is involved.

### Christmas Open Triples Sunday 4 December 2022.

The day was well supported with 26 teams playing. This number was comprised of approximately 50% our members and 50% visitors to the Club. Comments on the day were very positive and hopefully we can run our October and December days again this year. To this end please reserve Sunday 8 October and Sunday 3 December in your calendars.

*Reg Walls*

**Business Manager**



# MEMBERSHIP DIRECTOR'S REPORT

Members celebrating birthdays in the following months:

## March 2023

June Adams, Glenn Andrews, Laurel Andrews, Cameron Bower, Jim Brown, Bob Chattin, Kerry Dickson, Max Drysdale, Laraine Dyer, Brian Dyer, Sarah Edds, Leslie Elborne, Pamela Goscomb, Kenneth Greenhalgh, Stephen Griffiths, Gary Klease, Desley Koutlis, Jean Magrath, Kelly Perkins, Darrel Petersen, Vijay Ponnusamy, Kymy Rudolph, John Sealby, Gary Taber, and Tony Taylor.

## April 2023

Ian Andrews, Adrian Andrews, Adele Brown, Bob Cveticanin, Frank George, Brad Green, Thomas Harrison, Brian Knofflock, John Morris, Pat Rankin, Anthony Rose, Trevor Thatcher, and Grant Upton.

## May 2023

Raymond Brownhill, David Chattin, Jean Davis, Ray Dixon, Bruce Field, Mitchell Hammond, Desmond Hitchman, Lajos Joni, Karen Kong, Anna Kung, Beverley Montgomery, Pamela Palmer, Chris Petersen, Shaun Power, Margaret Robertson, Raymond Shaw, Adrian Speets, Brian Stewart, Gerry Sutherland, Ian Svensson, Rosalynd Taber, Eddie Van-Haeften, Sandra Vickers, and Peter Young.

## Bowling members that have joined from 18th of November 2022:

**Female:** June Adams, Gayle Diceri, Bronwyne Stiegler and Laurelle McDonnell.

**Male:** Max Drysdale, Brad Green, John Morris, Ray Mulhaus, Rob Poulter, Pat Rankin and Neville McDonnell.

Welcome to all those new members most of which have come from the recent recruitment drive.

Thanks to all those members who were involved in that and making it a success.

Trish and Ray have been kept busy with coaching and have had to off load some of the coaching duties to Jean, Kelly and Neil. Thanks to all the coaches, great effort!

**Resignations:** Unfortunately, we have had four members who are moving further north and have had to resign. Judy and David Durrant are moving to Rockhampton Qld. Angie and Rod Salmon are moving to Bargara Qld (Sandhills Bowls Club). We wish them all the best!

**Social Members:** 103 new social members have joined since the 18th of November 2022. 40 Female and 63 Male.

Until the next newsletter...

Gary

# SPECIAL EVENTS, TRIVIA DAYS, & PUBLIC HOLIDAY CLOSURES

## Can you believe it's here already?

Hi everyone,

With Christmas over, we are now looking forward to Easter and the cooler months.

If you are looking for somewhere to host your birthday party or another special event, drop in or give us a call and we can show you what we have to offer. It could be a formal gathering or a casual get together. It's up to you.

## Mark in your calendars our Trivia Days:

Friday March 3rd and then May 2nd starting at 12:00pm.

The trivia runs for about 2 hours. You can enjoy lunch and drinks on the day. If you are lucky, you can also take home club vouchers for first, second or third place.

## Bistro opening hours:

Our bistro is open for lunch Tuesday to Sunday from 11am–2pm. Dinner is served Wednesday–Saturday nights from 5pm.

Friday Night Raffles are drawn at 7pm and our Pick-A-Box promotion is drawn at 7pm on Saturdays.

Pick-A-Box is worth \$300\* this week and increases by \$25 each week until a winner takes it home.

*\*Money is correct at time of print.*

## Public holiday closures:

We have a few Public Holidays, so we are closed for most of these.

Good Friday, Easter Saturday, Easter Sunday, Easter Monday.

Anzac Day is also closed all day as well as Labour Day Monday.

We look forward to seeing you in the Club very soon.

Wishing you good health and happiness.

Cheers,

Julie Simkin





## A LOOK AT 2022, AND WHAT TO EXPECT IN 2023

Many of my readers have funds invested in superannuation or Allocated pensions as well as bank accounts and Term Deposits so apart from cash here is a look at what happened in 2022 and what to expect in 2023. Thanks to Dr Shane Oliver – Chief Economist at AMP for his research.

Key points - 2022 was dominated by high inflation, rising interest rates, war in Ukraine & recession fears. This hit bonds & shares hard, driving losses for balanced growth super funds.

2023 is likely to remain volatile and a retest of 2022 lows for shares is a high risk. But easing inflation, central banks getting off the brakes (with the RBA at or close to the peak on rates), economic growth likely stronger than feared & improved valuations should make for better returns.

Australian residential property prices likely have more downside, ahead of a September quarter low. The main things to keep an eye on are: inflation; central banks and interest rates; US politics & its “debt ceiling”; China tensions; and Australian residential property prices.

### Nine reasons for optimism

2022 was not so good and economic growth will slow sharply this year thanks to rate hikes and cost of living pressures (with a high risk of recession in the US and Europe), but there are several reasons for optimism.

- Long term inflation expectations remain low – while they were a bit slow initially central banks swung into inflation fighting action with rapid rate hikes and tough rhetoric showing they learned the key lesson of the 1970s – which is to keep inflation expectations down.
- Inflation has likely peaked – this is most evident in the US where inflation led on the way up & is likely now leading on the way down. US inflation peaked mid last year & our Pipeline Inflation Indicator points to a sharp fall ahead. Labour market tightness is showing signs of easing which should take pressure of wages –this is flowing from slowing demand and in Australia will be helped foreign workers returning.

- Key central banks have likely seen or are close to peak hawkishness – this flows from the likely fall in inflation and signs of cooling demand.
- China's move away from zero Covid will provide an offset to weaker US and European growth – albeit after an initial set back as new cases surged, much like they did in other countries that reopened.
- The US dollar looks to have peaked – which should ease debt servicing pressure in emerging countries with US dollar denominated debt.
- Vaccines, anti-virals and with less harmful mutations have allowed the world to start moving on from Covid. China is now playing catch up.
- In Australia, the less aggressive RBA along with other factors (see below), should help us avoid recession.
- Geopolitics may not be as threatening. Western democracies united and authoritarianism/strongmen leaders took a hit in 2022 – with Putin weakened by the mess in Ukraine, China's difficulties exiting zero-Covid and Trump on the nose after the US mid-terms. The war in Ukraine may not get any more threatening, there are signs of a thaw in China relations & there are no major elections in key countries in 2023.
- While US mid-term election years are often poor for shares (as seen in 2022), the 12 months after the US mid-terms is normally strong.

If anyone would like the full article then just email me [peter.donovan@ozdream.com.au](mailto:peter.donovan@ozdream.com.au) and I will send it to you.

Kind regards,

*Peter Donovan*

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*Welcome to 2023!*

I hope everyone had a lovely break over the Christmas and New Year's period and a safe start to 2023.

I am proud to be a part of the Palaszczuk Government and our continued commitment to our frontline workers. In January, 89 new Queensland Police graduates and 1036 new nursing graduates started work to serve the community.

More excitingly for the Mansfield Electorate, 22 of these nurses will be based at Queen Elizabeth II Jubilee Hospital and 7 of the police officers will be based within the Brisbane South Region.

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Corrine **McMillan** MP  
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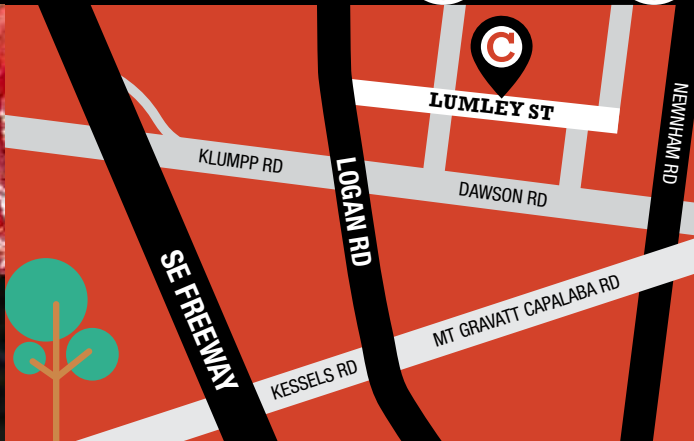


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Don is retiring after 14 years of editing and we wish him well. Our newsletter issues quarterly and is a valued resource to all members.

If you are interested in taking over this responsibility, please contact me.

Regards,

*Reg*



# BOWLS CALENDAR 2023

TELEPHONE: 07 3349 2367

March		Time	Event	Sponsor
Wednesday	1	8.30 am	Open Pairs	
Wednesday	1	12.30 pm	Open Pairs	Century 21 Stellario
Wednesday	1	6.30pm	Open Bowls	
Thursday	2	12.00 noon	Open Triples	Club Southside
Friday	3	12.00 noon	Trivia	
Friday	3		Raffles from 6.00 pm, drawn at 7.00pm	
Saturday	4	10.00 am	Gateway Summer Shield Div A away to Macleay Island	
Saturday	4	1.00 pm	Gateway Summer Shield Div B2 home to Capalaba	
Saturday	4	12.30 pm	Open Social Bowls	
Saturday	4	1.00 pm	Q7s Division 3 Round 6 home to Logan City	
Saturday	4	1.00 pm	Q7s Division 4 Round 6 home to Broadbeach	
Saturday	4	12.30 pm	Q7s Division 5 Round 6 away to Pine Rivers A	
Saturday	4	1.00 pm	Q7s Division 6 Round 6 away to McKenzie Park T	
Sunday	5	10.00 am	Barefoot Bowls	
Monday	6	10.00 am	Barefoot Bowls	
Tuesday	7	9.00 am	Ladies Day Open Bowls	Gauci Family Trust
Tuesday	7	6.15 pm	Corporate Bowls	
Wednesday	8	8.30 am	Open Pairs	
Wednesday	8	12.30 pm	Open Pairs	MyCare Physiotherapy
Wednesday	8	6.30 pm	Open Bowls	
Thursday	9	12.00 noon	Open Triples	Renaissance Retirement Living
Friday	10		Raffles from 6.00 pm, drawn at 7.00 pm	
Saturday	11	12.30 pm	Open Social Bowls	
Saturday	11	1.00 pm	Gateway Summer Shield Div A away to Cleveland	
Saturday	11	9.00 am	Gateway Summer Shield Div B2 home to Belmont	
Saturday	11	12.00 noon	Q7s Division 3 Round 7 away to West Toowoomba	
Saturday	11	10.00 am	Q7s Division 4 Round 7 away to Ipswich	
Saturday	11	1.00 pm	Q7s Division 5 Round 7 home to Bribie Island C	
Saturday	11	1.00 pm	Q7s Division 6 Round 7 home to Gatton	
Sunday	12	10.00 am	Barefoot Bowls	
Monday	13	10.00 am	Barefoot Bowls	
Tuesday	14	9.00 am	Ladies Day Open Bowls	Elliott & Harvey Solicitors
Tuesday	14	6.15 pm	Corporate Bowls	
Wednesday	15	8.30 am	Open Pairs	
Wednesday	15	12.30 pm	Open Pairs	
Wednesday	15	6.30 pm	Open Bowls	
Thursday	16	12.00 noon	Open Triples	Tricare
Friday	17		Raffles from 6.00 pm, drawn at 7.00 pm	
Saturday	18	10.00 am	Gateway Summer Shield Div A home to Russell Island	
Saturday	18	12.30 pm	Open Social Bowls	
Saturday	18	1.00 pm	Gateway Summer Shield Div B2 away to Logan City	
Saturday	18	1.00 pm	Q7s Division 3 Round 8 away to Toowoomba	
Saturday	18	1.00 pm	Q7s Division 4 Round 8 away to Lowood	
Saturday	18	12.30 pm	Q7s Division 5 Round 8 away to Sandgate	
Saturday	18	2.00 pm	Q7s Division 6 Round 8 away to Salisbury	



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March		Time	Event	Sponsor
Sunday	19	10.00 am	Barefoot Bowls	
Monday	20	10.00 am	Barefoot Bowls	
Tuesday	21	9.00 am	Ladies Day Open Bowls	Anton Brown Funerals
Tuesday	21	6.15 pm	Corporate Bowls Season 1 Concludes	
Wednesday	22	8.30 am	Open Pairs	
Wednesday	22	12.30 pm	Open Pairs	
Wednesday	22	6.30 pm	Open Bowls	
Thursday	23	12.00 noon	Open Triples	Corrine McMillan MP
Friday	24	9.00 am	Mt Gravatt Shield	Renaissance Retirement Living
Friday	24		Raffles from 6.00 pm, drawn at 7.00 pm	
Saturday	25	12.30 pm	Open Social Bowls	
Saturday	25	1.00 pm	Q7s Division 3 Round 9 home to Coorparoo	
Saturday	25	1.00 pm	Q7s Division 4 Round 9 home to Geebung	
Saturday	25	2.00 pm	Q7s Division 5 Round 9 away to Salisbury B	
Saturday	25	1.00 pm	Q7s Division 6 Round 9 home to Ispwich	
Sunday	26	10.00 am	Barefoot Bowls	
Sunday	26	1.00 pm	Q7s Division 3 Round 10 home to Beenleigh Ladies	
Sunday	26	1.00 pm	Q7s Division 4 Round 10 home to Beenleigh White	
Sunday	26	9.00 am	Q7s Division 5 Round 10 home to Narangba	
Sunday	26	10.00 am	Q7s Division 6 Round 10 away to Coorparoo	
Monday	27	10.00 am	Barefoot Bowls	
Tuesday	28	9.00 am	Ladies Day Open Bowls	Alex Gow Funerals
Wednesday	29	8.30 am	Open Pairs	
Wednesday	29	12.30 pm	Open Pairs	Southside Toyota
Wednesday	29	6.30 pm	Open Bowls	
Thursday	30	12.00 noon	Open Triples	Century 21 Stellario
Friday	31		Raffles from 6.00 pm, drawn at 7.00 pm	





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April		Time	Event	Sponsor
Saturday	1	12.30 pm	Open Social Bowls	
Sunday	2	10.00 am	Barefoot Bowls	
Monday	3	10.00 am	Barefoot Bowls	
Tuesday	4	9.00 am	Ladies Day Open Bowls	<b>Qld Rehab Healthcare Solutions</b>
Wednesday	5	8.30 am	Open Pairs	
Wednesday	5	12.30 pm	Open Pairs	<b>Reside Communities Brookland Robertson</b>
Wednesday	5	6.30 pm	Open Bowls	
Thursday	6	12.00 noon	Open Triples	<b>David Cunningham &amp; Cenzo's Cafe</b>
Friday	7	<b>Good Friday</b>	<b>Club Closed</b>	
Saturday	8	12.30 pm	<b>Easter Saturday</b> Open Bowls - Club closes 5.00 pm	
Sunday	9	10.00 pm	<b>Easter Sunday</b> Barefoot Bowls	
Monday	10	<b>Easter Monday</b>	<b>Club Closed</b>	
Tuesday	11	9.00 am	Ladies Day Open Bowls	
Wednesday	12	8.30 am	Open Pairs	
Wednesday	2	12.30 pm	Open Pairs	<b>Club Southside</b>
Wednesday	12	6.30 pm	Open Bowls	
Thursday	13	12.00 noon	Open Triples	<b>Backspace Clinics</b>
Friday	14	9.00 am	Retirement Village Bowls Day	<b>APIA</b>
Friday	14		Raffles from 6.00 pm, drawn at 7.00 pm	
Saturday	15	12.30 pm	Open Social Bowls	
Sunday	16	10.00 am	Barefoot Bowls	
Monday	17	10.00 am	Barefoot Bowls	
Tuesday	18	9.00 am	Ladies Day Open Bowls	
Wednesday	19	8.30 am	Open Pairs	
Wednesday	19	12.30 pm	Open Pairs	<b>Renaissance Retirement Living</b>
Wednesday	19	6.30 pm	Open Bowls	
Thursday	20	12.00 noon	Open Triples	<b>MyCare Physiotherapy</b>
Friday	21		Raffles from 6.00 pm, drawn at 7.00 pm	
Saturday	22	12.30 pm	Open Social Bowls	
Sunday	23	10.00 am	Barefoot Bowls	
Monday	24	10.00 am	Barefoot Bowls	
Tuesday	25	<b>ANZAC Day</b>		
Tuesday	25	6.15 pm	Corporate Bowls Season 2 Commences	
Wednesday	26	8.30 am	Open Pairs	
Wednesday	26	12.30 pm	Open Pairs	
Wednesday	26	6.30 pm	Open Bowls	
Thursday	27	12.00 noon	Open Triples	<b>Reside Communities Brookland Robertson</b>
Friday	28		Raffles from 6.00 pm, drawn at 7.00 pm	
Saturday	29	12.30 pm	Open Social Bowls	
Sunday	30	10.00 am	Barefoot Bowls	



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May		Time	Event	Sponsor
Monday	1	<b>Labour Day</b>	<b>Club Closed</b>	
Tuesday	2	9.00 am	Ladies Day Open Bowls	<b>Century 21 Stellario</b>
Tuesday	2	6.15 pm	Corporate Bowls	
Wednesday	3	8.30 am	Open Pairs	
Wednesday	3	12.30 pm	Open Pairs	<b>Renaissance Retirement Living</b>
Wednesday	3	6.30 pm	Open Bowls	
Thursday	4	12.00 noon	Open Triples	<b>Alex Gow Funerals</b>
Friday	5	12.00 noon	Trivia	
Friday	5		Raffles from 6.00 pm, drawn at 7.00 pm	
Saturday	6	12.30 pm	Open Social Bowls	
Sunday	7	10.00 am	Barefoot Bowls	
Monday	8	10.00 am	Barefoot Bowls	
Tuesday	9	9.00 am	Ladies Day Open Bowls	<b>Southside Toyota</b>
Tuesday	9	6.15 pm	Corporate Bowls	
Wednesday	10	8.30 am	Open Pairs	
Wednesday	10	12.30 pm	Open Pairs	<b>Gauci Family Trust</b>
Wednesday	10	6.30 pm	Open Bowls	
Thursday	11	12.00 noon	Open Triples	<b>Elements Retirement Living</b>
Friday	12		Raffles from 6.00 pm, drawn at 7.00 pm	
Saturday	13	12.30 pm	Open Social Bowls	
Sunday	14	10.00 am	Barefoot Bowls	
Monday	15	10.00 am	Barefoot Bowls	
Tuesday	16	9.00 am	Ladies Day Open Bowls	<b>Renaissance Retirement Living</b>
Tuesday	16	6.15 pm	Corporate Bowls	
Wednesday	17	8.30 am	Open Pairs	
Wednesday	17	12.30 pm	Open Pairs	<b>K M Smith Funeral Directors</b>
Wednesday	17	6.30 pm	Open Bowls	
Thursday	18	12.00 noon	Open Triples	<b>David Cunningham &amp; Cenzo's Cafe</b>
Friday	19		Raffles from 6.00 pm, drawn at 7.00 pm	
Saturday	20	12.30 pm	Open Social Bowls	
Sunday	21	10.00 am	Barefoot Bowls	
Monday	22	10.00 am	Barefoot Bowls	
Tuesday	23	9.00 am	Ladies Day Open Bowls	<b>MyCare Physiotherapy</b>
Tuesday	23	6.15 pm	Corporate Bowls	
Wednesday	24	8.30 am	Open Pairs	
Wednesday	24	12.30 pm	Open Pairs	<b>Peter Donovan</b>
Wednesday	24	6.30 pm	Open Bowls	
Thursday	25	12.00 noon	Open Triples	<b>Life Law Solutions</b>
Friday	26		Raffles from 6.00 pm, drawn at 7.00 pm	
Saturday	27	12.30 pm	Open Social Bowls	
Sunday	28	10.00 am	Barefoot Bowls	
Monday	29	10.00 am	Barefoot Bowls	
Tuesday	30	9.00 am	Ladies Day Open Bowls	<b>Corrine McMillan MP</b>
Tuesday	30	6.15 pm	Corporate Bowls	
Wednesday	31	8.30 am	Open Pairs	
Wednesday	31	12.30 pm	Open Pairs	<b>Tricare</b>
Wednesday	31	6.30 pm	Open Bowls	