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## Welcome

Welcome to the May edition of the Bowls NSW Newsletter!

This month, we celebrate all the winners and runners-up from the Single Gender Pennant State Finals. All four Men's and Women's divisions delivered exceptional performances while bringing together sides from all across New South Wales.

Entries are now open for Rookies Qualifying and the Over 40s Pairs. Don't miss your chance to participate—register now and be part of these great events!

We are also excited to announce that Bowls NSW has three nominees in the 2024 Sport NSW Community Sports Awards.

Dilys Kindleysides has been nominated for Volunteer Director of the Year, Glen Morrison for Volunteer Sports Administrator of the Year and The Bowls NSW State Championships for Community Event of the Year.

Finally, we continue to shine a spotlight on some of our fabulous local coaches who have made significant contributions to the sport.

## Single Gender Pennant State Finals



The Bowls NSW Single Gender Pennant State Finals took place from 21 to 23 May, with four Men's and Women's Divisions competing in venues spread across New South Wales.

We extend our heartfelt thanks to the host venues, their staff and dedicated volunteers and the players for their contributions to this successful event.

A special thanks to our event sponsor, BCiB Insurance Brokers, for their continued support. As we showcase the winners and runners-up from every division, we'd like to congratulate all clubs who participated in the event!



# Men's Division 1



The Bowls NSW Division 1 Men's Pennant finals took place at Club Charlestown and Lambton Bowling Club, showcasing top-tier competition and sportsmanship.

After three intense rounds of sectional play, Cabramatta and Raymond Terrace emerged as the finalists.

The final match was a nail-biting affair, with both teams giving their all on the greens. Spectators were treated to a display of high calibre bowling and moments of brilliance from both sides.

In the end, Raymond Terrace clinched victory over Cabramatta with a narrow 36-34 win.

## Raymond Terrace 36 Cabramatta 34

Rink	Raymond Terrace		Cabramatta
1	22	Def	13
2	14	Def By	21





# Women's Division 1



The Bowls NSW Division 1 Women's Pennant finals were held at Club Charlestown and Lambton Bowling Club. This year, the participating teams were Belrose, Cabramatta, Castle Hill, Charlestown, Cowra, Forster, Park Beach, Raymond Terrace, South Tamworth, Taren Point, Warilla, and Windsor.

Over three rounds of sectional play, the competition was fierce and the standard of play exceptional. But it was Cabramatta and Charlestown who emerged as the finalists. Both teams displayed remarkable skill and determination, making it to the much-anticipated final showdown.

The final match was a high-quality affair, and Charlestown kept pace with Cabramatta right until the end when the Bullants pulled away to win 45-31.

**Cabramatta 45  
Charlestown 31**

Rink	Cabramatta		Charlestown
1	22	Def	20
2	23	Def	11





# Men's & Women's Division 1





# Women's Division 2



## WOMEN'S DIVISION 2 WINNER CHARLESTOWN

The Women's Division 2 Pennant finals were held at Soldiers Point Bowling Club.

At the end of sectional play, Beresfield, St Johns Park, West Dubbo and Charlestown topped their sections to earn their place in the semi-finals.

The semi-finals were tightly contested, with St Johns Park taking on Beresfield and Charlestown facing West Dubbo. In a display of skill and determination, St Johns Park triumphed over Beresfield, securing their spot in the final.

Meanwhile, Charlestown delivered a strong performance to overcome West Dubbo, setting the stage for a highly anticipated final showdown.

The final between Charlestown and St Johns Park did not disappoint. Both teams played with exceptional skill and sportsmanship, but it was Charlestown who ultimately came out on top. With a final score of 43-32.

### Charlestown 43 St Johns Park 32

Rink	Charlestown		St Johns Park
1	17	Def By	19
2	26	Def	13

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## WOMEN'S DIVISION 2 RUNNER-UP ST JOHNS PARK





# Men's Division 2



The Division 2 Men's Pennant finals at Cabramatta Bowling Club brought excitement and competition to the forefront.

In the semi-finals, Cabramatta faced off against Gunnedah, with the Bullants proving too strong on this occasion winning 50-20. Meanwhile, West Dubbo took on Towradgi Park, displaying remarkable prowess and determination to claim their spot in the final.

The final match between Cabramatta and West Dubbo was a thrilling conclusion to the tournament. Cabramatta triumphed over West Dubbo with a score of 59-29, clinching the Division 2 Men's Pennant title.

Congratulations to Carbramatta for their impressive win and to all teams who participated in the competition.



## Cabramatta 59 West Dubbo 29

Rink	Cabramatta		West Dubbo
1	33	Def	10
2	26	Def	19

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# Men's & Women's Division 2





# Men's Division 3



The Men's Division 3 Pennant Finals at Belrose Bowling Club was an exciting and closely contested event.

Wenty Leagues, Bega, Cabramatta, and Moree Services advanced to the semifinals.

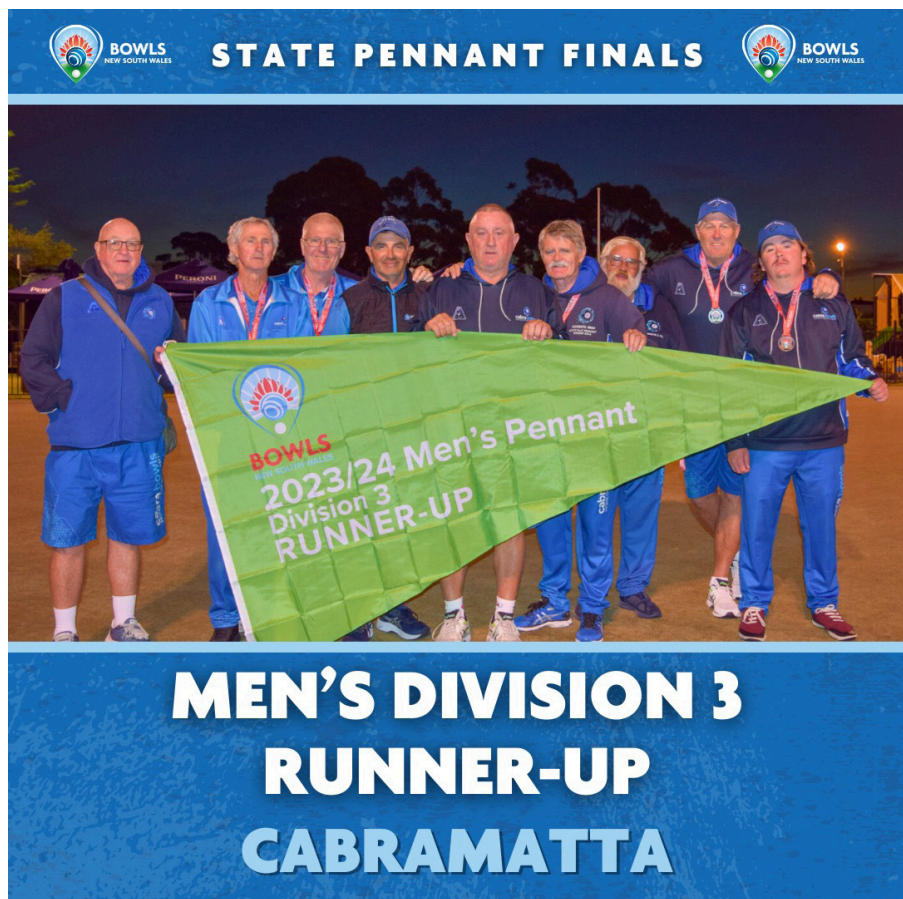
In a gripping semifinal match, Bega faced Wenty Leagues. The game was fiercely contested, going to two extra ends before Bega secured a hard-earned victory.

Meanwhile, Cabramatta took on Moree Services in another intense match. Cabramatta emerged victorious, earning their place in the final.

The final between Bega and Cabramatta was a nail-biter. The scores were tight throughout, and once again, the match extended to two extra ends. Ultimately, Bega triumphed with a score of 40-37, clinching the Men's Division 3 Pennant title.

## Bega 40 Cabramatta 37

Rink	Bega		Cabramatta
1	19	Drew	19
2	21	Def	18





# Women's Division 3



## WOMEN'S DIVISION 3 WINNER TEA GARDENS

The Women's Division 3 Pennant Finals at Cherry Street Bowling Club in Ballina was an exciting event.

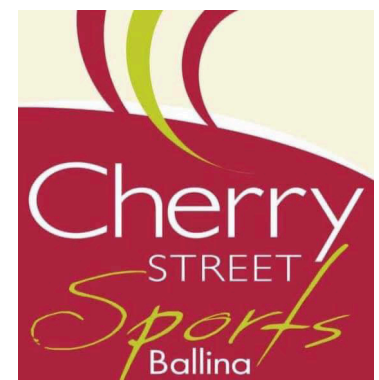
In the first semifinal, Tea Gardens faced West Tamworth. Tea Gardens displayed remarkable skill, securing the win to advance to the final. In the second semifinal, Tuncurry Beach went up against Marks Point. Tuncurry Beach emerged victorious, earning their place in the final showdown.

In the final between Tea Gardens and Tuncurry Beach, it was Tea Gardens who dominated the game early, and never let up until the finish.

Despite Tuncurry Beach's efforts, Tea Gardens maintained a strong lead throughout the match. The final score was 56-31 in favour of Tea Gardens, crowning them the Women's Division 3 Pennant champions.

### Tea Gardens 56 Tuncurry Beach 31

Rink	Tea Gardens		Tuncurry
1	27	Def	12
2	29	Def	19



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## WOMEN'S DIVISION 3 RUNNER-UP TUNCURRY BEACH





# Men's & Women's Division 3





# Women's Division 4



The Division 4 Women's State Pennant Finals at Bateau Bay Bowling Club concluded with thrilling matches and outstanding performances.

In the semi-finals, Lake Cargelligo showcased their skill by defeating Toongabbie. Simultaneously, Hamilton North triumphed over Cabramatta, securing their spot in the final.

The final match between Hamilton North and Lake Cargelligo was a display of superb bowling. Hamilton North dominated the game, winning with a score of 55-27.

Thank you to Bateau Bay Bowling Club for hosting such a well-organised event and to all the volunteers and officials who ensured everything ran smoothly.



## Hamilton North 55 Lake Cargelligo 27

Rink	Hamilton North		Lake Cargelligo
1	27	Def	18
2	28	Def	9

  
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# Men's Division 4



The Division 4 Men's State Pennant Finals at Armidale City Bowling Club saw some intense competition.

After three rounds of sectional play, the teams from Fairy Meadow, Wallerwang, Kew, and Scone advanced to the semi-finals.

In the semi-finals, Wallerwang triumphed over Fairy Meadow in a gripping match, while Kew secured a solid victory against Scone. The stage was set for a thrilling final between Wallerwang and Kew.

The final match did not disappoint. Both teams played with great skill and tenacity, keeping spectators on the edge of their seats. In a closely contested game, Kew emerged victorious, narrowly defeating Wallerwang with a final score of 39-36.

## Kew 39 Wallerwang 36

Rink	Kew		Wallerwang
1	13	Def By	23
2	26	Def	13





# Men's & Women's Division 4





# Sport NSW Community Sports Awards

## Bowls NSW Finalists in 2024

## Sport NSW Community Sports Awards

Sport NSW has announced the finalists for the 2024 Sport NSW Community Sports Awards, and Bowls NSW is proudly represented with three major nominations.

First, the 2024 Bowls NSW State Championships have been nominated for Community Event of the Year. This nomination is a testament to the hard work and dedication of everyone involved, from the diligent office team to the tireless volunteers on the ground.

In the individual categories, Dilys Kindleysides has been recognized as a finalist for Volunteer Director of the Year.

Additionally, Glenn Morrison from West Dubbo is a finalist for Community Sports Administrator of the Year.

The Awards will be presented on Wednesday, 19 June 2024, at CommBank Stadium in Parramatta. During the ceremony, the 12 Community Sports Award category winners and Distinguished Long Service Award winners will be announced by Hon. Stephen Kamper, NSW Minister for Sport.

Bowls NSW congratulates all the finalists and looks forward to celebrating these well-deserved honours.



Bowls NSW President Dilys Kindleysides with Dawn Hayman



Bowls NSW Volunteer of the Year Glen Morrison



# Senior Inter-Zone Championship

## Zone 9 Win Senior Inter-Zone Sides Championship



Senior Inter-Zone Championship Winners Zone 9

Zone 9 clinched the 2023/24 Senior Inter-Zone Sides Championship, defeating last year's runners-up, Zone 2, in the final held at NBC Sports.

The match started with both teams evenly matched across all three rinks with just two shots separating the teams after 18 ends. A significant turning point came when Colin Green's team on the livestream rink secured a crucial seven-shot haul against Eric Ryan's side, pushing Zone 9 to a 28-17 advantage after 21 ends.

Zone 2 mounted a strong comeback over the next 10 ends, closing the gap to just two shots. However, another five-shots to Green's team allowed Zone 9 to solidify their lead as they started to surge ahead across all three rinks. Despite Zone 2's



Senior Inter-Zone Championship Runner-up Zone 2

efforts, they couldn't bridge the gap, and Zone 9 emerged victorious with a final score of 67-50.

Congratulations to Zone 9, Zone 2, and all the teams that participated in another successful Senior Inter-Zone Sides Championship.

The excitement continues as the Open Inter-Zone Sides Championship begins this Saturday, 1st June.

To view the full Senior Inter-Zone Championship Results visit the Bowls NSW website.



# Inter-Zone Sides Championship

All below matches streamed via the Bowls NSW Facebook page- [facebook.com/bowlsnsw](https://facebook.com/bowlsnsw)  
and Youtube channel- [@BowlsNSW](https://@BowlsNSW).



## Live Streaming



Inter-Zone Sides Championship  
1 - 3 June 2024



Day	Time (approx)	Event	Streamed Matches
1 June	8:30am	Round 1	Josh Berry, Ben Winther, Nathan Wise & Brett Spurr (Zone 12) v Nathan Molloy, Mark Wheatley, Lee Trethowan & Darren Morrison (Zone 15)
1 June	1:00pm	Round 2	Johnno Watson, Damien Miller, Tim Crampton & David Quigley (Zone 8) v Ethan Scott-Branagan, Michael Cleaver, Scott Sheppard & Matt Blackburn (Zone 9)
2 June	8:30am	Round 3	Michael Phillips, Jayden Gebbie, Nick Cahill & Carl Healey (Zone 12) v Stephen Galvin, Daniel Stanley, Warren Towney & Blake Bradtke (Zone 4)
2 June	1:00pm	Quarter Final	TBD v TBD
3 June	8:30am	Semi-final	TBD v TBD
3 June	1:00pm	Final	TBD v TBD



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# Job Opportunity

## Part Time Groundsman | St Johns Park



St Johns Park Bowling Club is a leading employer in the hospitality industry in South-Western Sydney. We are now seeking a Groundsman to join our team.

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Contact Anthony Cottee by email [anthonymc@sjpbowling.com.au](mailto:anthonymc@sjpbowling.com.au) or phone 02 9426 1108

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# Over 40's Pairs



The Over 40's Pairs is back again for another year, with entries into Qualifying Rounds now open!

The Over 40's Pairs is open to players in New South Wales aged 40 years and over to 59 years and below as at October 27, 2024 (born between 28 October 1964 and 27 October 1984). Pairs teams can consist of two women, two men or one woman and one man.

Teams must consist of two players from the same club. Players from separate Men's and Women's sub-clubs of the same Bowling Club are eligible to enter as a team. Qualifying will take place at venues across all 16

Regions, with qualifying venues to be announced at the same time as the event draw.

Entries are now open and close on Wednesday 24th July 2024. Qualifying Rounds will take place from Saturday 7th – Sunday 8th September 2024.

[Click here to enter the Over 40's Pairs](#)

[Click here for more event information](#)

## Over 40's State Finals Hosting EOIs Open

Is your club interested in hosting the Over 40's Pairs State Finals?

EOIs for hosting the 2024-25 Over 40's State Finals are open! Click the link below for more information.

NSW Over 40's Pairs Hosting EOI Information

EOIs close Wednesday 24 July 2024. Contact [match@bowlsnsw.com.au](mailto:match@bowlsnsw.com.au) for more information and to submit an EOI.



# Rookies Qualifying Entries Open



Entries are now open for the 2024/25 Bowls NSW State Rookies events! Always one of the most popular events on the Bowls NSW calendar, the Rookies is the perfect event for new bowlers to meet and compete against other players.

The event will be played across Singles and Pairs formats with the State finals to take place from 21 – 24 November at Raymond Terrace Bowling Club.

Regional qualifying for the Rookies Singles will be held on 17-18 August

and Rookie Pairs qualifying will be held from 12-13 October. Venues for all Regional Qualifying will be confirmed at a later date after entries have closed.

To be eligible to play, players must not have been a bowling member of a club (anywhere in the world) before 1 April 2022 and must not have played in more than one year of Rookies Competitions in previous years. (May have played in one year only of Rookies in 2022-23 or 2023-24).

Previous State winners are ineligible to enter in that discipline. Singles

players and Pairs teams must enter qualifying within their own Region.

Entries for the Rookie Singles Qualifying close on 3rd July, and entries for the Rookie Pairs Qualifying close on 28 August.

For more information or to enter go online at,  
<https://bowlsnsw.com.au/rookies/>





# Bowls Australia's National Integrity Framework



Bowls Australia is committed to maintaining the integrity of lawn bowls through its comprehensive National Integrity Framework. This framework addresses critical issues such as ethical conduct, member protection, anti-doping, and match-fixing to uphold the sport's values.

## Key policies include:

### Member Protection Policy:

Ensures a safe, respectful, and enjoyable environment by addressing harassment and abuse.

### Anti-Doping Policy:

Promotes fair competition by adhering to national and international regulations.

Match-Fixing Policy: Prevents result manipulation to maintain the sport's integrity.

### Child Safeguarding Policy:

Protects young participants and promotes their welfare. Additionally, the framework incorporates an independent complaints handling process to ensure impartial and fair resolution of issues. By adopting these policies, Bowls Australia aims to create a safe and equitable environment for all participants, from grassroots to elite levels.

Significantly, Bowls NSW has also adopted this framework, replacing its previous Member Protection

Policy (MPP). This alignment ensures consistent standards across the sport, reinforcing trust, fairness, and respect within the lawn bowls community.

This initiative is part of a broader national effort to uphold the integrity of all sports, ensuring that lawn bowls remains a sport built on these core values.

For more details, visit the Bowls Australia website  
<https://www.bowls.com.au/>





# Spotlight on Coaches and Officials

## Ian and Anne Moyes | Pennant Hills



Ian and Anne Moyes have been members of Pennant Hills Bowling Club for a relatively short time, but they have already made a significant impact. Their energy and enthusiasm are truly infectious. Ian is dedicated to the growth of our club and is passionate about providing opportunities for everyone to engage in the sport of bowls.

Ian has revitalized Twilight Bowls after a long break, offering the public a chance to try bowls and giving club

bowlers an evening time to play. This event runs 35 weeks a year on Wednesday nights. Additionally, Ian and Anne organize Jack Attack, an exciting competition for new bowlers held twice a year. Organizing these events involves extensive preparation, including advertising, securing sponsorships and prizes, arranging teams, and managing the competitions.

Ian has also reached out to local high schools to promote bowls to

the next generation. Thanks to his efforts, four schools now offer bowls as an elective sport. Ian, with help from Anne and other club members, organizes and runs these coaching sessions, dedicating 234 hours a year to this initiative. As a retired sports teacher, Ian excels at engaging with the teenagers, providing tips, encouragement, and praise. He has already identified some promising young bowlers, a few of whom have joined our club.

Youth tournaments, held twice a year at Pennant Hills Bowling Club for youth from the Sydney region, are also organized by Ian and Anne. These events require a great deal of organization and dedication from the couple.

In addition to these ventures, Ian serves as Vice President for Development, while Anne is a Club Coach and a member of the Match Committee. They both love playing bowls and frequently represent our club in district competitions.

Pennant Hills Bowling Club is indeed fortunate to have Ian and Anne as enthusiastic members. Their passion for fostering and promoting lawn bowls in our community will ensure the future of the club and bring enjoyment to many. We thank them for their countless volunteer hours and the joy they bring to our members.

Do you know a local official or club coach who has selflessly volunteered their time to promoting bowls?  
We want to hear from you!

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