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From the President (by Sam Katsivas)

As the new season unfolds, there will be many events approaching so please keep your ears and eyes open so that you do not miss out on important news and happenings around the club, especially during the coming weeks as we count down towards season launch.

Season Launch Event ... 19 September

At our season launch event on **Tuesday evening 19th September** where we will welcome our existing members and induct our new ones, I will make available and speak about the **“Three Pillars of Success”** document which has been developed in response to the need to identify what we stand for as a club and where we see our pathways for future success.

On the back of this document the board has also developed a new **CODE of CONDUCT** practice which is both explicit and mandatory and clearly sets out the behavioural expectations of the club.

If you would like an early copy to read so you become familiar with the requirements, both documents are now available to download from the administration page of our website. Here is a direct link to that page <http://www.lockleysbowlingclub.com.au/administration/>.

Both documents will also be available in hard copy on 19th September.

In terms of my own wish list as President, I am asking all members to draw a line in the sand and move across that line and into the future together, with goodwill and understanding towards your fellow club members. It would give me no greater pleasure than to see everyone embracing the ideals we are striving to meet, and to come together as a bonded and united club.

If we accomplish that, it will become our greatest strength, and I guarantee it will spill over into our performance on the greens.

Bar Fridges

I would like to send a special shout-out to **Lyal Mutton** and **Glenn Miles** who used their collective carpentry acumen to rotate the northern bar fridge, so it now also faces the main hall.

A few saw cuts here and there, the removal of panels which were reinstated on the other side and some filler appropriately applied, and we have a job that is now completed and very professional.

This will make the bar operation far more effective and hopefully result in quicker service to members and visitors alike.

In addition to the high quality of the work, Glenn and Lyal have saved the club several thousand dollars, based on the quotes we received to outsource this to the “professionals”.

Thank you to both Lyal and Glenn – you are true club people.

Bowls Report (from Ash Halls)

Selectors

The most recent Bowls Committee meeting ratified the selection group for the coming season. The group will be led by Chair of Selectors Chris Flavel.

Selectors David Aust, Jorge Regidor-Yanez, Lyal Mutton, Darryl Rebbeck and Bob Winen will have primary responsibility for selection of Saturday and Wednesday sides, whilst Sue Coultas and Joe Ziniak will have primary responsibility for Thursday selections.

To make the selection group complete, we would like someone from our **Saturday Division 6** team to assist, so if you're able to help, please talk to Chris Flavel or myself.

Pre-Season Trials

Formal trials for Wednesday will commence on 13 September. For Saturday, they will commence on 16 September.

Joe Ziniak (women's coach) and Sue Coultas will advise when Tuesday practices and Thursday trials commence.

Trial dates are:

WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	SATURDAY
13 September ... Internal Trials		16 September ... Internal Trials
20 September ... @ Henley and @ home		23 September ... v Henley
27 September ... Internal Trials		30 September ... Internal Trials (AFL Grand Final Day)
4 October ... @ Woodville	5 October ... @ Grange	7 October ... v Grange (home)

WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	SATURDAY
11 October ... Internal Trials	12 October ... v Club Holdfast	14 October ... Round 1
18 October ... Round 1	19 October ... Round 1	

In addition, the Premier team (squad) has been invited to play in a four team round robin at Woodville on Sunday 24 September.

Lists will soon go on the notice board and I ask all of you to nominate which trial dates you will be available for.

Please mark the correct dates in a neat and legible manner ... let's make it as easy as possible for the selectors to consider the right people on each day.

Other pennant matters

- We have nominated the same number of sides as last year ...
4 on Wednesday, 2 on Thursday and 5 on Saturday.

But, this season we have requested that our Wednesday and Saturday sides play half at home and half away each week.

With some teams playing at home each week, we hope this will encourage more players to return to the club after away games ... and we would like those playing at home to stay around until players from other teams return to the club.

At the most recent Board meeting, we endorsed the re-introduction of a "Lucky Members" draw to be held at 6.30pm each Saturday during the season.

- Changes to the Premier division competition this season will see the Premier side play 4 Friday night games, 2 Sunday afternoon games and 1 Saturday night game.

That means there will be seven Saturdays when the rest of the club is playing that the Premier side will not.

I am strongly encouraging all pennant players to support other sides across the club and across the whole season. Premier side players to be supporting teams on their "free" Saturdays and I hope that players from the other teams will support the Premier side when they're playing at those other times.

Player Development

We kicked off the Winter Clinic last Friday and Saturday morning and over twenty members attended one of the sessions. This will run for another four weeks.

Members who missed the sessions last week but who would like to take part are still welcome.

If you would like to attend, please be at the club by 9.45am on either Friday or Saturday.

Anthony Moffatt and I are running the Friday morning sessions, whilst Chris Flavel and Joe Ziniak are running the Saturday sessions. Stephen Jones is also providing support.

Anthony and I are also looking to continue Friday morning sessions beyond the five weeks and to have tailored development programs throughout the season.

Festival of Bowls

Lockleys will host the Festival of Bowls in early January. Proposed dates are Thursday 4-Jan, Friday 5-Jan and Sunday 7-Jan. There is a Premier pennant game scheduled for 6-Jan although other grades don't play until the 13-Jan.

Club Super Challenge

We will be nominating at least two teams for the Club Super Challenge which will commence on Sunday 12 November. A list will be on the notice board for you to express your interest.

State Events

Please consider entering State events as it's a great way to develop your bowls.

All the information you need is in the following five event flyers.

STATE MIXED PAIRS

Registrations for the 2023-24 State Mixed Pairs are open.
Here's your chance to challenge yourselves against other mixed pairs from across South Australia! This is a tournament for everyone, not just the elite. You may get a surprise at how well you match up. Winning this event gains entry into the National Championships to compete against other State Mixed Pairs Champions.

Sectionals – Sunday, 22 October 2023
Knockouts – Sunday, 29 October 2023
Finals (Finals Week) – Saturday, 27 April 2024

Register by 24 September 2023 online
bowlssa.com.au/events/state-mixed-pairs-2/
or call us at Bowls SA on 8234 7544

Start Time: Trial ends commence at 9:15am
Play commences at 9:30am
Format: 2x2x2x2
Region Qualifying Rounds – Sectional* – 15 ends
Region Qualifying Rounds – Knockouts* – 15 ends
**Finals – Knockout – 15 ends

*Games per day can vary from 2, 3 or 4 and are subject to the amount of entries for this event.
**Finals to be played Adelaide Metro area.
Communications will be via your email

STATE EVENTS

BOWLS SA

STATE TRIPLES

Registrations for the 2023-24 State Triples are open.

Find two other players and get yourself entered for a chance at becoming a State Champion! This is a tournament for everyone, not just the elite. You may get a surprise at how well you match up. Winning this event gains entry into the National Championships to compete against other State Triples Champions.

Sectionals – Sunday, 5 November 2023

Knockouts – Sunday, 12 November 2023

Finals (Finals Week) – Monday, 29 April 2024

Register by 8 October 2023 online
bowlssa.com.au/events/state-triples-2/
or call us at Bowls SA on 8234 7544



Start Time: Trial ends commence at 9:15am

Play commences at 9:30am

Format: 2 bowls each player

Region Qualifying Rounds – Sectional* – 18 ends

Region Qualifying Rounds – Knockouts* – 18 ends

**Finals – Knockout – 18 ends

*Games per day can vary from 2, 3 or 4 and
are subject to the amount of entries for this event.

**Finals to be played Adelaide Metro area.

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STATE FOURS

Registrations for the 2023-24 State Fours are open.

This is a popular event for mates to get together and battle it out to become State Champions! Don't think this is only for the top players, you may get a surprise at how well you match up. Winning this event gains entry into the National Championships to compete against other State Fours Champions.

Sectionals – Sunday, 26 November 2023

Knockouts – Sunday, 3 December 2023

Finals (Finals Week) – Sunday, 28 April 2024

Register by 29 October 2023 online
bowlssa.com.au/events/state-fours-3/
or call us at Bowls SA on 8234 7544



Start Time: Trial ends commence at 9:15am

Play commences at 9:30am

Format: 2 bowls each player

Region Qualifying Rounds – Sectional* – 15 ends

Region Qualifying Rounds – Knockouts* – 15 ends

**Finals – Knockout – 15 ends

*Games per day can vary from 2, 3 or 4 and
are subject to the amount of entries for this event.

**Finals to be played Adelaide Metro area.

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STATE SINGLES

Registrations for the 2023-24 State Singles are open.
Now's the time for you to shine in our State Singles Competition! Don't think this is only for the top players, you may get a surprise at how well you match up. Winning this event gains entry into the National Championships to compete against other State Singles Champions.

Sectionals – Sunday, 25 February 2024

Knockouts – Sunday, 3 March 2024

Finals (Finals Week) – Friday, 26 April 2024

Register by 28 January 2024 online
bowlssa.com.au/events/sports-centre-state-singles-2/
or call us at Bowls SA on 8234 7544



Start Time: Trial ends commence at 9:15am

Play commences at 9:30am

Format: 4 bowls per player

Region Qualifying Rounds – Sectional* – 21 shots up

Region Qualifying Rounds – Knockouts* – 21 shots up

**Finals – Knockout – 21 shots up

*Games per day can vary from 2, 3 or 4 and
are subject to the amount of entries for this event.

**Finals to be played Adelaide Metro area.

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OVER 60'S PAIRS & MIXED PAIRS

Registrations for the 2023-24 State Over 60's Pairs & Mixed Pairs are open.

Calling all Over 60's bowlers!

Specially for you, now is your chance to participate in our Over 60's events to be played in the Adelaide Metro Area. Players from across South Australia are encouraged to participate and enjoy this week of bowls.

Pairs Sectionals & Knockouts – 6 & 7 May 2024

Pairs Finals – Wednesday, 8 May 2024

Mixed Sectionals & Knockouts – 9 & 10 May 2024

Mixed Finals – Saturday, 11 May 2024

Register by 7 April 2024 online
bowlssa.com.au/events/state-over-60s/
or call us at Bowls SA on 8234 7544



Start Time: Trial ends commence at 9:15am

Play commences at 9:30am

Format: 3x3 Bowl

Region Qualifying Rounds – Sectional* – 15 ends

Region Qualifying Rounds – Knockouts* – 15 ends

Finals – Knockout – 15 ends

*Games per day can vary from 2, 3 or 4 and
are subject to the amount of entries for this event.

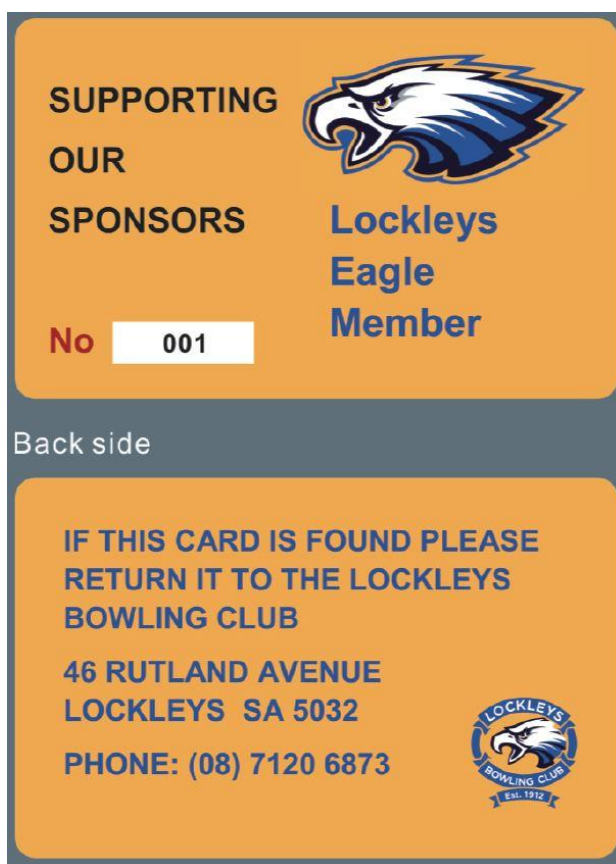


Marketing & Sponsorship News (from Theo Katsivas)

As we approach the commencement of the new season, sponsors are being contacted to renew their sponsorship of our club. We have only had a couple of them renewing to date but the M & S Committee will continue to work hard on your behalf to get as many sponsors on-board as possible.

If any member has a relationship with any business person or someone working in a government department, a simple introduction to me can lead to a mutually beneficial sponsorship arrangement with the club. Villani Jewellers is a perfect example where the business has benefited positively from its sponsorship with the club.

And finally for this month ... a reminder to members who have not yet provided their Membership Card number to Club Secretary Nicole Siokos, please do so as soon as possible. Once we have confirmed all current members card numbers, we can complete this task and launch our rewards program.



Do you, a family member or a friend want to bring a business to the attention of Eagle Wrap readers, Lockleys members & supporters or the wider bowls community. If so, speak to Theo about a tailored marketing or sponsorship package.

Social News (from Karen Bishop)

Christmas in July Dinner was attended by 55 members who enjoyed a four-course dinner with all the trimmings. We had a visit from Santa Claus who gave away prizes in a free raffle.

Appreciation and a big thanks go to our volunteers for the night:

- ★ Rhonda – chief cook and caterer, what a mammoth task. Great job Rhonda.
- ★ Michael and Dean – waiters extraordinaire
- ★ Sandra and Nicole – our wonderful kitchen assistants
- ★ Sue and Michael – great bar service and providing raffle prizes
- ★ Nicole – aka Santa Claus for a fun raffle draw
- ★ Darryl, Rhonda, Sandra – helping to clean up Saturday Morning

LADIES FASHION SHOW

Tuesday 12 September 2023

Arrive at 9.30am for a 10am start.

Designs by Dressed 4 Success

Devonshire morning tea

Door prizes and raffles

Tickets only \$12

Please register via the noticeboard sheet as soon as possible ... that will help greatly with planning

Other events planned for the first half of the season are ...

- a BBQ dinner after the first home game of the season (date to be advised),
- Melbourne Cup lunch on Tuesday 7th November 2023, and
- an end of year dinner on Saturday 16 December 2023.

If you can help on the day of any of the above events, please let one of Social Committee members know ... Karen Bishop, Sue Hogan, Rhondra McMullen or David Aust.

And please, contact any of us if you would like to join the committee.

Got any ideas for a fun night at the Club? Pop us an email at social@lockleysbowlingclub.com.au

Facilities News (from Glenn Miles)

Inside

Members will be pleased to see the northern fridge in the bar has been turned around so serving should become a little quicker in the future.

Thanks to Lyal and Glenn for making this happen.

The chiller/compressor in cool room reached its life expectancy and has been replaced. Many thanks to the West Torrens Council.

"We're Hiring"

HELP WANTED



Our wonderful team of volunteer greens helpers have a vacancy that they'd like to fill.

Like Pam Davies did 2 seasons ago, if you have the time and the inclination, here is a great opportunity to help the club in an invaluable way ... and learn the art of greens from a crew with so much knowledge to share.

The Greens Rollers crew is Geoff Ellis, Peter Thaler, Pam Davies and Darryl Cowling.

Please speak to Peter Thaler or Daryl Cowling for more details.

Treasurer's Report (from Tony Holder)

Have you paid your subs?

REMINDER - club subs for the 2023-24 season were **due by 30 June 2023**.

Have you lodged your membership renewal form?

Also we have received several membership forms indicating that payment would be made by EFT, or EFTPOS, but payment has not been made. It has obviously been overlooked. If you intended to pay by EFT, or EFTPOS, please check that you have not overlooked payment.

Only financial members are eligible for trials and selection.



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Upcoming tournaments—links to the flyer

[Saturday 9 September 2023 — Open Fours @ Barmera](#)

[Sunday 17 September 2023 — Open Fours @ Salisbury](#)

[Monday 18 September 2023 — Open Fours @ Willunga](#)

[Monday 18 September 2023 — Ladies Fours @ Tranmere](#)

[Monday 25 September 2023 — Ladies Fours @ Grange](#)

[Sunday 2 October 2023 — Mixed Pairs @ Happy Valley](#)

[Monday 2 October 2023 — Open Skins @ Novar Gardens](#)

[Sunday 8 October 2023 — Open Fours Prawn Day @ Club Holdfast](#)

[Sunday 8 October 2023 — Open Fours @ Modbury](#)

[Sunday 8 October 2023 — Open Fours @ Torrensville](#)

[Sunday 15 October 2023 — Open Fours @ Murray Bridge](#)

[Sunday 15 October 2023 — Skins Open Fours @ Tranmere](#)

[Monday 23 October 2023 — Men's Fours @ Aldinga Bay](#)

[Monday 30 October 2023 — Ladies' Fours @ Prospect Broadview](#)

[Friday 3 November 2023 — Open Fours @ Yankalilla](#)

[Monday 13 November 2023 — Men's Fours @ Prospect Broadview](#)

[Monday 11 December 2023 — Men's Fours @ McLaren Vale](#)

Do you want to hear about tournaments earlier? If so, please advise Stephen Jones of your email address who is compiling a distribution list for the on-forwarding of tournie flyers as they come to his notice.

In the meantime, if any of the above are of interest to you and you are struggling to fill a team, please speak with Stephen Jones on 0401-991-980 ... he might be able to help.

If you are “very” interested or keen to hear about club tournaments, such as those listed above, let me know by email esanjay26@gmail.com and I will give you an early “heads up”.

ICYMI (In case you missed it ...)

[Drake Supermarkets Community Dollars app instructions](#)

What's do you do with your empties?

If you don't do it already, why not bring your empty recyclable bottles & cans to the club, place them in the black plastic crates near the bar so that the club gets the container deposit refunds.

When you think about it, unless you're a big drinker or a hoarder, you might be spending more in petrol getting to the recycling centre yourself than you get in your pocket.

Just another small way you can help your club!

Got any photos or slides of Lockleys Bowling Club from “yester-year”?

If you have, or during a general tidy up at home come across, an old photo or two or some sort of LBC memorabilia, please think about bringing it to the notice of the Editor for (possible) inclusion in a future *Eagle Wrap*.

Lockleys Classified ... Buy Hold Sell Donate

If you would like to place a simple classified ad or request in the newsletter, please speak to the editor Stephen Jones or contact him via 0401-991-980 or esanjay26@gmail.com

And finally ...did you hear the one ..?

Historians have recently discovered that Annie Oakley, famed sharp-shooter of the Old West, had a sister.

The sister, Carrie, gained some renown in her day as a singer in various saloons throughout the West, but it was not until after her death that she was very widely known.

Today, countless bars are dedicated to Carrie Oakley.

Pictures for senior people



Your Club

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Eagle Wrap editor —Stephen Jones (**feedback & suggestions** to esanjay26@gmail.com)

Editor's Prerogative

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<https://www.lockleysbowlingclub.com.au/news-events/newsletter/>

