FROM: Port Macquarie City Men's Bowling Club

# DATE: week ending Sunday 20th September 2015

The home of the Port City Koalas

Dress code for social bowls is club uniform/creams or clean smart casual, with collared shirt and neat shorts/slacks.

A breath of fresh air- You will have noticed the no smoking signs around the greens. The board has confirmed that the spectator areas and greens are smoke free. There are designated smoking areas.

New bowls Facebook page – have your say! Click on "bowls" on the club web site (portcity.com.au) . In the top right hand corner you can access the Facebook page.

The Club Ltd AGM was held on Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> September and it is pleasing to see two new faces elected, congratulations to Leigh Hardingham and Paul Webster

A note regarding the payment of green fees on rain affected days. Green fees will be refunded and no prizes paid if 5 ends have not been completed.

-Pennant coaching on Tuesday afternoon is currently taking a break. Will let you know when it restarts.

We will be introducing a men's social bowls participation award to be run over 8 weeks in October/November, on Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturdays.. All players will receive 1 point for each game the play, and the winners on each day will receive an additional point. At the end of November (8 weeks) the points will be tallied and the player with the most points will win the "Gary Lawer Participation Trophy" being an engraved mug/pewter plus cash/vouchers. Total prize value approx. \$200.

An early notice about Corporate bowls "Jack Attack". This will start on October 16<sup>th</sup>, Friday and will run for 6 weeks. There will be a DJ,BBQ and weekly prizes. Cost is \$70 per team, so get your team in early.

Entries are now open for the mixed pairs, 1st round on October 20th

Club Challenge- Blue section was washed out this week. Next week , 26<sup>th</sup>, against Red Rock away. In the Gold section next week , 27<sup>th</sup> against Park Beach away. In the bronze section next week 27<sup>th</sup> play Park Beach away. Check the board to see if you have been selected.

The major /minor pairs semi final will be played next Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> between Phil Baker and Mark Parry (skips).

It's great to see Jim Cranna back on the greens after knee surgery.

Don't forget to check out "latest bowls news" blog for news and happenings at clubs around our district. Also bowls tab on the Port City web site

Free coaching is available on Saturday and Sunday mornings (bowls provided). Just turn up at 10 am.

Social Bowls; Wednesday.

Winners (\$15) R. Apps – W. Pallot – B. Keets. Consolation (\$7) K. Bumbrell – G. Platts

## Thursday:

Winners (\$15) D. McGregor – D. Emanuel. Consolation (\$7) J. Breen – K. Lipscombe. T. Cornforth way off the jackpot.

### Friday:

Winners: (\$15) B, Stewart – K. Paulsen Consolation (\$7) P. Smith – B. Collis. Bruce ( where's my meat tray ) Chapman sadly missed the jackpot of \$600

#### Sunday:

No play due to the wet.

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Cheers

Colin Halls