



# PLEASANT NEWS

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## Ladies' & Men's State Teams

Lisa Brannan and her team did us proud in the State Fours held at Tweed Heads in October winning 3 out of 7 games, drawing 1 and losing 3. They were the only team to defeat Queensland who were the winners on the day.

Well done Ladies'

Our WA. Men's team also won 3 out of 7 games  
"GO WA"



## Over 60's Pairs

Sally Thompson and Mary Thomas entered the Over 60's Pairs. They played 3 quality teams at North Beach. They didn't get through their section but had a good result. A great experience.

Congratulation Girls

## From The President

### C. Green Update

C. Green was successfully repaired today by Evergreen.

I'd like to extend my heartfelt thanks to everyone at the Club for making this year a great success. A special thank you to all the hardworking volunteers who have contributed to raising funds for the purchase of new bowls from Aero. These will be invaluable for hosting schools and Barefoot Bowls visitors.

We're excited about what 2025 will bring and look forward to an even bigger and better year ahead!

Merry Christmas to all.

## Mixed Fours

Three of our newest members Marianne and Paul Nelligan and Ethan Carrothers and Margart Kermode won the Mixed Fours. Runners Up were Anne Banks, Michelle Farmer, John Woods and Norm McLean.

Well done Everyone



## York Gala Day

Lisa Brannan, Marg Booth, Cheryl Cocodis and Trish Hall (from Manning) won the Ladies Gala Day at York on the 21st November.

Well done Ladies



## Eight Badge

Congratulations to Michelle Farmer, Cathy Paxton, Lisa Nelson and Angela Dane who won an Eight Badge on Saturday 9th November

Great Job Girls

## Women's and Men's Fours

The Women's and Men's Fours Finals were held on Sunday, with Lisa Brannan, Marianne Nelligan, Coralie Biddiscombe and Mary Thomas winning the Ladies section.

The winners for the Men were John Muller, Paul Nelligan, John Woods and Norm McLean

Congratulations to you all



## Reminder

A reminder to ALL team members who are the "Duty Team" that day — ALL the team are on duty, not just the ladies. If it is an Open Gender team, everyone must arrive in time to help set up for the game.

## Selection Committee

To all bowlers,

Just a quick update on how we're tracking four weeks into the season:

### **Tuesday Competitions:**

- Division 1 White: **2nd**
- Division 2 Red: **1st**
- Division 2 White: **6th**
- Division 3 White: **9th**

### **Women's Saturday Competitions:**

- Division 1 Red: **2nd**
- Division 2 Lemon: **6th**
- Division 3 Pink: **1st**

Fantastic effort so far — keep up the great work, everyone!

### **A few reminders to keep in mind during games:**

1. **Measuring:** Only the thirds should be involved in measuring. Please stay out of the head and avoid removing any bowls that might need to be measured until the head has been declared.
2. **Etiquette at the Head:** Stay quiet and still at the head, and refrain from commenting on opposition bowls at any time.
3. **Calling the Head:** Skippers and thirds should communicate clearly and confidently.
4. **Bowls Management:** All players should assist in kicking bowls to keep the game flowing smoothly.

Let's continue to support each other, play with respect, and enjoy our bowls. We have a few members playing in their first Pennant Season and thoroughly enjoying it, which is what it is all about — that is apart from **WIN, WIN, WIN.**

### **Go Mt Pleasant!**

Jana, Donna, and Kaye

## Men's Pennant Update

### Thursday Competition

Open Gender

3 Division Red : 3rd

4 Division Red: 7th

5 Division White: 3rd

### Saturday Competition

Open Gender

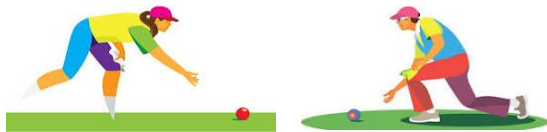
3 Division White 4th

5 Division White 9th

Great effort so far—keep going

## Coaches Corner

If you are new to the game or want to better your game, get in touch with our coaches Gail Worley on 0402 415 940. Or, Barry Elliss on 0411 512 134.



# Volunteers...

have a  
special touch



Special thanks to all our volunteers. Without them the club would not run smoothly

## New Members

### New Members

**We warmly welcome to the Club**

*Full Members* – Marion and Peter Brophy

*1<sup>st</sup> Year Bowler* – Mark Meyers

*Social Bowler Members* – James Galvin, Chris Musto, Keith Williams

We hope that you will enjoy many happy years of bowling at Mt. Pleasant Bowling Club.

*Social Members* – Kevin Anderson, Judy Bailey, David Bell, Ian Birch, Christine Blake, John Cain, Matthew Cain, Wendy Cometti, Michael Cook, Gail Della-Marta, Teneille Dartnall, Kim Doak, Peter Ewers, Bridget Farmer, Jo Ferrie, Gregory Ginbey, Donna Gordin, Andrew Graham, Lynnette Graham, Beverley Harrison, Lisa Holland, Nicola John, Karen Jones, Brett Kehoe, Sam Lim, Kees Maatman, Mark Mackenzie, Lisa Martin, Leonie Meacock, Sean Mullins, Andrew Munyard, Christine Musto, Will Musto, Ross Newton, John Norup, Karen Oehme, Chris Pearson, Cherie Pedersen, Neeta Pollard, Diane Rankin, Jeff Richards, Maia Roberts, Chris Rollings, Doug Smith, Justin Taylor, Peter Trend, Darryl Walker, Ashanthi Wanigaratne, Glen Weir, Jane Weir, Toby Williams, Tess Walmsley, Alan Wilson, Mark Wyatt & Carl Young.

**Thank you for joining us.**

## Up Coming Events

### Giant Christmas Hamper -

Donations would be appreciated

### Bunnings Family Christmas Event -

5th December

### Mt Pleasant Gala Day–

6th December

### Pennant players Christmas Windup -

21st December after Saturday's Pennant game, Partners welcome - BYO share plate.

# All Saints' College and Mt Pleasant Primary School



Over a two week period in October we hosted 55 children from All Saints' College and 70 children from Mt Pleasant Primary School as part of their School Bowls Program. It's been another great year supporting these Schools while promoting both the sport and our Club!

A big thankyou to all the volunteers who contributed to the success of this program



## Barefoot Bowls

Social Members kick off your shoes & enjoy

**FREE BAREFOOT BOWLS**

*On Friday's during summer  
(Dec, Jan, Feb)*

Non members pay just \$10 pp

Great fun & all equipment is provided.



## Sausage Sizzle



A very successful Sausage Sizzle was held on the 6th October raising over \$2400.

A huge thank you to everyone who helped out on the day.



A special thank you to Gail's granddaughter, Harper, for her help on the day.

Well done to all involved!

## Open Day

A fun Open Day was held on the 12 October followed by a Sausage Sizzle. Thank you to those who organized the event.



*If you hear me say,  
"I put it in a really safe  
place," just know  
you'll never see "it"  
again*



11.1K  
540

Message Grandma Life



## Christmas Hamper

We are seeking donations for our Giant Christmas Hamper Raffle. A box will be situated near Chase the Ace area next week.

If you feel you have any suitable items, your donation will be greatly appreciated



## Fashion Parade

Our Fashion Parade was held on the 14th October with 106 ladies attending. Over \$1800 raised including \$430 in raffle sales. A very enjoyable day.

Thank you to everyone who helped out with the catering, setting up & selling raffle tickets.

Special thanks to all our lovely models and Donna for volunteering her time working behind the Bar.



# Special Event

## Melbourne Cup

Starlight Property Group joined us for the day and generously donated some fantastic prizes—thank you for your support!

A big round of applause to Bernie for doing a great job as M.C., and to Barry and Geoff, our trusty bookies, for their efforts. A special thank you also goes to Bridget and her team for providing a sumptuous meal that everyone enjoyed.

A fun time was had with our very own Horse Race and Fashions' on the field.

Well done to all who contributed to making the event such a success!



## Firies

We held our challenge with the Firies on the 22 September which was a great success.

Money raised goes to the Children Burns Unit. Many thanks to everyone involved.



## Friday Nights at the Club

Come along to the Club on Friday nights, and taste the delicious meals by our chef Bridget. Kitchen open from 5.30pm to 7.30pm

Happy Hour is from 5pm to 7pm.

“Chase The Ace” which is at \$850  
1 Drink = 1 Ticket  
1 Bottle Wine = 3 Tickets

Lucky Members Draw and Meat Raffle are drawn at 6.30pm



Chase The Ace



Lucky Members

You must be there to win.



## **Special Birthday Wishes**

To Bridget our Chef who turned 50 and to Margaret Kermode and Susan Allen for their special day



## September Menu

Sample of what's on the menu. Each week there are changes



## Eggs for Sale

Jumbo free range eggs 860gm will be available at the club

Only \$7.00 per dozen with \$1.00 from each dozen going to your club.



There is an order book behind the bar or you can ring Brian Dowd on

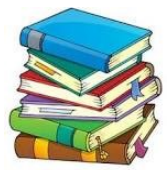
0412 527 208.



Payment at the Bar.

## Books

Please leave unwanted books in the book area or call Brian Dowd on 0412 527 208 and he will pick them up. All books welcome.



To help get our club out to the community please follow us on Face Book. [www.mtpbc.org.au](http://www.mtpbc.org.au)

## Steve Nankiville;

It's great to see past president Steve Nankiville at the club enjoying a beer and supporting our bowlers. Sometimes he says he's a little "Out of Order"



## Gala Day

**Como Bowling and Recreation Club Inc**  
invite you to attend

**MARCH  
MAD HATTER  
LADIES GALA DAY**

**SPONSORED BY  
LUPICA PLUMBING**

**Save the Date: Friday 28 March 2025**

**COST \$100 PER TEAM  
INCLUDES  
A GREAT DAY OF LAWN BOWLS  
MORNING TEA, LUNCH AND AFTERNOON TEA**

Prizes for best "Mad" Hatter,  
1st, 2nd and 3rd place and Round Winners  
Entry forms to follow  
or email [comobowls@gmail.com](mailto:comobowls@gmail.com)

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## Obituary

### **Jim Welsh 1940-2024**

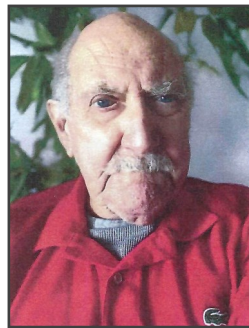
Jim will be remembered with affection and respect by members who knew him.

When he and his wife began a cleaning business, they took on the job of cleaning our club beginning in 1978. After his wife passed away nearly 30 years ago, Jim continued with the cleaning and then joined as a bowler. He organized the Bar, cleaned the beer lines, dealt with the kegs and worked behind the Bar. Our club was always spotless.

He usually arrived each morning at the Club around 7am and could be located if we followed his humming. In England he played a guitar in a group called the Avalons and his love of music continued.

Jim retired from the cleaning side of things in 2010 but continued with his bowls until his health began to fail. He was an extremely good Champion bowler in the top Division but was very modest about his ability.

He was made a Life member in recognition of his



contribution to the club. He was much loved by his family of four children, 14 grandchildren and quite a few great grandchildren.

We were fortunate to have known him.

On behalf of Mt. Pleasant Bowling Club we would like to express our sincere condolences

No matter how you feel. Get up. Dress up. Show up. And never give up.

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Paula Barry and 43 others  
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