

**Port City Men's Bowling Club** 

November Newsletter: 10th November 2015

In the Club Challenge our mixed team has already qualified for the state finals to be played at Warilla in early December. The Gold and Blue teams travel to Tamworth and Armidale respectively this week end (November 14/15) to try to secure a place in the state finals.

On November 16 – 19 the club will be hosting the Champion of Club Champions state finals in singles and pairs. There will be some great bowling on display.

The Corporate Bowls "Jack Attack" on Friday evenings has proven very popular with 20 teams entered and a DJ and BBQ.

In the 2<sup>nd</sup> Rest of the World V Australia, the ROTW team were successful. We are considering to play the next one as a mixed event on Australia Day next year.

The major/minor pairs championship has been decided with Callum Murray and Greg Keft being the new champions.

As we all know Club renovations are under way and the remaining greens are undergoing their annual maintenance. This means rink space is somewhat restricted and it may not always be possible to play pairs, particularly on Wednesdays and Fridays.

The club is always looking for additional coaches. If you are interested in becoming a qualified coach please see Phil Baker or Paul Brady.

The Club presentation day will be held on December 12th.

Christmas Ham raffles this year are on December 2, 9 and 16<sup>th</sup>. The hams are guaranteed to be large half hams around 4.5 kgs

After some disruption this year the "Port Macquarie mixed pairs" will return next year with Hibbard, Westport and Port City all taking part. Hibbard will be the host club. Dates are 24 – 26<sup>th</sup> June.

A big thank you to our sponsors through October, Care and Mobility, Central Road, Tony Meath Air Conditioning, Hastings Co op IGA, Ditchfield Dental and Patterson Real Estate.



If any members would like to contribute to your monthly newsletter, you can email me at colh1941@gmail.com

Healthy tip: Take your heart for a walk every day.

Cheers

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