FROM: Port Macquarie City Men's Bowling Club

DATE: Week ending Sunday 4th December 2016

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.

Bowls Facebook page - have your say!

A Reminder that Port City greens and spectator areas are smoke free.

A Reminder also that Tuesday is ladies day, please guys no rolling up until after 2pm.

The 70's and over has reached the semi final stage with Ian Binder/Tommy Smith to play John Car/Peter Gunn and in the other semi Brian Richardson/Brian Stokes to play Tony Owens/ B. Waterhouse. Games to be played on or before Saturday December 10th.

Presentation Day is on Saturday 17^{th} December, with bowls 1-3 pm.

Pennants 2017. Intending players are requested to complete the "Pennant Nomination Form" (available on the notice board), and hand the completed form to our bowls coordinator.

The 2017 LNC representation nomination sheet (Southern Section) is on the board. First selection trial will be held at Port Panthers on Saturday February 4th at 9am. There are open and over 60's divisions and intending players should indicate their preferred playing position.

Christmas Ham raffles are on Wednesday 7th, 14th and 21st December. Committee will be pre selling tickets if you are unable to attend on the night. Tickets on the night are available from 5pm with the draws at 7pm.

Good luck to our teams in the Club Challenge State finals to be held at Warilla on the weekend of December 10-11. The Men's Gold are in the group with Nelson Bay – Ettalong and Cabramatta. The Mixed Gold play The Greens (Entrance) – Valentine and North Sydney and in the Mixed Bronze they play Padstow – Towradqi Park – and Dubbo Railway.

I normally don't do birthdays, but special happys to Bruce (Chappo) Chapmam and A.J. Uptin who recently celebrated their ?? birthday 3 days apart. A father and son relationship.

The men's club championship results for 2016 are as follows"-

Major Fours: Winners John Hrabak, Callum Murray, Bryce Stewart and Danny Barrett. Runners Up: Gary MacFarlane, Ross Towers, Greg Laird and Paul Sheridan.

Major Triples: Winners Callum Murray, Jack Lewis and Danny Barrett. Runners Up Eric Rowsell, Peter Gunn and Mike Rand.

Major Pairs: Winners Callum Murray and Bryce Stewart. Runners Up Ian Binder and Geoff Mitchell.

Major Singles: Winner Phil Baker. Runner Up Callum Murray.

Minor Pairs: Winners Don Ramsay and Eddie Smith. Runners Up Steve Matheson and Callum Murray.

Minor Singles: Winner Callum Murray. Runner up Peter Ascot-Evans

Major/Minor Pairs: Winners Phil Baker and Mitch McCann. Runners Up Mathew Bayes and Mark Parry. Mixed Fours: Winners Shirley Devine, Margaret Doyle, Steve Matheson and Jack Lewis. Runners Up Denise Gudgeon, Pat Light, Graeme Light and John Hrabak.

Mixed Pairs: Winners Kylie Hardy and Phil Baker. Runners Up Betty Hodgson and Joe Judge.

Don't forget the men's meat raffle every Friday, tickets available from 5pm with the draw at 7pm. Ask for our special deals when buying tickets. Meat trays are proudly supplied by Wiggly Tail Butchery.

Remember 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). Contact the bowls office for details

Social Bowls:

Please note we would encourage social bowlers be back in the club by 4pm to allow for a timely presentation and raffles. No dead ends Thank you for your co operation.

Wednesday:

Winners (\$15) C. Palmer – M. Husband – P. Ascot-Evans. Consolation (\$7) N. Gavin – C. Smith – K. Paulsen

Thursday:

Winners (\$15) N. Schwartz – R. Fair. Consolation (\$7) W. Kempster – P. Barry. Tony Newell missed the \$456 jackpot.

Friday:

Winners (\$15): C. Murray – B. Stewart – J. Hrabak. Consolation (\$7) R. Carkeek – G. Moss – G. Tollis. Dave Dickman took home the \$600 jackpot.

Saturday afternoon bowls is on again starting at 12.30 pm with a jackpot.

Sunday:

Lucky envelopes to: F. Hungerford, I. Code, J. Brady, J. Wallis, W. Evans and R. Earl. Raffle Winners: L. Iacono, D. Smith and J. Brady Note Next Sunday 11th December will be the Sunday bowlers Christmas Party.

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Cheers Colin Halls