# FROM: Port Macquarie City Men's Bowling Club

## DATE: Week ending Sunday 20th August 2017

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. No tank tops or singlets

Bowls Facebook page - have your say!

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

Congratulations to our ladies grade 1 pennant team who lost their first sectional game to the eventual winners, Cabramatta, but then won all their remaining games.

Entries for the 2017 club minor pairs are now open. Entries close August 26<sup>th</sup>, first round Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> September.

Champion of Club Champions (singles) is currently being played at Port Panthers Hibbard. Our club champion Callum Murray defeated H. Katala (WLG) 31-29 in the first round. He was successful in the 2<sup>nd</sup> round, defeating H. Aladjadjian (SH) 31-25. As I write this report he is playing N. Williams (Com) in the semi final.

The other semi is between R. Stone (Kpy) and C. Howard (KH).

News flash – Callum defeated Craig Howard 31 – 19 in the final. Another great result this year for Callum.

The Champion of Club Champions (pairs) will continue at Hibbard next weekend with our Danny Barrett/Greg Brims to play B. McPherson/J. Steel (MKS) in the first round on Saturday.

Port City is hosting the State Interzone Championships (along with Westport) Saturday 9 – 10- 11 September. There will be some high quality bowls being played. Section 1 comprises zone 4, 6, 7 and 16. Section 2 zones 2, 10, 11. and 14.

The zone 14 side is –

Jack Lewis – Kent Price – Craig Donaldson – Peter Taylor.

Barry Smith – Greg Keft – Phil Baker – Greg Brims.

Greg Powick – Peter Stockham – Rocky Stone – Bruce Anderson.

Come along and enjoy the bowls or alternatively if you have a few hours to spare volunteer as a "helper". See one of the committee as to what is involved.

The new winter jackets have arrived – they look smart too. See Phil Baker to buy one (They are currently on special for a short time)

The PCMBC bowls calendar for July/ August is on the board. The full 2017 calendar is on our bowls web site under "Calendar 17".

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. Also club ltd badge draw at 7 and 8 pm currently stands at \$2000.

Remember to check out "latest bowls news" blog for news and happenings at clubs around our district, thanks to Brian Smith. 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:

Over 100 bowlers on a warm but windy winters day. Winners (\$15) P. Webster – D. Ramsay. Runners Up (\$10) J. Iacono – A. Baker – B. Phillips. Lucky Losers (\$7) K. Scotney – D. Dickman Geoff Ball missed the \$294 jackpot

#### Thursday:

Winners (\$15) B. Apps – K. Lipscombe. Runners Up (\$10) J. Breen – E. Dasczyk. Lucky losers (\$7) W. Connelly – T. Martin. "Kiwi" Kev Henwood missed out on the \$570 jackpot. (Applause all round !!!)

#### Friday:

Winners (\$15) G. McKay – B. Kemp. Runners Up (\$10) R. Owen – R. Thompson. Lucky losers (\$7) M. Rowsthorn – T. Smith Jackpot \$260 was not won.

#### Sunday:

No luck for Jennifer Munson with the jackpot.

Lucky envelopes to : Betty Hodgson, Julie McKay, Jim O'Brien, Terry Murray, John Iacono and D. Harvey.

Raffle winners : Betty Hodgson, Olly Cook and Hazel Durrant.

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Cheers Colin Halls