

LADIES NEWS - May 2018

What's been happening

Thursday 17 May Pairs Championship Final

Congratulations to Judy Monsen & Angela Kearnan won became our Pairs Champions after defeating Pam Lang & Jill Toohey in the final.



Consistency has had a couple more games completed but will probably be on hold now for a while as Handicap Pairs has started and the pennant season will soon be starting.

Friday 4 May Sponsored Open Pairs Day

In lieu of a Labor Day event on the Monday public holiday, the Mens' Section put their efforts into an Open Pairs Day on the Friday before when it was considered more players might attend. The day was a great success all round with 30 teams competing, many of whom were from visiting clubs. We had full greens, even having to fit eight rinks into one green. All events which attract visitors allows us to showcase our greens and club house and, in this instance, we have been rewarded with return visits from a number of players.

Games Away

Jindalee has been flying the flag at a number of clubs. On 27 April one team played in the Anniversary Fours at Corinda, a side of six represented Jindalee at the Salisbury Shield on 3 May (without success), and a triples team (Mardi, Glenda & Michelle B) ventured as far as Belmont on 16 May (with success!). Another four led by Pam Lang played in the Moorooka Autumn Fair on 23 May.

Resignation of Vice President

It was with regret that we were advised by Sue Bourke of her inability to continue in the Vice President role for the foreseeable future. We all wish her well and hope for improved health and a return to bowls soon.

New Vice President and CDBA delegate

We all thank and welcome Judy Monsen who has stepped up and taken on the role of Vice President. Once again we thank Bev Formby who, for the second time this year, has agreed to fill in as our District Delegate.

Comings and goings



You would be right if you thought some ladies were missing lately. There have been lots of comings and goings of ladies recently. It is hard to keep up with everyone but, here are a just a few.

Recently **Julianne** had a great trip to Sri Lanka and **Glenda** had a spell in the motorhome down central NSW coast.

Marilyn has been away for ages travelling interstate, with her last email from *Cooperook State Forest* and **Margaret Madden** is off on a trip to Portugal and Scandinavia.

Sue Gabel has been overseas for a month (returned 29 May) and **Robyn Irwin** is soon to leave for a 3 month round the world cruise

Judy and Angela have been playing in a NSW State Carnival in Wollongong and on 29 May headed north caravanning until the end of June. AND **Carol**, never one to miss out on a bit of travel, is off in Lord Howe Island with Teachers Bowls as is **Kay Robson Petch**.

If there are others, we all hope you have enjoyed your travels or wish you happy holidays if you are about to head off.

Mothers Day Raffle

Our thanks to Gloria McKinnon who donated doTERRA products for a Mothers Day raffle. The products, plus a couple of bottles of bubbly raised \$211 which is a wonderful result. Winner of the main prize was Linda Austin. Margaret Madden and Elspeth McKay won the bubbly.

Committee Meeting Thursday 31 May 2018

Items on the Agenda included

- Pennant season Jindalee Shield
- Fashion Parade Presentation night



What's coming up

Jindalee Shield - 11 June

Expression of Interest Form is on the noticeboard. Selectors will be responsible for selection of sides to represent Jindalee. So far we have eleven confirmed sides coming to compete – Algester (2 sides), Belmont, Chermside, Darra, Goodna, Graceville, Moorooka, Swifts, Ipswich and Ipswich United. Darra is the defending champion. Ria has been busy approaching volunteers to assist with catering. Sincere thanks to all who will be contributing to the organisation of the day. It will be a big day for us, but another opportunity to promote the club to visiting sides.

Saturday 16 June 2018 State of Origin Competition

As you have read in recent emails, Bob Henderson and Bill Minhinnett are reviving this enjoyable day during the State of Origin season. Plenty of names are already on the sheet, but room for more. It is players **BORN IN QUEENSLAND** versus those **BORN ANYWHERE ELSE**. You are requested to join in the spirit of the day and wear Maroon (or red) or Blue.

Pennant

Selectors have spoken to ladies directly regarding the late notification from CDBA regarding the days on which ladies pennant would be played this year and will continue to communicate directly to ladies regarding all pennant related issues. We have been advised that Divisions 1 & 3 will play on Tuesdays and Division 2 & 4 will play on Thursday. As in previous years Saturday play may be required e.g. if playing Yeronga.

Tuesday 31 July Portofino Fashion Parade

The flyer and table seating form are on the Noticeboard. Tickets are available from Sandy McCormick. Sandy reports that positive bookings are coming in from outside groups SO, if you do intend coming, don't leave it too late to get your tables booked.

Games away coming up

15 June Chermside Carol and Mardi are off to Chermside to play in their 3 bowl Veterans Pairs.

18 June St Lucia Two fours teams will be playing in St Lucia's one and only financial day. Carol, Mardi, Ria & Glenda are in one team and Jan, Linda, Margaret Madden & Malai make up the other.

20 June Graceville Jan Bell and Laurie Armstrong are competing in a Ladies 3 bowl pairs at Graceville.

Ladies, don't forget to keep looking in the White Folder AND ask around if interested. There are some great opportunities to experience bowling at other clubs, to socialise with fellow bowlers and to enjoy a very pleasant day out.

On behalf of your Committee

Superstition says that you should not buy a broom, wash a blanket or get married in May.

In any given year, no month starts and ends on the same days of the week as May does.

Old saying: April Showers bring May Flowers

Old Joke: What do May Flowers bring

Answer: Pilgrims