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#### Welcome

Welcome to the June edition of the Bowls NSW Newsletter!

In this month's edition, we recap the thrilling Bowls NSW BCiB Open State Pennant finals. Held across seven locations in NSW, this competition brought together bowlers from all over the state. We extend our gratitude to the host venues, volunteers, and participants for making this year's event truly memorable.

We also announce the sides selected to represent NSW in the upcoming NSW v QLD Test Series. This highly anticipated series will see the best bowlers from our state competing against Queensland's top players.

The State Match Committee has been announced, and we congratulate those members who have made their way into the committee!

We're pleased to share that we had not one but two winners in the NSW Sports Community Awards. Bowls NSW President Dilys Kindleysides won in her category for NSW Volunteer Director of the Year, and our State Championships received the top honour for Community Event of the Year.

# Bowls NSW BCiB Open Gender State Pennant Finals



The Bowls NSW BCiB Open Gender Pennant State Finals were held from June 28 to 30, with seven grades competing at venues across New South Wales.

We extend our sincere gratitude to the host venues, their staff, the dedicated volunteers, and the players for making this event a success.

Special thanks to our sponsor, BCiB Insurance Brokers, for their continued support. As we celebrate the winners and runners-up from each grade, we congratulate all the clubs that took part in this event!





GRADE 1 WINNER
CABRAMATTA

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GRADE 1 RUNNER-UP
CLUB MAITLAND CITY

The Grade 1 BCiB Open Gender State Pennant was held at Ettalong Memorial Bowling Club from 28-30 June.

In the final Cabramatta faced off against Club Maitland City.

After a tough battle, Cabramatta emerged victorious with a final score of 56 to 48.

The Grade 1 competition had five rounds of sectional play. The top team from both sections advanced to the final.

At the end of sectional play, the standings were:

#### **Section One:**

- 1. Cabramatta
- 2. Soldiers Point
- 3. Bateau Bay
- 4. Forster
- 5. Mona Vale
- 6. Narrandera

#### **Section Two:**

- 1. Club Maitland City
- 2. Port City
- 3. Grandviews
- 4. Warilla
- 5. Gunnedah

#### Cabramatta 56 Club Maitland City 48

Cabramatta			Club Maitland City	
Lucey	22	Def	13	Mitchell
Porter	8	Def By	20	Pitham
Gebbie	26	Def	15	Cronin



































**OPEN STATE** 

**GRADE 2 WINNER AUSTRAL** 

OPEN STATE

The BCiB Grade 2 Open Gender State Pennant was held across two venues. West Tamworth and South Tamworth.

Austral and Harbord competed for the state flag in the final. Austral emerged as the winner with a score of 66 to 45.

In the first semi-final, Austral faced Merrylands and secured their spot in the final with a score of 66 to 55.

In the second semi-final, Harbord won a hard-fought battle against Hamilton North Bowling Club with a score of 61 to 59.

For full scores please go online to bowlsnsw.com.au

#### **Austral 66** Harbord 45



**GRADE 2 RUNNER-UP HARBORD** 

Austral			Harbord	
Fleming	24	Def	11	Green
Maythers	19	Def	12	Alexander
Scerri	23	Def	22	Leckey













Grade 2 RUNNER-UP



GRADE 3 WINNER
WAVERLEY

Waverley and Campbelltown faced off in the Grade 3 final held at Forster Bowling club, with Waverley proving too strong, winning with a score of 65-55.

After three rounds of sectional play, the teams that progressed to the quarter-finals were Wiseman Park Wollongong City, St Johns Park, Campbelltown, Beresfield, Waverley, Bateau Bay, Young, and NBC Sports.

Wiseman Park Wollongong City faced off against Campbelltown in the first semi-final, with Campbelltown progressing with a score of 62-52.

Waverley earned their spot in the final with a 71-50 victory over NBC Sports in the second semi-final.

For the full scores, please visit bowlsnsw.com.au.



#### Waverley 65 Campbelltown 55

Waverley			Campbelltown	
Pappas	21	Def By	25	Sole
Roper	24	Def	19	Holmes
Irving	20	Def	11	McConnell







**CAMPBELLTOWN** 







The Grade 4 BCiB Open Gender State Pennant Final took place at two South Coast venues: Figtree Sports and Wiseman Park Wollongong City.

In the final, Scone won decisively with a score of 70-41 against Wangi.

The teams that progressed to the quarter-finals on Saturday afternoon were Wangi, Wiseman Park Wollongong City, Birrong, Malua Bay, Scone, Wagga Rules, Moorefield, and Wenty Leagues.

Wangi secured their spot in the final with a win in their semi-final against Birrong, with a score of 73-67.

In the second semi-final, Scone won against Wenty Leagues with a final score of 69-51.

For the full scores, please visit bowlsnsw.com.au.



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SCONE





GRADE 4 RUNNER-UP WANGI

#### Scone 70 Wangi 41

Scone			Wangi	
Holman	28	Def	16	Snowden
Wells	18	Def	17	Dare
Davidson	24	Def	8	Pascoe

















GRADE 5 WINNER
HILLSDALE

The Grade 5 BCiB Open Gender State Pennant took place at St Johns Park and Cabramatta Bowling Clubs.

In the final, Hillsdale defeated the home team of Cabramatta with a final score of 70-53.

After three rounds of sectional play, the teams that progressed to the quarter-finals were Taree Railway, RSL Sussex Inlet, Cabramatta, Lemon Tree Passage, Hillsdale, Bomaderry, Nyngan, and South Tamworth.

Cabramatta won their semifinal against RSL Sussex Inlet with a score of 68-63.

In the other semi-final, Hillsdale secured their place in the final with a win against South Tamworth, 61-51.

For the full results, please visit bowlsnsw.com.au.



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GRADE 5 RUNNER-UP
CABRAMATTA

#### Hillsdale 70 Cabramatta 53

Hillsdale			Cabramatta	
Powell	26	Def	16	Bowman
Hughes	26	Def	12	Smith
Cullen	18	Def by	25	Hopley















**OPEN STATE** 

**GRADE 6 WINNER** BELFIELD

Yamba was the host venue for the Grade 6 BCiB Open Gender State Pennant Final.

Belfield faced off against Soldiers Point in the final held on Sunday afternoon. After a hardfought battle, Belfield emerged victorious with a score of 55-48.

The Grade 6 teams that made it to the quarter-finals on Saturday were Brooms Head, Soldiers Point, Albion Park, Uralla, Leichhardt, North Haven, Belfield, and Warrawee.

The first semi-final saw Soldiers Point and Uralla in a neckand-neck competition, with Soldiers Point pulling ahead to win by one point, 54-53.

Belfield won their semi-final with a decisive score of 75-58 against North Haven.





**GRADE 6 RUNNER-UP SOLDIERS POINT** 

#### **Belfield 55 Soldiers Point 48**

Belfield				<b>Soldiers Point</b>
Webb	8	Def by	23	Rainey
White	26	Def	13	Smith
McWhirter	21	Def	12	Ball















Bingara clinched victory at the Grade 7 BCiB Open Gender State Pennant, which took place at Merrylands Bowling Club and Guildford Bowling Club.

In the final, the New England Club Bingara triumphed over South Coast club Tura Beach with a final score of 75-43.

The quarterfinals saw the following clubs face off: Sawtell, Parkes Railway, Dapto Citizens, Tura Beach, Cabramatta, Hunters Hill, Bingara, and Leeton Soldiers.

Tura Beach won their semifinal match against Sawtell 68-53, while Bingara bested Hunters Hill 67-50.

For the full scores, please visit bowlsnsw.com.au.

#### Bingara 75 Tura Beach 43



**GRADE 7 RUNNER-UP** 

**TURA BEACH** 

Bingara			Tura Beach	
McManus	24	Def	12	Adams
Dixon	34	Def	10	Plowman
Mack	17	Def by	21	Dedman













#### **Sport NSW Community Sports Awards**

# Bowls NSW Celebrates Double Win at Sport NSW Community Sports Awards

Bowls NSW is proud to announce that our 2023-24 State Championships have been honoured with the Community Event of the Year award at the Sport NSW Community Sports Awards. This accolade recognises the Championship's dedication to inclusivity and participation, a vision made possible by the unwavering support of councils, sponsors, clubs, and countless volunteers.

The 2023-24 Bowls NSW State Championships were hosted across three venues in the Dubbo Region. This event saw 900 competitors from over 100 bowling clubs compete in 23 disciplines, including multi-disability categories. The Championships were a showcase of top-tier talent, featuring multiple state, national, and world champions, all committed to fostering inclusive and safe environments for all participants.

In addition to the event's success, we are thrilled to celebrate our President, Dilys Kindleysides, who has been recognised as Volunteer Director of the Year. This well-deserved award highlights Dilys' remarkable dedication and contribution to our sport. Her leadership has been pivotal in modernising Bowls NSW, promoting inclusivity, and reshaping the organisation's governance structures.

These awards underscore the collective effort of everyone involved in Bowls NSW. Congratulations to all, and a special thank you to those who helped make the 2023-24 State Championships a resounding success.









Sport NSW

Sports Awards



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#### **NSW v QLD Test Series NSW Sides Announced**



Bowls NSW is thrilled to announce the KENO NSW Blues Men's and Women's Open, U25 and Over 40's sides selected to compete in the upcoming Annual Test Series against Queensland from 17-18 July 2024.

The six sides were confirmed by the State Selection Committee following the recent State Selection Series and will compete for the first time this year on home soil at St Johns Park Bowling Club.

Our Men's Open and Over 40's sides will be looking to retain the shield in this year's test series while our

Women's Open and Over 40's sides along with our Men's and Women's U25 sides will be hoping to regain the shield after last year's test series which was played at Club Tweed.

Congratulations to all players selected across our six sides!

Fans can cheer on the KENO NSW Blues at St Johns Park Bowling Club or tune in to watch the action live from the Bowls NSW Facebook and Youtube channels.

#### **Open Men**



#### **Open Women**











#### **NSW v QLD Test Series NSW Sides Announced**

#### **Under 25 Women**

# KENO NSW BLUES U25 WOMEN'S STATE SIDE VS QUEENSLAND ST JOHNS PARK | 17-18 JULY TEAM ONE L CHARLOTTE HAYMAN (RAYMOND TERRACE) 5 SHELBY POWELL (RAYMOND TERRACE) T ZOE STEWART (WEST TAMWORTH) SK LOUISE CRONAN (TAREN POINT) TEAM TWO L ZOE NICHOLLS (RAYMOND TERRACE) 5 KATIE ASTLEY (MERRYLANDS) T BRITTANY CAMP (ST JOHNS PARK) SK CHELSEA MCKAY (ST JOHNS PARK)

#### **Under 25 Men**



#### **Over 40 Men**



#### **Over 40 Women**











# KENO NSW Blues Senior and All Abilities Sides Announced

History will be made at St Johns Park Bowling Club when the inaugural All Abilities NSW v VIC Test Series gets under way on Monday 5th August. Six players have been selected to represent the KENO NSW Blues All Abilities Side that will compete against Victoria from 5-7 August.

Playing alongside them from 6-7 August is the KENO NSW Blues Men's and Women's Senior Sides who will also take on Victoria in a three-test series.

Fourteen men and fourteen women have been selected to compete, and sides for the First Test will be confirmed by the State Selection Committee closer to the event date. Congratulations to all players on their selection!

Fans can cheer on the KENO NSW Blues at St Johns Park Bowling Club or tune in to watch the action live from the Bowls NSW Facebook and Youtube channels.

The KENO NSW Blues Men's and Women's Open and U25 sides to take on Victoria from 8-10 August will be announced after the Queensland Test Series this July.

#### **All Abilities**



#### **Senior Women**



#### **Senior Men**











#### **State Match Committee**

# Announcement of Bowls NSW State Match Committee Members

Bowls NSW is pleased to announce the members of the State Match Committee. The committee will comprise six members, with Geoff Tye (Avalon Beach) and Billie Maas (Belrose) joining incumbent members Warren Shipley (Soldiers Point), Peter Schroeder (Forster), Toni Oliver (Bateau Bay), and Jan Wiltshire (Belmont Golf & Bowls).

Each of these members has been elected to a twoyear term and brings a wealth of experience to the Committee. Several Expressions of Interest were received to join the Committee, and Bowls NSW extends thanks to everyone who took the time to submit an EOI and offer their services to administering the sport. Bowls NSW also expresses gratitude to the outgoing committee members Kane Coulls, Robyn Lewis, Jenny Palmer, John Roberts, and Helen Schwencke for their services to the State Match Committee and the sport of bowls. Their input, guidance, and professionalism are greatly appreciated, and Bowls NSW wishes them all the best in bowls.

#### **State Match Committee Members**

Name	Club		
Billie Maas	Belrose		
Warren Shipley	Soldiers Point		
Toni Oliver	Bateau Bay		
Geoff Tye	Avalon Beach		
Peter Schroeder	Forster		
Jan Wiltshire	Belmont Golf & Bowls		











#### **Job Opportunity**

#### **Bowls Coordinator | Carlingford**



To coordinate all bowling activities for the Carlingford Bowling Sports and Recreational Club inclusive of the associated administrative activities. The Bowls Coordinator works with the General Manager and Bowls Committees to ensure the smooth running of the club's social bowls, club championships, district, Zone 10 and State events.

Location
Carlingford Sports & Recreation Club

How to apply? Contact Shaun Johns by email: sjohns@cbsrc.com.au or phone 02 9872 3039

Applications close on August 7, 2024

#### **BOWLS CLUB WEBINAR**

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#### WEBINAR: HOW TO GET THE MOST OUT OF BOWLSLINK

- or Session 1 Tuesday July 9 7:00PM (AEST) Session 2 - Tuesday July 9 9:30PM (AEST)
- Information on the website features & email campaigns
- How to set up and run competitions and events
- Finish with Q & A

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# Bowls Australia and Clubmap Webinar

Bowls Australia and Clubmap are hosting an online webinar titled "How to Get the Most Out of Bowlslink." There will be two sessions held on Tuesday, July 9th: the first at 7:00 PM and the second at 9:30 PM.

The webinar will cover various topics including the features of the Bowlslink website, the email campaign function, setting up and managing competitions and events. The session will conclude with a Q&A segment to address any additional questions not covered during the presentation.

To register, please visit bowls.clubmap.com.au.









# Game-changing new course for Aussie sports officials



#### **Australian Government**

#### **Australian Sports Commission**

A free, online course will help Aussie sporting officials build their knowledge, competence, and confidence in the biggest change to officiating in over two decades.

The Australian Sports Commission (ASC) has unveiled a modern approach to officiating to better support the one million referees, umpires and officials, that are critical to the sports we love.

The vast majority of officiating roles are filled by volunteers who are unpaid but gain a range of other benefits from their involvement in sport.

The new approach was developed in collaboration with more than 40 sports and replaces the outdated Community Officiating – General Principles Course. Like the Modern Approach to Coaching, which was successfully launched in 2022, this new officiating course focuses on the participants and their individual needs, aspirations and motivations.

ASC CEO Kieren Perkins OAM savs the move away from a one-size fits all approach aims to ensure sport is a place for people of all ages, backgrounds, genders and abilities. "Our community referees and umpires play a crucial role in sport and can have an immense impact on the environment in which people play and are involved," Perkins said. "This modern approach supports the development, education and training of officials, empowering them to create safe, inclusive and enjoyable sporting environments where everyone can thrive.

At a time when sports are facing increasing challenges recruiting and retaining officials, these new resources address the importance of protecting the mental wellbeing of officials and increasing pathways into the sector.

Trailblazing international cricket umpire Claire Polosak is encouraging those interested in officiating to give the new course a go. "It's a rewarding and challenging job that sets you up with transferrable skills for the future. Every day is different, as an official you're always learning and get to meet a range of different people." Polosak said. "I would absolutely recommend completing this course. It will help officials improve the experience for everyone in the game."

Take the free online Community Officiating Essential Skills Course and learn more about the modern approach to officiating online at https://www.ausport.gov.au/ officiating/education/essential-skills.









#### **State Umpires Committee**

#### Keeping things Crystal Clear



Since November 2022, members of the State Umpires Committee have visited many Clubs throughout the State. The committee members have seen a variety of Umpire's Kits equipped with different varieties of the required equipment. However, in some cases the equipment has been lacking and in a poor and unworkable condition.

The State Umpires Committee do understand that in some cases Clubs cannot afford the expense of purchasing the approved recommended equipment for their Umpire's Kit.

To assist Clubs and in line with Law 54;

The umpire must bring or be provided with, by the club on whose green the game is being played, suitable equipment to carry out the duties described in law 43.

The State Umpires Committee has put together a list of Basic Equipment and Documentation for an Umpire's Kit and a list of Recommended Equipment and Documentation for an Umpire's Kit.

1. For the list of **Basic** Equipment and Documentation for an Umpire's Kit go online to-

https://bowlsnsw.com.au/wp-content/uploads/2024/06/Basic-Equipment-and-Documentation.pdf

2. For the list of **Recommended**Equipment and Documentation for an Umpire's Kit go online tohttps://bowlsnsw.com.au/
wp-content/uploads/2024/06/
Recommended-equipment-anddocumentation.pdf

If you have any further questions, please contact the State Umpires Committee at - umpires@bowlsnsw.com.au









#### **Australian Super**

#### Ways to grow your super and reduce tax



Extra payments made before the end of the financial year could help you save on tax and grow your super balance over time, thanks to compounding investment returns. Here are three ways to help grow your super and reduce tax:

1. Salary sacrifice contributions Also known concessional as contributions, this is when you add to your super from your before-tax pay, which could reduce the amount of income tax you pay. This is in addition to the 11% superannuation guarantee (SG) your employer pays into your account and any additional contributions made by your employer. The SG will increase to 11.5% on 1 July 2024.

#### 2. Tax-deductible super contributions

This is when you pay extra amounts directly into your super account. You may be eligible to claim a tax deduction on these contributions when you do your tax return.

#### 3. Spouse contributions

These are payments to the super of a spouse or de-facto partner. This can be a good way to reduce tax at the end of the financial year while helping to grow your partner's super Learn more about how to save on tax and help grow your super

#### Government super co-contribution available

If your yearly total income is less than \$58,445, you could be eligible for a super co-contribution payment of up to \$500 when you make an after-tax contribution to your super.

The government will match up to 50 cents for every dollar you contribute to your super from your after-tax pay. The contribution is paid directly into your super account after you've lodged your tax return for that year, as long as your super fund has your tax file number. Learn more about eligibility.

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# CLUB AUSTRAL 2024 ANNIVERSARY FOURS



#### **SUNDAY 25TH AUGUST 2024, GAMES COMMENCE 8.30AM**

CLUB AUSTRAL WILL OPEN AT 7.30AM FOR PLAYERS AND WE ASK THAT YOUR TEAM BE REGISTERED BY 8.00AM READY FOR GAMES TO COMMENCE AT 8.30AM.

BOWLS AUSTRALIA APPROVED TIER 3 EVENT

#### TEAM ENTRY INFORMATION

OPEN EVENT limited to 28 teams. Entry Fee for the tournament is \$400 per team which includes morning tea on arrival and lunch. Entry fee must accompany the completed nomination form in order for the team to be accepted.

Completed nomination form and payment receipt can be:

**emailed to info@australbowlingclub.com.au** or completed in person at Club Austral.

Entry Fee can be paid via bank deposit - please note Skips Name and Club on deposit receipt:

Austral Bowling Club Limited
BSB 062 184
ACC 1136 5268
info@australbowlingclub.com.au

#### TOURNAMENT FORMAT

An OPEN event with each team to play two bowl/fours - 5 games of 8 ends with the overall winners to be determined by number of wins plus margin. Draw will remain a draw and no team to receive more than one prize on the day.

Closing date for entries Sunday 1st August 2024 - NO REFUNDS after this date!



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#### TEAM/BOWLER INFORMATION

	Player Name	Club	Phone
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Second			
Third			
Skip			

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