



Lawn bowling is a game of rolling asymmetric balls down a field to hit a smaller ball, called a jack. "I wish it was that simple!"

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## Fifty Years in the Making!

Celebrations at our club will go on for awhile as we ponder what has happened since 1960.

Our life member Dudley Coleman was there from the start and it is fascinating to hear him tell of how the club was started from scratch. I think we should arrange a few talks from Dudley on this subject.

We'll hear much more about the 50th as we go along, but why don't we all ask ourselves the question :

**"Where was I in 1960?"**

I would love you all to send me a note answering this question, but some of our younger members weren't around in 1960. I might just answer that question myself: -

"I turned 23 in 1960 and worked at the 103 Macquarie Street office of the E S & A Bank (now ANZ). I was mad keen on footy, cricket, basketball, squash and if I had any spare time on girls. I knew nothing about bowls except I had seen it played in Royal Park, Launceston.

**Where were you  
In 1960?**

Don't be shy, just drop me a line soon.

**The major event will be the 50th Anniversary Dinner on October 9th at the Claremont RSL Club. The list in the club rooms is quickly filling up, so get in early.**

If members have any or know former members who may have memorabilia about the club please contact me or an official and we can add it to the festivities.

At the dinner there will be music, a slide show and all kinds of fun and games plus a nice meal.

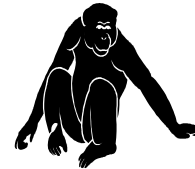
### BOWLS QUIZ



Where would you find the above club - Tasman Bowls Club?



(Easy) What do you associate this photo with?



### Don't Monkey About!

To celebrate the 50th Anniversary Dinner on 9/10/10 the organising committee have been auditioning acts that could perform on the night. Here are some that, sadly, missed out:

- Kenny Broomhead singing a selection of songs from the musical Hair.
- Alan Anderson and partner with their performance of Dancing with the Stars.
- Max Barry's discourse (with graphics) on how to mend a Maytag washing machine..
- Michael Pursell....well, he just stands there for 15 minutes.
- Archie Wallace plays 'Scotland the Brave' on the Vuvuzela



"Which end do you blow, Archie?"

I understand it was a very hard decision not to allow any of the above to perform on Saturday 9/10/10!

## Selectors for 2010-2011

Div One- Wayne Lampkin  
 Div 2- Alan Anderson  
 Div 3 R Tony Wallner  
 Midweek Wayne Lampkin

It is hoped we can have a policy paper on selection procedure and duty rink responsibilities. This could be added to other lists of protocol.

We will let you know who the Ladies selectors are soon.

### Q & A

We plan a regular column of question and answer on subjects revolving around Bowls.

*If you think you know all, I think you still should be ready to learn!*

# Coming Events

- Thursday evenings at the club a meal will be available. We want this to become a regular event from now on. Come and join us.
- Saturday 9th October 2010 Saturday Pennant begins.
- 50th Anniversary Dinner at the Claremont RSL Club on Saturday 9th October 2010.

## Presentation Night More Photos

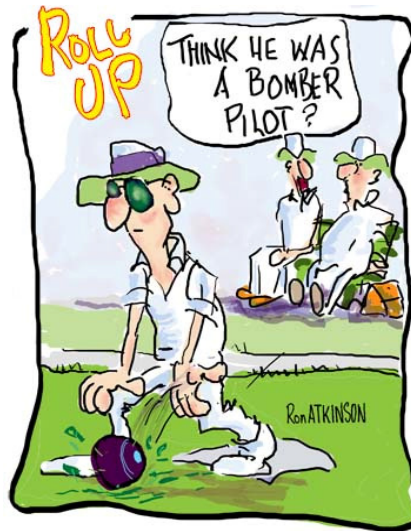


Now you may think that Professor Mike Pursell has constructed the following article. I leave it up to your own decision.

### Hypnotherapy in Sports; Thursday, October 09, 2008 Improve Your Lawn Bowls

If you want to improve your performance on the Bowling Green why not look to your subconscious mind for help. We are conceived with certain abilities and Sports Hypnosis will not add to those abilities - it can however help you make the most of the abilities you are born with....

The game of bowls requires great mental concentration, coordination and above all else consistency. Your mind and body have to get in the zone and work in sync to get your bowl to the very spot you require and this skill requires concentration and focus. For some of us this can be difficult to achieve in the heat of the moment. Sports Hypnosis is a very effective approach due to it's training your mind to work in sync with your body. You remain focused on your target no matter how many people are watching you or the stress of the particular competition.

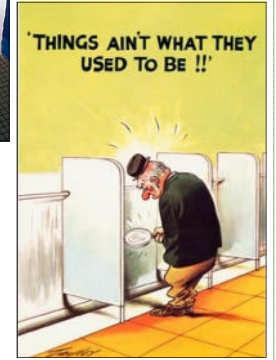


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# Laugh Up!



New security measures in the men's toilet.



What to Say When Things Don't Go Quite Right

- In great attempts, it is glorious even to fail
- It's not the size of the dog in the fight, but the size of the fight in the dog
- I'm not bowling, I'm helping to flatten the green
- Damn this air-conditioning
- You wouldn't have won if we'd beaten you
- I just let my mind wander, and it didn't come back
- I've had amnesia as long as I can remember.

Some popular books on the great game of Lawn Bowls are

'**THE TOUCHER**' by Chalky White.

'**SHOT BOWL**' by Jack S Close.

'**OUT OF BOUNDS**' by Peg Sayso.

'**WRONG BIAS**' by Little Ringo Cincide.

'**GONE TOO FAR**' by A Ditcher.

Historical evidence has been found that William Tell and his family were avid bowlers (known as lawn bowling at the time). However, all the league records were unfortunately lost to antiquity. Thus we'll never know for whom the Tells bowled.

New to Henselite's product range is the real lilac-coloured Toucha to partner the original white Toucha.

Visible on white bowls Easy to use and apply- \$9.20 RRP:

Approved by Bowls Australia. Or see 'Bucky', who will give you a spray!

