

HEADLINES

NEWSLETTER OF THE DALKEITH NEDLANDS BOWLING CLUB



Never good to have to farewell a long standing member. It's goodbye to Noel Reynolds an active club member for some 12 years. He and wife Kathy are off to Melbourne to join children and grandchildren. Moonee Ponds !! The home of Dame Edna. We wish them well.

Good to report though, we have picked up a couple of promising recruits. Julian Brown, a younger brother of Jesse, looks as though he might have played the game before and has had a big impact already as a top team skipper. Exciting ! Another is a newcomer to bowls in David Fitzgerald who has taken to it like a duck to water. He has a good sporting pedigree, mostly in cricket, and it shines through with his enthusiasm and ambition to succeed. Our future is looking good.

Congratulations to Andrew Foster - our new Club Singles Champion for the men.

PRESENTATION DINNER **Wednesday April 19th**

This is a big night for us with awards presented and pennants hopefully displayed. We expect a full house for this one.

Our wonderful Social Committee, aware of some comments on sameness and cost are trying a new format for this occasion. There will be no need to nominate in tables so those without partners for the night can feel very comfortable in booking.

Our generous sponsor in Grand Cru will provide us with a welcome drink and some great wine specials for the night.

BOWLS GOSPEL ACCORDING TO PETER (continued)

8.. Scoring a "One" or going down a "One" are both OK, especially early in a game. By aggressively trying change the situation we invariably worsen it.

9. (And my favourite) When issuing instructions, please refrain from stating the obvious..... such as "take more grass". It is implying that they are blithering idiots and can't work it out for themselves. Maybe by indicating passively with an arm movement can convey the message. If you still feel the need to say something do it on the cross over.

10. Leaders should try not to be a hero. If your opponent gets one on, your job is to get one close rather than try to remove the shot bowl and invariably finish well out of the head when you have missed it. Bowls in the head are crucial.

11. Accept shots from teammates that don't go according to plan.

12. Body language plays an important part in team play. Be aware of how you display disappointment. If unhappy discuss on cross over.

13. Be aware of capabilities of teammates when calling shots.

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Major sponsors **LEXUS** started their company Xmas function with a game of bowls at Dalkeith. The Isidora moment is captured with Andonia. Make a great ad.



Winners are grinners. Mixed teams from Dalkeith Nedlands filled 3 of the first 5 places at the Pickering Brook Fruity Fours but the best of the best was the Cross, Kelly combination who won the day. It's a fun day and everyone goes home with loads of fruit.

Well done members. The feedback from sponsors has been great. You are making it known you are from the club and that you appreciate the support they give us Keep it up, you are making my job easier. My dream is still an Acton belle listing or another Lexus Sale.

I am considering a fridge magnet style listing of our smaller suppliers of services such as electrician, podiatrist etc. Can you give me any leads for a plumber, painter, garden services, IT services, dentist, accounting etc

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