

Port City Men's Bowling Club

November Newslettter - 16<sup>th</sup> November 2017

**President: Paul Brady** 

Senior Vice President: Trevor Scholz

Vice President: Paul Webster

Secretary: Chris Palmer

Treasurer: Leigh Hardingham

Committee: Colin Halls, Tony Mallia, Les Scholz

Selectors: Dave Lomas, Les Scholz, and Bob Crombie (Chairman). One more required to fill Paul Jacobsen's position.

**Catering: Terry Schollum** 

Publicity: Colin Halls.

Congratulations to Callum Murray and Jack Lewis on being selected for the NSW Blues state camput Cabramatta on 16/17<sup>th</sup> December.

Mixed Pairs winners were Phil Baker and Kylie Hardy for the second year running.

Speaking of Kylie, she has accepted the position of assistant to our bowls coordinator, to fill the vacancy caused by Paul "Jaco" taking a leading position in the army.

Presentation Day – Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> December. Bowls 1 – 3pm, followed by presentations, nibbles and drinks.

In the club challenge state finals at Warilla December 2/3 we have men's gold and mixed gold participating.

Club Championships 2018 and onwards- After lengthy debate by the committee regarding the format and entry requirements for club championships there will be a notice on the board which provides suggestions for the format/entry requirements for club championships. Bowlers constructive comments are welcome.

It is hoped during the first half of 2018 to upgrade the existing BBQ area.

Xmas ham raffles Wed 6<sup>th</sup> Dec ( 60 hams), Wed 13<sup>th</sup> Dec (80 hams) and Wed 20<sup>th</sup> (100 hams). Tickets available from 5pm, draws at 7pm.

There has been much discussion about triples on Wednesdays and Fridays due to the ongoing green renovations. The discussions revolve around 2 bowl or 3 bowl. It has been decided that on the day it will be up to the skips to decide whether to play 2 or 3 bowl. We ask for bowlers understanding until all three greens are completed.

Port City bowls calendar 2018 – Due to the late start of pennants in 2018 ( 28<sup>th</sup> April) there will be substantial changes to the timing of various events. Phil Baker and Chris Palmer have spent many hours to complete our calendar to fit in with various district/zone/state events.

The full calendar will be available soon.

Please take the time to visit our facebook page which is being regularly updated by Phil and others.

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

Our thanks to our various sponsors this month- Port Macquarie Travel Agency, Hastings Co-Op IGA, Jax Tyres, Steve Matheson Pest Control and Greg Keft Electrical.

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

Cheers

Colin Halls



