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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1 LTBC SPONSORS DAY DAY LIGHT SAVING BEGINS	2 MIDWEEK PENNANT PRACTICE 9.30 SOCIAL BOWLS 12.30	3 100 up Women	4 100 up Men	5 SOCIAL BOWLS 12.30	6 Pennant practice and Coaching 4 pm	7 WDPA TRIPLES DAY 1 Pennant practice 10 am
8 WDPA TRIPLES DAY 2 100 UP GF ?	9 MIDWEEK PENNANT PRACTICE 9.30 SOCIAL BOWLS 12.30	10 MWEEK PENNANT R 1	11	12 SOCIAL BOWLS 12.30	13 Pennant practice and Coaching 4 pm ENTRIES CLOSE MIXED PAIRS 4PM	14 W'END PENNANT R1
15 WDPA MIXED PAIRS DAY 1	16 MIDWEEK PENNANT PRACTICE 9.30 SOCIAL BOWLS 12.30	17 MWEEK PENNANT R 2	18 MIXED PAIRS	19 SOCIAL BOWLS 12.30	20 Pennant practice and Coaching 4 pm	21 W'END PENNANT R2
22 WDPA MIXED PAIRS DAY 2	23 MIDWEEK PENNANT PRACTICE 9.30	24 MWEEK PENNANT R 3	25 MIXED PAIRS	26 SOCIAL BOWLS 12.30	27 Pennant practice and Coaching 4 pm	28 W'END PENNANT R3
29 WCR REGION SIDES TRIALS	30 MIDWEEK PENNANT PRACTICE 9.30 SOCIAL BOWLS 12.30	31 MWEEK PENNANT R 4	1	2 SOCIAL BOWLS 12.30	3	4



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- Pennant Selection : Midweek** Val Grundy, Doreen Prout, Jenny Brown, Peter Sagnol, Margaret Fleming,
- Weekend :** Jenny Brown, Robert Prout, Steve Grenfell
- Social Bowls :** Brian Uebergang, Robert Prout, Peter Sagnol
- Tournaments/ Club Events :** Karen Burgess, Doreen Prout, Marian Treweek, Ian Prout
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- Club Uniforms :** Doreen Prout, Marian Treweek
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- Newsletter editor :** Marian Treweek



SEPTEMBER NEWS

SPONSORSHIPS: Most of our previous sponsors have come back on board for the 2023-24 season. New sponsor Mortlake Road BP Service Station will be contributing some gift vouchers. Pontings have donated a wheelbarrow once again for the Christmas raffle.

GROUNDS COMMITTEE : The resurfaced green is running around 15 seconds and is regarded well by members and visitors. The lines are being repainted in readiness for the coming season. Pot holes in the car park have been filled and the surplus gravel removed.

STRATEGIC PLANNING : Board members to review with some items being completed. eg resurfacing the green. Club policies are to be reviewed and updated progressively.

GENERAL MEETING Thursday 21st September

31 members were in attendance, with 8 apologies.

Playing Rules :

* A player must not step onto the mat to play their bowl until the preceding bowl has come to rest.

* In a knock out competition, if the match reaches a point where one team cannot win, the match must cease immediately.

* it is preferable that a bowl from a neighbouring rink must be stopped and replayed rather than lifted (if it is on correct bias)

Clean Up after Social bowls:

To spread the load, it was suggested that those playing on rink one in the last game of the day, are asked to clean the kitchen, putting away the tea, coffee etc, wiping the benches and turn on dishwasher.

Pennant Selections:

*All selections will be based on merit - playing performance and not gender or age.

*Players will be given two weeks to settle in to new playing roles.

*Wherever possible everyone nominating to play pennant and available will be selected for at least one game per week.

*Players are asked to practise specific lengths at practice. Ditch to ditch, "T" to 21m and mat at 21m mark to jack on the "T". This practice is to include rolling the jack as well as playing the bowls.

*If players do have issues with selections, please don't talk about them to others. Come to a selection meeting and discuss any issues with the selectors. Selectors will meet Midweek on Tuesdays at 4:00 pm and Weekend on Mondays at 5:00 pm. No appointment necessary.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY FOR OCTOBER

Chris Gleeson Wendy Howlett, Margaret Rowbottom (li)
Peter Geehman Trevor Hirst



VALE - STEWART OWEN - LIFE MEMBER

It is with sadness I report the recent passing of club stalwart Stewart Owen aged 97 years. Stewart and his wife, Clarice, were members of Lawn Tennis Bowls Club for many years. Stewart was influential in keeping the club in existence, applying for grants for the synthetic green. He was club champion in 2009-10 and president for five terms. Sincere sympathies to his family.

WLTC Twilight Bowls

Working and can't get to Monday & Friday practice?

Want an extra practice session?

Wanting to give bowls a try?

Come along to Twilight Bowls

Wednesday 8. 15. 22 & 29 November

6:00pm

Bring a friend or work mate to give bowls a try too.

\$5.00 includes a sausage sizzle.

Last year we trialled Twilight Bowls. It was aimed at working and new bowlers. We had approximately 12 people each night and hopefully more this year. Some of our Corporate Cup bowlers expressed an interest in coming along. If you know someone who wants to give bowls a try bring them along !!

We value our sponsors' contribution to our club. Please support these businesses and mention LTBC !

PLATINUM Level



GOLD Level



Silver Level



Bronze Level



GROUP BOOKINGS and SPECIAL EVENTS

Keep an eye on the club noticeboard at the front of the clubrooms if the green is unavailable due to group bookings or WDPA State Events. We have two groups booked in already on 8th and 29th of October. These bowlers provide valuable extra income for the club. Bar staff are usually required.

MEMBERS NIGHTS Fridays from 5pm.

Come along for a chat, a drink and some nibbles.

Weekly raffle.

Lucky members' draw at 5.45 pm



CLUB EVENTS 2023- 24

The Tournaments and Events committee have planned a schedule of club events for the season. Tournaments are to be finalised when all of our sponsors are known.

As per last season, first round matches are to be played on day 1, unless permission is sought from the committee because of prior appointments, work commitments etc. Entry fees of \$6 are to be paid prior to closing date, using clearly labelled envelopes into the box provided in the clubrooms.

Play in the first club event, the 100 Up, is progressing well, with matches in both Men and Women up to semi finals. The grand final is to be played on Sunday 8th October commencing at 1.30 pm

The next club event is the Mixed Pairs. Play to commence on 18th October with grand final to be played on Friday 17th November. Entries close on Friday 13th October at 4 pm.

SOCIAL BOWLS

Brian Uebergang and Robert Prout



28th August : Ian Prout, Bob Wood, Sean Verdon, Gwenda Shaw

31st August : Martin Brown Doreen Prout

4th Sept : Greg Howlett, Bob Crispe, Monte Inia

11th Sept : Peter Verdon, Barb Hill, Brett Murray

14th Sept : Rob Treweek, Dennis Daley, Don Jasper, Trevor McKinney

18th Sept : Trevor McKinney, Don Jasper, Steve Granfell, Colin Inverarity

21st Sept : Rob Treweek, Doreen Prout, Don Jasper

25th Sept : Bryan McLeod, Charlie Pickett, Mick Finn

28th Sept: Colin Inverarity, Monte Inia, Val Grundy

PENNANT

Pennant season is nearly upon us. Midweek begins Tuesday 10th October and Weekend on Saturday 14th October.

Midweek practice Mondays from 9.30 am .

Weekend Fridays from 4pm.

The selectors would like bowlers to practise with a purpose varying the lengths and jack positions.

For late emergency withdrawals

Midweek - Jenny Brown 0402 189 718

Weekend - Robert Prout 55620466 or 0490 863 952