

FROM: Port Macquarie City Men's Bowling Club

DATE: Week Ending Sunday 25th March 2018

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 has been updated. We now have bowls steamed "live" from Port City. Listen to Phil "the Ray Warren of bowls" Baker call the shots

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

2018 Zone 14 state championships finals will be played at SWR on week-end of 21/22 April. Port City are represented in the triples with Callum Murray-Phil Baker and Craig Donaldson playing C. Willis – H. Kirkland – K. Price (PB), and in the open singles, Callum Murray plays R. Southam (PB).

Rain played havoc with social and championship bowls this week. The semi-final and the final of the singles will have to be re scheduled as will rounds 1 & 2 of the major pairs. A real headache for Phil.

Easter mixed carnival March 31st – April 2nd. Entry forms are at the kiosk. Saturday ladies triples (\$750 prize money, Sunday mixed triples (\$1000 prize money) and Monday men's pairs, also \$1000 in prize money. There is still time to enter.

2018 Mayor's Sporting Fund Bowls Day at Port City was postponed due to the wet weather, it has been re scheduled for Friday 4th May.

Pennant trials are set down for Saturday 7th April. Sheets are on the board, please tick your names if you are available.

Veterans Day – the annual Veterans day will be held Thursday 19th April. Bowls from 9.30 to 12.30 , followed by lunch. There is a sheet on the board.

A pennant unavailability sheet is on the board. Please let the selectors know which dates you are not available.

Marine Rescue Port Macquarie / Sailability – The weather gods were kind, and I believe around 150 bowlers participated. It sounds like a huge success.

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 Coppy's Butcher Block. The Club Ltd badge draw stands at \$2500 , with draws at 7pm and 8 pm.

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:

Wednesday:

Winners (\$20) R. Lardner – D. Trinder. Runners Up (\$10) C. Thornton – T. Mallia. Lucky Losers (\$10) P. Ascot-Evans – B. Collis.
Jackpot \$820. Missed by Goeff Ball & Co.

Thursday:

Rain.

Friday:

Even more rain

Sunday:

Marine Rescue/Sailability day

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Cheers

Colin Halls