

GAZETTE - APRIL 2016.

ANZAC DAY SERVICE, BOWLS & HIGH TEA

Monday 25th April,
 12 noon rum rations,
 1.00 pm Service
 1.45 pm Bowls
 4.30 pm High Tea

MIXED BOWLS PROGRAMME FOR APRIL 2016

SUN	3	APR	All	1st Sun SAVILLS Cordeau Marshall H/cap Pairs		SAVILLS Cordeau Marshall
SUN	3	APR		Daylight Saving Ends		
SUN	10	APR	All	2nd Sunday Jackpot Mixed Pairs	TripleS	SAVILLS Cordeau Marshall
SAT	16	APR	All	State Pennants Grade 2 to 7	Rd 5	Zone 9
SUN	17	APR	All	3rd Sunday Mufti		SAVILLS Cordeau Marshall
SAT	23	APR	All	ANZAC DAY	TripleS	MULTIPLE SPONSORS
SUN	24	APR	All	Mixed Triples Championship	MT 3	
MON	25	APR	All	ANZAC DAY		

MAHJONG AND CARD DAY

Ladies and gentlemen come and play cards and/or Mahjong on the third Monday of each month, for April it is the 18th. It starts at around 10.00am, \$12 includes an excellent lunch and plenty of tea and coffee. Also if you would like to learn Mahjong, Jenny Wallis is only too pleased to teach you. Mahjong afternoons are on the first Monday of each month at 1.30pm and costs \$5. For more enquiries please ring **Jeanette Staniland 9489 5616**.

FOR SALE

A set of dark blue, size 0 Taylor Blueline, bowls .

Price \$250

Originally bought from Ken Wallis

Belonging to Robyn Neighbour – Ph; 9482 -2921

NOTE FROM THE CHAIRMAN

It is with real satisfaction that I can advise you that our Treasurer, Graeme McIntosh, has been persuaded to stay on in the role.

I'm sure you'll agree that this is particularly good news as he's done a splendid job for us these past 6 years and the loss of his expertise would have been a real blow to TBC.

*Thanks Graeme !
 Harvey Fuller – Chairman*

HANO's TeeBeeCee REPORT

FINANCIAL

- ◆ P&L covering the first eleven months of our 2015/16 financial year shows a loss of \$24,796 which is \$22,219 better than for the same period last year (i.e. loss of \$47,015).
- ◆ YTD **Profit** before allowing for noncash items (depreciation) is \$46,331.
- ◆ Total current assets of \$304,612 (\$303,882: 2015): This includes cash assets totalling \$271,076 (\$272,161: 2015) despite net Capital Expenditure (i.e. excluding GST) YTD of \$43,416.

HOUSE

- ◆ Gaming Machine Net Income is **up** by \$3,542 (2%) with turnover **increasing** by \$141,017 over the same period last year. Return to player for the year to date = 90.19%.
- ◆ Repeat article: The new arrangements with Treasury Wine Estates (TWE) have taken a longer than expected mainly due to our local rep resigning. Some specials remain for lines being discontinued so please continue to enjoy them while stocks last.

BOWLS & MEMBERSHIP (TB&MC)

- ◆ Position as @ 16/3/16 = Voting Membership 237, Social Membership 400: Total = 637.
- ◆ Welcome to our new bowling members Julie Briggs, Judy Cross and Ted Gorrod (returning to TBC after stints at both Hornsby and Mooney Mooney BC's) plus the eight (8) new social members.

BOWLS BACK ON FREE-TO-AIR TELEVISION

"The Sport of Bowls will return to free-to-air TV after a four-year hiatus, with a new weekly episodic program titled 'The Bowls Show' to air on SBS and SBS On Demand. It is to commence on May 15 (Sunday 1pm) and run for 20 consecutive weeks until September 25.

Regular segments on coaching, development, officiating, high performance and social bowls will be incorporated into the program. The Bowls Show is expected to give players, fans and newcomers an opportunity to engage and stay connected to their sport."

MEN'S BOWLING CLUB (TMBC)

- ◆ The Men's Club Grading Committee (comprising of three selectors and three committee members including Bob Abdallah as Chairman) have agreed on final grading of individual players for 2016 as displayed on the notice board. Further, teams entered for the 2016 Club Triples will need at least fourteen (14) with Club Fours requiring a minimum of twenty (20) graded points. Please note that this is on trial for 2016 only at this stage, with the aim of increasing participation in these two events: we only had thirteen (13) Triples and nine (9) Fours sides competing in 2015. The general acceptance by the majority of playing members is appreciated and hopefully some of our newer &/or lower graded bowlers will be 'picked up' by higher credentialed bowlers thus improving the overall participation in what should be an excellent learning / development experience for the majority of our players. On a personal note, I look forward to developing the players in my teams (if anyone will play with me). Remember the usual story "what's the use of entering when the top players are playing together: we cannot win!"
- ◆ The 2016 Club Pairs Champions are Kevin Strutchbury & Bill McMurdy having defeated Bryan Popplewell & Terry Gillett 22/15 in the final. Congratulations on a fine run by both teams.
- ◆ A reminder that the Savills Cordeau Marshall sponsored Handicap Pairs is conducted on the 1st Sunday morning of each month: All bowlers welcome: more ladies please with single entries welcome.

PRESIDENT'S REPORT FOR LADIES CLUB

Ladies pennants is now at the half way stage. The selectors have been challenged to keep teams on the green with some sickness and unavailability. It is pleasing to report that both sides are in the top half of their sections. Good bowling for the remaining games.

Thank you to the players who supported Easter Bowls and although the numbers were down a lot of fun and good bowls was enjoyed.

On Sunday 17th April Turramurra will host a training day for the NSW Team in preparation for their quest to play in the National Championships later in the year. Sandy is part of the NSW Team and will be training on the day. Please see the flyer later in the TBC.

The list is out for ANZAC Day please get your names down early to allow for catering.

Good bowling to all
Sue Hamilton President

MIXED BOWLS REPORT

The Mixed Triples semi-Final has been played and the Finalists will be Jan Baker, Peter Low & Sue Hamilton versus Judy Jenkins, Marilyn Brenner & Ced Lewis. The Final is scheduled to be played **on Sunday 24th April**, card call at 12.45p.m. An interesting game in prospect.

Easter Bowls on Saturday and Monday were both poorly attended with a lot of bowlers away or on family visits. Nevertheless, some interesting games were arranged with colourful shirts brightening up the green on Easter Monday.

The Mixed Fours Championship Semi- Finals will be played at a date to be arranged by the Skips involved. Earlier dates clashed with scheduled games.

The next Mixed Day will be **Anzac Day on Monday 25th April**. A short service will be conducted with the haunting 'Last Post' being played. It is on these days that those with military service will remember mates left behind in foreign lands.

Lest We Forget. **WP**

TWBC Major Singles winner Sue Hamilton with runner up Judy Jenkins



Subject: Arrival In Heaven

All arrivals in heaven have to go through a bureaucratic examination to determine whether admission will be granted. One room has a clerk who inputs computerized records of what each applicant did on his or her last day of life.

The first applicant of the day explains that his last day was not a good one. "I came home early and found my wife lying naked in bed. She claimed she had just gotten out of the shower. Well, her hair was dry and I checked the shower and it was completely dry too. I knew she was into some hanky-panky and I began to look for her lover. I went onto the balcony of our 9th floor apartment and found the SOB clinging to the rail by his fingertips. I was so angry that I began bashing his fingers with a flower pot. He let go and fell, but his fall was broken by some awnings and bushes. On seeing he was still alive I found super human strength to drag our antique cedar chest to the balcony and throw it over. It hit the man and killed him. At this point the stress got to me and I suffered a massive heart attack and died."

The clerk thanked him and sent him on to the waiting room. The second applicant said that his last day was his worst. "I was on the roof of an apartment building working on the AC equipment. I stumbled over my tools and toppled off the building. I managed to grab onto the balcony rail of a 9th floor apartment but some idiot came rushing out on the balcony and bashed my hands with a flower pot. I fell but hit some awnings and bushes and survived, but as I looked up I saw a huge chest falling toward me. I tried to crawl out of the way but failed and was hit and killed by the chest."

The clerk couldn't help but chuckle as he directed the man to the waiting room. He was still giggling when his third customer of the day enters. He apologizes and says "I doubt that your last day was as interesting as the two fellows that arrived here just before you."

"I don't know" replies the man. "Picture this, I'm buck naked, hiding in this cedar chest....."



From the Letters page of the SMH

Age-old deficiency

IT'S about time the authorities did something about older drivers on our roads.

For far too long older drivers have caused havoc as they hog the left lane, stick to the speed limits (even the road work limits) and stop at stop signs, causing great inconvenience and often preventing others from doing whatever they like.

Another major concern is that by avoiding fines and demerit points, they are not doing their bit for the revenue of our state, and are therefore placing a further burden on younger drivers.

Until older drivers can prove that they are proficient at weaving in and out of traffic, driving while texting, tailgating, using drugs or doing burnouts, they must be banned from holding a licence.

Doug Money, Oak Park



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It is with great pleasure that we present a \$500 donation to Turrumurra Bowling Club this month following the drawdown of a home loan by one of our customers associated with your club. The donation is made possible under our Referral Rewards Program - whenever a home or investment loan is drawn down we reward the participating community group that the borrower is associated with by making a \$500 donation. There is no limit to the number of referral rewards that a community group can earn under this program.

We encourage you to mention this program to your family and friends and to have them contact us to see if we can improve on the arrangement they have with their current mortgage provider or approve a loan for a forthcoming property purchase. In most instances the borrower will benefit from a better deal with savings made on their new or re-financed loan and Turrumurra Bowling Club will receive a \$500 donation - a perfect win win situation!

Blind Bowls (NSW/ACT)

Coaches, Directors and Players

FREE

Training Day

Do you know someone who is blind or has low vision?

Do they want to play a sport?

What can you see if you are blind?

How do you play lawn bowls?

How can I help?



A Free training and information session will be held on

SUNDAY 17th April

9:00 - 1130_{am}

Followed by morning tea

At Turrumurra Bowling Club

181 Bobbin Head Rd, North Turrumurra NSW 2074

Phone: 9144 2800

Please RSVP

Bruce Blackshaw divedad@optusnet.com.au

0412 611 180

MENS' AND MIXED BOWLS PROGRAMME FOR APRIL 2016.

SAT	2	APR	M	Zone Pennants	Rd 3	Zone 9
SUN	3	APR	All	1st Sun SAVILLS Cordeau Marshall H/cap Pairs		SAVILLS Cordeau Marshall
SUN	3	APR		Daylight Saving Ends		
WED	6	APR	M	Sponsored Day		SAVILLS Cordeau Marshall
SAT	9	APR	M	State Pennants Grade 2 to 7	Rd 4	Zone 9
SUN	10	APR	M	Major Singles Championships	C3	Zone 9
SUN	10	APR	All	2nd Sunday Jackpot Mixed Pairs	Triple	S SAVILLS Cordeau Marshall
WED	13	APR	M	Sponsored Day		EXCLUSIVE MEATS
SAT	16	APR	All	State Pennants Grade 2 to 7	Rd 5	Zone 9
SUN	17	APR	M	State Pennant (Catch up day round 1 to 5)		Zone 9
SUN	17	APR	All	3rd Sunday Mufti		SAVILLS Cordeau Marshall
WED	20	APR	M	Sponsored Day		MARIO'S CUCINA
SAT	23	APR	All	ANZAC DAY	Triple	S MULTIPLE SPONSORS
SUN	24	APR	M	Major Singles Championships	C4	SAVILLS Cordeau Marshall
SUN	24	APR	All	Mixed Triples Championship	MT 3	
MON	25	APR	All	ANZAC DAY		
WED	27	APR	M	Sponsored Day		GUARDIAN FUNERALS
SAT	30	APR	M	State Pennants Grade 2 to 7	Rd 6	Zone 9

LADIES' BOWLS PROGRAMME FOR MARCH 2016

Tue	5	APR		Pennants / Social bowls	R7	GUARDIAN FUNERALS
Thu	7	APR		Pennants	R8	
Tue	12	APR		Pennants / Social bowls	R9	ASNU GROUP OF TRADES
Thu	14	APR		Pennants	R10	
Tue	19	APR		Pennants / Social bowls	R11	IGA BOBBIN HEAD ROAD
	19	APR		Committee meeting		
Thu	21	APR		Pennants	R12	
Mon	25	APR		ANZAC DAY		
Tue	26	APR		Pennants / Social bowls	R13	TURRAMURRA COMMUNITY BANK
Thu	28	APR		Pennants	R14	

A wise person once said:

1. We all love to spend money buying new clothes but we never realize that the best moments in life are enjoyed without clothes.
2. Having a cold drink on a hot day with a few friends is nice, but having a hot friend on a cold night after a few drinks - Priceless.
3. Breaking News: Condoms don't guarantee safe sex anymore. A friend of mine was wearing one when he was shot dead by the woman's husband.
4. Arguing over a girl's bust size is like choosing between Molson, Heineken, Carlsberg, & Budweiser. Men may state their preferences, but will grab whatever is available.
5. A recent study found that women who carry a little extra weight live longer than the men who mention it.
6. On average, an American man under 75 will have sex two to three times a week, whereas a Japanese man the same age will have sex only one or two times a year. This is very upsetting news to most of my friends, as they had no idea they were Japanese!

NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC BEST PICTURES OF THE YEAR



Mums and their babies



Baby it's cold outside, give us a cuddle!

" And then do you know WHAT she said?"



"Gotcha!!"



GOLDRICK FARRELL MULLAN LAWYERS

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Can your grandchild claim against your estate?

Chapple v Wilcox [2014] NSWCA 392

This case concerned a claim by Robert Wilcox aged 43, for a share in his late grandfather's deceased estate. The Succession Act 2006 (NSW) allows 'family provision claims'. Under the grandfather's Will the sole beneficiary and executrix was the deceased's only child Patricia Wilcox, Robert's mother. Although Robert was not a beneficiary in the Will, he felt entitled to share in his late grandfather's estate so he took the case to court.

The trial judge ordered that Robert be paid \$387,000 from the grandfather's estate. Robert's mother Patricia Wilcox appealed the order although she died before the case was finalised. The New South Wales appeal court said in considering such family provision claims 'it is appropriate to have regard to "perceived prevailing community standards of what is right and appropriate". This may be an imprecise, variable and contestable standard.' The appeal court went on to say: 'Generally, a grandparent does not have a responsibility to make provision for a grandchild. That responsibility is not enlivened because a grandparent contributes to a grandchild's education or bestows considerable largesse on him or her. Something more than the existence of normal family relations and affections is required. The conferral of particular care and affection by a grandchild and his or her legitimate expectations of inheritance may be relevant to determining whether such an obligation exists.'

The appeal court set aside the whole award and ordered Robert to pay costs.

Make sure your estate planning is in order. Contact us. We can help.



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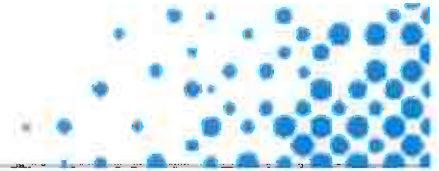
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The Englishman and the Scotsman

An Englishman says to his friend, the Scotsman, that he has a perfect way of eating for free in restaurants.

"I go in at well past 9 o'clock in the evening, eat several courses slowly, linger over coffee, port and a cigar. Come 2 a.m., as they are clearing everything away, I just keep sitting there until eventually a waiter comes up and asks me to pay.

Then I say: 'I've already paid your colleague, who has left.'"

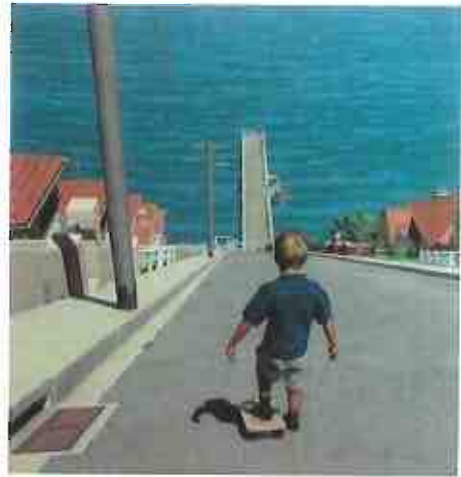
The Scotsman is impressed, and says: "Let's try it together, this evening."

So the Scotsman books them into a restaurant and come 2 o'clock they are both still quietly sitting there after a very full meal. Sure enough, a waiter comes over and asks them to pay.

The Englishman just says: "I've already paid your colleague who has left."

And the Scotsman adds: "And we are still waiting for the change!"

WHY BOYS NEED PARENTS



FRIDAY NIGHT MENU



From 6.00pm to 8.00pm

**MEMBER BENEFIT DISCOUNTS APPLY
THROUGH USE OF YOUR CURRENT MEMBERSHIP CARD**

Entrees & Extras

Prawn Twisters (4 pieces with Sweet Chilli Sauce)	\$ 7.50
Salt & Pepper Calamari (6 pieces)	\$ 7.50
Bowl of Chips	\$ 4.00

Main Meals (include chips, salad, bread roll, dessert & tea/coffee)

Barramundi - pan fried	\$19.00
Chicken Schnitzel	\$17.00
Prawn Twisters (10 pieces with Sweet Chilli Sauce)	\$15.00
Salmon Steak - pan fried	\$19.00
Salt & Pepper Calamari (12 pieces)	\$15.00
Sausage (1) - barbecued with onions	\$12.00
Sausages (2) - barbecued with onions	\$13.00
Seafood Basket	\$16.00
Steak - barbecued with onions	\$21.00
Vegetarian	\$10.00

Child's Meal - 12 & Under

Chicken Nuggets & Chips <u>OR</u>	
Fish Cocktails & Chips	
Plus Ice-cream and topping	\$ 7.00