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The 50th Anniversary Dinner
9/10/10
Bookings are coming in fast. We
request payment ASAP, please

Important Message from Secretary Len and Treasurer Mike

Subs are starting to roll in. In the
meantime bills keep coming, so your
early attention to your subs would
help cover these.

The swear tin is on the bar counter
for a special reason. We would like
to see the tone in the club rooms
lifted, so that it becomes a pleasant
place for all. It is quite simple to
manage our language and attitudes—
when you feel like driving, just try a
smooth flowing draw shot.

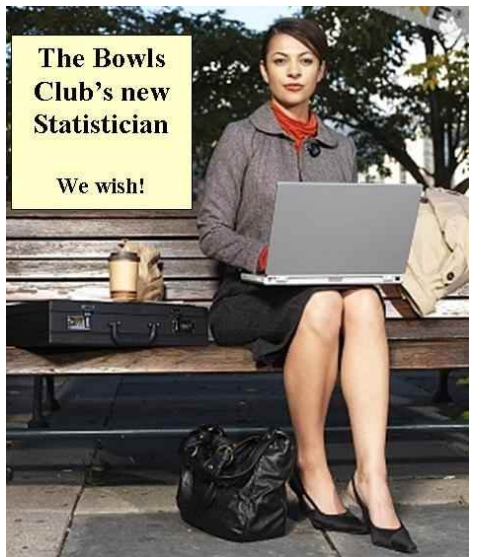
Don't Monkey Around

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INGO WARE!

His name cannot be revealed
for fear of reprisals, he is
banned from every Bingo ma-
chine in Southern Tasmania, he
lurks in the shadows, he has
been accused of witchcraft, he is the **Bare-
Faced Bingo Bowler**.
Despite the introduction of security cameras
and police the Bare-Faced Bingo Bowler
recently entered the CBC disguised as a
humble bank manager and took charge of the
Bingo Machine. This happened over 2 weeks
and for an investment of \$2.50 the machine
has already coughed up \$126.00.
All bowls clubs are asked to be on the look-
out for the B-F-B-B.
Due to his fame he now has two books in the
top 10 (*How to Win at BINGO & How to
Make ARCHIE MAD*) and is writing a fur-
ther 3 before Christmas.

A change in personal has been advised to
become effective next season.



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Message from
President Max.

**Please
support
our
Thursday's
Hot Pot**

The next board
meeting is on 16th
August 2010. If
you have any
matters you wish the board to look
at please advise Secretary Len
Fletcher soon.

Not More Bowls Jokes?

- At the team meeting the selector
said: "I vote we train on Thurs-
days" A voice from the back said:
"What, every Thursday?"
(And that may be one of our problems!)
- He hasn't got the highest IQ at
the bowls club, which probably
explains why when the selector/
coach said: "What are you like at
drawing?" He replied: "You give
me a paint brush and easel & I'll
show you."

INDOOR BOWLS FINAL

Len Fletcher sends this message: -
"We suffered a heartbreaking defeat last
night.
Josh Tegg's team of 'Boof' Tegg, Greg
Wheeler and young Jacko
Ellis had a great win.
But Cam Tegg's team of
Phil Willis, Myself and
Phil Powe could not over-
come our opponents from
Derwent City by enough
to take the win.
Everyone tried their hard-
est but Lady Luck was not on our side this
night. We went down with classic Clare-
mont fighting spirit."
Cheers Len



**Two Henselites drinking at a bar.
One says: "What do you think about
all the coloured bowls in the game?"
The other replied: "Don't you know
all Henselites are colour blind."**

BOWLS QUIZ

Answers to last week's quiz were.
Q1. 1960 or thereabouts
Q2. Majority said it had slipped their
minds.
Q3. Non of the suggestions were right, it
was 1921.

So we will make the questions a little eas-
ier this week.
Q1. Who is the Bare-Face Bingo Bowler?
Q2. Which skip in Division one last season
scored the most wins?



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.
- Thursday 7th October – Casserole Night at the Club Rooms. (bring a casserole or pay \$5.00)
- Saturday 9th October 2010 Saturday Men's Pennant begins.
- 50th Anniversary Dinner at the Claremont RSL Club on Saturday 9th October 2010.
- Tuesday 19th October 2010 Ladies Roster begins.

Later in the season the club want to promote bowls by running a fair

dinkum Bare Foot Bowls Event every week on Wednesday evenings.

All members are asked to advertise this event when details are published.



An appeal will be established to help rebuild the Penola Bowling Club in South Australia after a tornado ripped through the facility last weekend.

The natural disaster happened at dusk on Saturday, leaving a multi-million-dollar damage bill across the community.

Following a number of phone calls to Bowls SA from fellow clubs pledging support to help rebuild the Penola Bowling Club, the state association has decided to set up an account to help facilitate the massive mission.

Donations can be forwarded to Bowls SA marked 'Penola Bowling Club Benefit Account' and would be gratefully accepted.

Just imagine if CBC was wiped out by such a disaster. Perhaps we could set up a donation box, or some fundraising.

COMMERCIALISM IN BOWLS

The bowls companies have taken giant steps in the last 10/15 years. We now have more choices of type, colour and the more narrow bowl. Making this choice has, of course, become more difficult. Here are a few examples of the description Bowls manufacturers give their products.

Alfa Bowls (Galaxy)

ALPHA is a full fit bowl with a unique non-slip grip to provide bowlers with superior hand comfort. Comfort in the hand is a major factor in achieving consistent performance.

ALPHA has been tried and tested on all types of surfaces and in all conditions by Australia's leading bowlers with consistent glowing reports. The steady curved arc and flat finish to the jack are a feature of ALPHA. ALPHA has a holding line for on-shots and an even draw to the jack, especially for dead draws, allowing it to perform to perfection on weighted shots. A combination of precision engineering and advanced design has given the Alpha its superior stability in windy conditions. (can you believe it?)



And for the ultimate in footwear

Asics Gel Hot Jack

Lawn Bowls Shoes

ASICS now ventures into the lawn bowls market after popular demand from bowlers wanting a quality shoe for their chosen sport. This new shoe to the sport offers incredible inner comfort and feel.



As well there is

Asics Hot Kitty Lawn Bowls Shoes

**Try Wilgrip.
Gives a great grip
Water proof qualities
Extra Tackiness
The ultimate grip.**



NB From now on the 'toucher' colour is Lilac.



Bowls Biz



Menstrie Bowling Club lies at the foot of the Ochil Hills. The panoramic backdrop gives rise to a convivial game of bowls. The village of Menstrie is one of the Hill-foot villages which stretch along the A91 road to St. Andrews and is 6 miles from the historic town of Stirling. A fifteen minute car ride takes you to the M9 motorway and from there it is only a 30 - 40 minutes to Glasgow and Edinburgh. The popularity of Menstrie is born out by the many new houses springing up in the village.



Q and A

The laws of Bowls are quite long, so we can only mention a few and suggest you go online and download the full set of International rules & the Australian Domestic rules.

The following are Australian Domestic Rules

2 Bowls

2.1 Distinguishing marks on bowls (Law 8.1.5)

2.1.1 The distinguishing marks on a bowls should be clearly visible from a distance of 1.5 metres.

2.1.2 In addition to the manufacturer's name, a sponsor's name and/or a personal name and/or a club name can be engraved on that same side of each bowl.

2.1.3 If the grooved rings and/or dimples are coloured, each bowl in the set should be coloured the same.

3 The game

3.1 Requirements for playing on the same rink on the day of a competition or game (Law 12.4)

1 A player should not play on a rink on which he/she is drawn to play in another game that day.

2 If a player has already played a game earlier in the day, he/she should not play another game on the same rink on the same day.

3 This regulation will not apply to televised, grand prix or other Bowls Australia nominated events.

More coming up in the future