

# The President's Report

by Alan Johnson

Welcome to the first Bulletin for 2019. Our Annual General Meeting conducted a new Management Committee for 2019 and I am delighted to welcome new Members Darren Colburn as Senior Vice President, Brian Heinemann as Secretary and Tony Jardim and Ray Lamb as Committeemen. Thank you to the members leaving the committee for their contribution. We have an exciting year ahead and I pleased that we a full committee for the first time in many years.

Congratulations to our finalists in the Great Eights competition. We qualified Divisions 1, 3 and 5 for the finals and our Division 1 team won the competition in front of a considerable crowd at Club Mooloolaba. There were many Buderim supporters to cheer the team to victory. I am especially proud of the way that all of our teams represented our Club during the season, it's a great credit to players and the Club. The good performance across all divisions also ensured that the competition was a financial success, easily covering the entry fees. I'd like to thank everyone involved in the Great Eights competition including players, managers, selectors and the cheer squads.



Following the Annual General Meeting, members approved expenditure to replace the back green shade. The work will include replacing all the shade cloth, pulleys, wire and other hardware. We are doing our best to have the job completed prior to the May Prestige Fours. This work is the first element of a capital works plan that will eventually see replacement of the front green shade cloth and refurbishment to the back green. By the way, the contractor is returning to finish off the front green and should be here during the week 8 April. I have asked them to inspect the back green and provide a report on how we might gain another 12-24 months service before we have to refurbish.

# President's report cont'd

Your Management Committee is preparing for the May Prestige Fours competition and there's a lot to do. We need volunteers for both days so if you are able to help please see Peter Wright. As we have done in recent years we plan to have a huge raffle and the success really depends on members supporting this initiative by donating beer, wine or spirits for prizes. Thank you in advance for your support.

Good Bowling.

Alan Johnson  
President

## 2019 COMMITTEE

President	Alan Johnson
SVP	Darren Colburn
JVP	Jeff Paterson
Treasurer	Brian Kelly
Secretary	Brian Heinemann
Providore	Jon Herriot
Games Director	Peter Woods
Greens Director	Brian Perrin
Committee	Peter Wright Tony Jardim
Club Captain	Warren Watson
Patron	Allan Quartermaine

# welcome & thank you to our new club sponsor



I have placed brochures and booklets throughout the club. If this is of interest to you please feel free to take a copy.  
If you require more information visit the website [www.mckenzieacg.com](http://www.mckenzieacg.com)

# junior vice president's report

by Jeff Paterson

On Friday 29 March we had a very successful fish and chip night. Almost 100 meals were prepared and served, all by Club volunteers and that helped keep the price of the meals down. It was particularly pleasing to see so many people at the Club from our local Buderim community who enjoyed free barefoot bowls and entertainment.

There are plans to do this again on the last Friday of every month this year so keep an eye out for the next promotion and come along. If you would like to volunteer, please see me.

The next Friday night function is April 26. \$10 per head again for lasagne, salad & garlic, with live music and barefoot bowls. Lock the date in.

## Friday Fun Night

April 26th From 6pm

Lasagne, Salad & Garlic Bread - \$10



FREE  
Barefoot  
Bowls\*

Live  
Music



Contact Club for more details

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1 Elizabeth Street, Buderim



# games director's report

by Peter Woods

The 2019 Club Fours was finally concluded and won by Steve Ogden, Noel Spurway, Brian Barrable and Daz Pullar. I believe we have learnt a lesson regarding flexibility in playing dates and future events will be run to a stricter time line while still attempting inclusiveness of players where possible.

Club events will all be set down for play on a Sunday but the opportunity to complete games either on a Friday night or Saturday afternoon remains an option. Saturdays will be limited so that social play remains the priority.

The Club Singles has been well supported and will be drawn shortly. The first round will be played on a Sunday and split between AM & PM to enable markers to be drawn from listed players. Afternoon players will mark in the morning and losers from the morning in the afternoon. So if you are not available to manage this please withdraw now or have a viable alternative in hand..

Barry Ashby has taken on the role of Umpire Co-Ordinator and his experience in this area is a big plus ( similar to the Swiss Flag) as are his quizzes to keep our current group of umpires focused on the bowl.

Monday night pairs continues in a positive manner and appears to be enjoyed by the participants as is the finely cooked BBQ.

There has been a steady improvement in numbers for Jackpot Pairs played on the second Wednesday of each month. But the failure of people who have advised their availability and then not turn up continues. A phone call will be made to all skips who have nominated on the Tuesday beforehand to ensure availability. Mooloolaba has no problems with their monthly event why do we?

A further reminder regarding Thursday Men's Pairs and Jackpot Pairs that you need to nominate on the respective lists a skip and lead if you or your partner are unavailable it is your teams responsibility to find a substitute. It is not OK to simply cross out a name. If you cannot find a substitute remove both names and place your available player on the spares list. Late withdrawals on a Thursday has also been an issue creating the regular situation of the late organisation of triples games. Please contact the relevant person ASAP if you are unavailable as a team to play.

## **Finally some help with your squaw card.**

There were three Indian squaws. One slept on a deer skin, one slept on an elk skin, and the third slept on a hippopotamus skin. All three became pregnant. The first two each had a baby boy. The one who slept on the hippopotamus skin had twin boys. This just goes to prove that the squaw of the hippopotamus is equal to the sons of the squaws of the other two hides.

# OUR GREAT EIGHTS

CONGRATULATIONS TO DIVISION 1 ON BRINGING HOME THE TITLE



## ladies president's report

by Valda Barrable

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We have welcomed a few new members and several visitors so far this year. Mixed bowls games with an Australian theme and an Irish theme were well attended on our Tuesday playing day.

Cittamani Hospice, our elected charity for the year has been presented with a cheque for the funds raised in 2018 by the Immediate Past President, Alva Ogden, Cittamani will continue as our chosen recipient this year.

Hopefully the frustration associated with publicity of our activities/events will soon be over and we have full greens for the Spring Medley 3rd Wednesday September if not for the Autumn Medley on 17th April.

Several ladies participated in the Great 8s Challenge in Division 5 and gained valuable experience. We look forward to a coaching Clinic with Karen Murphy in May, partly sponsored by our Club.

The SCDLBA have advised that Ladies Pennants this year are scheduled to be played on Saturdays with only one game, either at 9am or 1pm.



# ladies games director's report

by Pam Chugg

It has been a good start to our Championship Year with the Singles titles having seen some first rate games.

JILL McNEIL won the title of singles champion by beating Jan Hagan 25-20.

We also run a Consolation singles (Topsyl) which was won by KARIN KALTENBRUNN 25-8 against Val Hartley.

Our Pairs Championships are being played at the moment and again the competition has been very close. The Final was played on Tuesday 9th April between Trish Norris/Monica Muir and Jo Foster/Val Hartley. A great game between two great teams.

The game was won by Val Hartley and Jo Foster 20 to 10 against Monica Muir and Trish Norris.



**2019 LADIES PAIRS CHAMPIONS  
WINNERS: JO FOSTER, VAL HARTLEY  
RUNNERS-UP: TRISH NORRIS, MONICA MUIR**



**2019 SINGLES CHAMPION  
JILL McNEIL  
RUNNER-UP: JAN HAGAN**

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# Congratulations Barry Ashby (ITO)



Barry has recently achieved the status of ITO (International Technical Officer) after some hard work entailing over 500 hours of Umpiring and Officiating at the highest level in the past 2-1/2 years.

Not only physical work but study of the Laws of the Sport of Bowls.

Barry said, "I can't say I know everything but let us just say a fair bit.

Most people don't realise how many Laws etc are involved. Well there are approx 600 laws, 60 Conditions of play, 19 distance regulations, 78 Domestic Regulations and 13 Bowls Australia Policies.

As well as the above Barry had to partake in a very strict greens test of measuring, approximations and marking. This test was so intense that with one procedure wrong it was all over.

This feat brings another new level of excellence to the club that has not been achieved before by a member of Buderim.

It also brings some prestige to the Sunshine Coast as we believe there is only one other in John Dawson who has not officiated now for some years.

Barry can now Umpire in any event World Wide as a Technical Official in any International Events.

There are many ways a Member can return thanks to their Club and the Sport of Bowls and this is Barry's way of doing do.

On behalf of the Buderim Bowls Club we would like to congratulate Barry on this achievement.