

THE RIGHT BIAS

JUNE 2024

Hi Everyone

So here we are with another season of bowling over and the AGM done and dusted.

Congratulations to our President Denise on holding a successful meeting.

Congratulations to our new committee members.

A huge Congratulations to our new life members

Barry Mathews

Kerry Bradfield and

Ed Burley.

The winter Bowls program has begun with plenty of bowls to be played.

I believe Monday Scrounger is very popular, and some of our Ladies are playing (and doing very well) on the inter Club winter triples on a Tuesday afternoon.

The Men's Tuesday night Triples is well supported as is the Men's pairs on a Saturday afternoon.

Not to forget the Thursday after noon mixed triples which commenced this week.

Night Owl Bowls is still going well with another six week session to start again after a weeks break.

I will be playing where possible and encourage all bowlers to play its great way to practise and a great opportunity to practice those shots.

See you on the green

Cheers

Lesley



Presidents Report June 2024

Hello everyone.

Management met for the first time tonight since the AGM.

Welcome to:

President: Denise Willcock

Vice President: Aled Williams

Treasurer: Kerry Bradfield

Sponsorship and Marketing: Neil Richardson

Men's Match: Mark Willcock

Men's Match Committee of Peter Collings; Geoff Bradfield; Ray Jarvis; Sante Zuliani; Brian Snellin, Michael Deworboies, Phil Jolley; Darrell Wyatt and Len Stansfield

Ladies Director of Bowls: Kerry West

Greens: Ed Burley

The hard-working team of Greg Rundell, Geoff Bury, Bernie Mills and Matt Fowler.

Positions that were vacant at the AGM and that have since been filled.

House Manager: John Smith. (Thanks John)

Ladies Match: Glenda Hollingsworth

The Ladies Match Committee of Dot Waller, Trish Wren, Julie Joynes & Maz Hunter.

Glenda tells me there are two others who are still thinking about joining. Thankyou Glenda for stepping up to this role.

Membership Services: Kelly Brown, Gemma Adamini -

Social events. Great to see two new faces. Good luck to you both.

We are still actively looking for a Men's Director of Bowls.

All positions as per our current constitution are a two-year term. Thankyou to the new members who expressed an interest via email before tonight's meeting. Gemma, Kelly, John and Julie Joynes. It was great to have you at the meeting tonight.

With this committee I look forward to a great year. Kelly and Gemma had some great ideas and input. Good luck with social events girls.

To all others on management here's to a great year!

PRESIDENTS REPORT CONTINUED

Many of management are away or about to go away. Kerry and Neil are already happily ensconced up in Exmouth; Aled is about to head to the UK to visit family; Glenda and Bill are about to go on another trip and Mark and Denise are off to Exmouth on Sunday. I wish you all a great holiday. Whilst we are all away John Smith and Kerry West will address any issues along with Dee and Kris' help. Mark Aled Glenda and Denise will all be back the last week of June. Kerry and Neil sometime in September!

At the recent AGM the notice of motion for the Constitution was lost. A sub committee will work on the constitution; management will address the bylaws and when ready a Special General Meeting will be called for members to vote on the Constitution. What was presented was a starting point and this sub committee will address issues that were discussed at the AGM.

Management is working on the fixture book and hopefully they are getting closer to being finished. Thankyou Mark, Kerry, Jayne and your committee members who are spending a lot of time getting this fixture book right. You would not believe the number of events that need to be juggled. Not only MBRC events but also Bowls WA and Murray League events. Great effort team.

We are still awaiting notification on Men's chair of Selectors and committee members.

Ladies' selectors are meeting next week to choose the chairperson.

These ladies include, Gayle George, Lesley Gould, Joy Donohoe, Fran Hunter & Jenny Forrest.

There are some bowling functions coming up that we need volunteers for. If you can help, please see Dee. Tuesday next week for instance we have two functions in the afternoon that still need volunteers. Don't be shy offer your services.

Congratulations to three very deserving members on receiving Life Membership. Barry Mathews, Ed Burley and Kerry Bradfield.

I would like to thank Patricia Charlton for all her hard work over the past two years as Vice President. Patricia was always willing to assist with any situation; a great listener and very supportive to me, Kerry, Dee and Management. I knew I could rely on Patricia, and this sort of support makes my role a lot easier. We made a good team Thankyou Patricia.

I look forward to a great 2024 – 2025 year. Please support the club when and where you can. I will see you all around the club when we return late June.

Regards

Denise Willcock

President



Infrastructure Grants update AGM 2024.

The Greens and Lighting upgrades were done under the MBRC 5-year plan which forms part of our lease and is a blueprint for Greens and infrastructure upgrades going forward.

Projects attracting Grants and Sponsorship completed in the past 2 years.

“D” Green Synthetic green Upgrade & Green Roller:	\$145,200.00
“A” Green Synthetic green upgrade.	\$ 124,439.70
Outdoor LED Lighting:	\$53,031.00
Indoor Green LED Lighting upgrade.	\$15,535.52

The cost and associated funding for the above projects is as follows:

Total Cost: \$338,206.22

MBRC \$83,692.61 (Greens and Grants account)

DLGSC \$178,650.61 (CSRFF and CNLP Grants)

CITY OF MANDURAH: \$61,563.00 (Grants)

BENDIGO BANK (HHBC) \$11,000.00 (Sponsorship)

ALCOA ACTION GRANT \$3,300.00 (Recycle old fitting by Employees)

The Club is now in discussion with various parties to discuss finance and logistics for the Upgrade to the Carpet on the Indoor Green.

Please find attached a breakdown of costs associated with the Infrastructure Projects.

The 5-year plan will now have to be revised to suit our infrastructure projects going forward including the resurfacing of “B “green and sustainable water for the Synthetic greens.

Regards Neil Richardson.

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The MBRC acknowledge the support by the City of Mandurah for Umpire Training and the supply of Bowls Australia approved Hunter Laser Measures



Ladies Match Captain Report/Member Services

A very big thankyou to all those who have stepped up to take on the role of Ladies Match and Member Services.

Glenda Hollingsworth is now the New Match Captain, coming with a wealth of experience having done this role for several years previously.

I'm sure you have all read the Match Committee EOY Report which recapped the year.

2024-25 Fixtures have almost been completed, just waiting on some confirmation of dates for outside events which in turn affect some of our dates.

Going forward we have suggested and have done so this year that the outgoing Match Captains do the following year fixture.

Allowing a longer time frame to print and books will be ready earlier.

Thanks to Kerry West for helping and making sure the fonts and layout and dates are correct and Dee who does the front end and members lists in the book.

Thanks to all who have supported our outgoing Match for the last two years. We have made some positive changes for ladies in our term.

Please support the new committee and their bowls events.

Anyone willing to help please offer your services to Glenda.

Member Services: Watch this space! New ideas and events coming your way.

Our aim is to bring us all together, building and uniting our member community on and off the green.

Making the most of our fabulous facility.

More to come next newsletter.....

I thought I might try and have a bit of fun with a Who Am I
It will be a member of the club and I will give the answer in the next edition

WHO AM I

I Played Football for Mandurah Mustangs

I have been Married twice

I Enjoy a Beer or two

I Ran with the bulls in Spain

I Went to Kent Street High School

I have Written a Book

I Won the Novice Championship

**You don't have to
have it all figured out
to move forward...
Just take the next step.**



PROJECT		FINAL COST		
Greens/Infrastructure		EXC GST	GST	TOTAL
Synthetic Surface D Green		\$132,000.00	\$13,200.00	\$145,200.00
Synthetic Surface A Green		\$113,127.00	\$11,312.70	\$124,439.70
Indoor LED Lighting		\$14,123.20	\$1,412.32	\$15,535.52
CNLP Outdoor Greens		\$48,210.00	\$4,821.00	\$53,031.00
CSRFF Submission C Green		IN PROGRESS		
TOTAL	TOTAL	\$307,460.20	\$30,746.02	\$338,206.22
Club Assistance Grant				
COVID Cleaning Grant		\$2,000.00		
Clubs WA Seminar		\$500		
Small Business Grant		\$10,000.00		
	TOTAL	\$12,500.00		
Community Grants				
Bowls 4 Life Program		\$2,000.00		
MBRC Open Day		\$750.00		
Umpires Grant 00133 (2024)		\$500.00		
ALCOA Action Grant C LED			SEE ABOVE RIGHT	
	TOTAL	\$3,250.00		

From Patricia Charlton

I thought I would write a few last words to thank all of you that voted for me, I was very grateful, though sadly we did not have the numbers, but I do so appreciate the effort

I am very proud of what the committee achieved in the last two years, and of being part of this success.

I wish all the committee well and good fortune in the times ahead.

Please remember if you have any concerns or question, please put them in writing via email or by hand to the office, so they can be dealt with

Lastly please support the committee, it's all very well to find fault and pontificate over points of concerns, but you do not put up your hand to offer help or suggest a subcommittee to help work through points and concerns, we are one club working together/

So now I will see you all on the rinks as a player, so do say hello (:

Wishing you all well and happy bowling Patricia

PRESENTATION NIGHT

BOWLERS OF THE YEAR

Mens Bowler of the Year 2023-2024



Tim Hyatt

Ladies Bowler of the Year 2023-2024



Shirley De Jong

RISING STARS FOR 2024

Jenny Ritchie Rising Star
2023/2024



Julie Joynes

Ron Taylor Rising Star
2023/2024



Mick Harris and
Warren McDonald

Congratulations

WELCOME TO OUR NEW MEMBERS

William Hyatt (B)

Tamara Hyatt (B)

Yolanthe Bates (B)

Robbie Tiller (B)

Wayne Brittain (B)

Allan Mc Dougall (B)

Geoff Jenkin (S)

Douglas Peacock (S)

Bryan Chalwell (S)

Colleen Shaban (S)

Michael Lawrence (B)

Peter Lamplough (S)

Peter Mephay (S)

Victor Ball (B)

Brian Hoult (B)

Janet Jenkin (S)

Dane Bingham (S)

Les Finlayson (S)

Gillian Carr (S)

Liz Lamplough (S)

Denis MacKenlay (S)

Jodie Foott (S)

Carol Hoult (B)

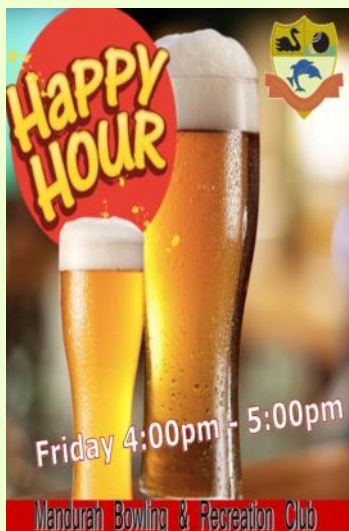
Anne Bingham (S)

Diane Miles (S)

Aya Peacock (S)

Ngahuia Nelson (S)

Thomas Carr (S)



Men's Match Captain Report

We are at the end of another successful bowling year where our ladies & men have excelled at League level & have done the club proud at pennant & championship level.

Several of our pennant divisions featured in this year's Grand Finals with 3 divisions winning their pennant Grand Final.

As most of you are aware, we have run many men's & mixed events throughout the year with participation levels increasing across the board.

As well as these events, our club championships have been played & our club champions have been honoured at the club presentation held Saturday night 18th May, with a very good turnout of members to acknowledge the achievements of our club's best bowlers. Unfortunately, some of the winners were not available to collect their certificate & winnings on the night.

Congratulations to our Bowlers of the year, Shirley De Jong & Tim Hyatt for an outstanding year.

We have a round of the BPL Cup being played on Friday night 28th June with the possibility to hold a Regional Final at our club (date to be confirmed).

We also have the PBA Tournament being played at our club on Saturday & Sunday 6th, 7th, 13th & 14th July. I would encourage our members to come along to witness the very high standard of bowls that will be played by all the bowlers competing.

Men's Pirates on Friday afternoons is still being extremely well supported as is Scroungers on Monday afternoons.

Tuesday night Men's Indoor Triples, which started on 7th May & Saturday afternoon Men's Indoor Pairs starting on 1st June, are as popular as ever with nominations several weeks in advance already filled.

Club coaching is available on Monday mornings at 11am with Jeanette Hislop & on Thursday mornings at 9.30am with Mark Willcock for anyone wishing to learn how to bowl or to improve their skills. Thursday morning coaching is by appointment only from 27th June until the end of August.

I would like to thank our Men's Match Committee, particularly Peter Collings, Sante Zuliani, Geoff Bradfield & Ray Jarvis for their ongoing hard work & dedication to ensuring the Men's & Mixed events run smoothly ably supported by the Ladies Match Committee when called upon.

I would also like to welcome Brian Snellin, Mike Deworboies, Phil Jolley, Darrell Wyatt & Len Stansfield to the match committee for the coming season.

We also have 3 newly accredited male umpires, Mark Willcock, Mike Deworboies & Ross Waller to add to the list of existing umpires, Sante Zuliani & Ernie Gobby.

We need to train up a few extra members in the use of the PAMI scoring system to take some of the load off Erica Eayrs, who has been doing our PAMI results for the various events that we have held this season.

I would like to thank all our bowling members for their support for myself & our men's match committee, as there is a lot of work that goes on in the background to organise & run the various events that most members don't see.

Good luck to the management committee & to all our club members for the coming year.

Mark Willcock

Ladies Match Captain Report

In volunteering as Ladies Match Captain for the coming year, I'd firstly like to acknowledge the great work done by Deb Rundell and the outgoing match committee.

They will be hard shoes to fill!

Luckily, two of last year's committee have agreed to come on board and add some experience to our new members. A big thank you to Dot Waller, Shirley de Jong, Maz Hunter, Trish Wren and Julie Joynes our new match committee! We are hoping to maybe recruit a few more ladies as many hands make light work!

We will be meeting in the near future to fine-tune our ideas and aims for our ladies social bowls days. This really needs the support of all our members honouring the ladies club day on Thursdays. Our ladies always do a great job of representing Mandurah club within our league and wider! This shouldn't be at the expense of our own club's program. This is such an important time for our members to socialise and really get to know one another!

Looking forward to another year of successes, friendship and fun on the greens!

Glenda Hollingsworth.

BOWLS AWARDS NIGHT

The Country Club of the Year award was handed out at the Bowls WA Awards Night.

Although we are a finalist in the Country Club of the Year

Our reps were there to witness the shindig and cheer on Pinjarra as they rolled away with the top honor!



Some of our club members dressed up to represent the club at the Bowls WA Awards Night



SOUTH WEST ROLLERS

South West Rollers

Our group consists of 14 active bowlers and 15 social members and Directors.

We would like to welcome Matt Fowler as a new volunteer Director.

We encourage and welcome any vision impaired bowlers and anyone wanting to join as a Director, to give it a go.

We meet every fortnight at the Club from 9.30 and our next meeting is 21/06/24.

We enjoy great company, a cuppa, chat and of course ... fierce bowls competition.

We are currently fundraising to send 3 bowlers,

Sharon Werndly (Director Dot Waller),

Martin Downs (Director Ross Waller)

and David Goddard

to the National Australian Blind Bowlers Championships in Mildura in July 24.

Please support our efforts by buying tickets in our raffle, which is located in the bar area or by making a donation to help cover the cost of uniforms, airfares, fees and accommodation for our bowlers.

Thank you for your support.

RAFFLE

3 of our South West Rollers, along with their directors, are travelling to NSW in July to compete in the **BLIND & VISION IMPAIRED NATIONALS**.

To help them on their way a raffle has been organised with tickets selling for \$5 per number, available in the members bar.

DRAWN FRIDAY 28th JUNE, 2024



BPL CUP



CLUB: MANDURAH BOWLING & RECREATION CLUB
DATE & TIME: FRIDAY EVENING 28th JUNE 2024 from 5:00pm
INFO: REGISTER ONLINE AT WWW.BOWLS.COM.AU/BPL-CUP

2 SETS OF 5 ENDS
1 END THE BREADKER IF REQUIRED
TEAMS OF 3 OR 4
PLAYING 2 BOWL TRIPLES



Its here again bowlers.....

BPL qualifying event to get you closer to competing at Pine Rivers.

Go online to enter your team.

All players in a team must belong to the same club.

PLAYER IN FOCUS

Deb Rundell

Nickname: Deb
Birthday: 25th February 1958
Family: Greg, Renae, Hollie and grandchildren Charlotte, Ellie and Eli
Position Played : Second
Hobbies: All things sporty and Doing Renos
Sports Hero: Ash Barty/Roger Federer
Favourite Food: Pork/Fish
Favourite Drink: Bubbles
Favourite Holiday Destination: Canada/ Bali
Dream Date: Oprah Winfrey, Anh Do, Ant Middleton

Things you don't know about me:

Life Member of Mandurah Netball Association
Walked on coals at power of the Mind Seminar
Love a good Clairvoyant reading



This month we are putting the spotlight on our outgoing Ladies Captain Deb Rundell

Deb has had a great 2 years as Captain and done an amazing job. During her term as Captain she has also managed to play some incredible bowls and certainly made her name known around town in the bowling world.



Good Luck Deb in your next venture!



Winners of the Men's Open Triples played on the 29th May and Sponsored by Peel Paint Place & 4 Life Physio:

- 1st Ken Barker Bucky & Doug Ashfield.
- 2nd Aled Peter Urich & Richo.
- 3rd Simmo Scotty & Russ T.

COMING SOON

Mandurah Bowling & Recreation Club
INDOOR DRAWN MIXED TRIPLES
 Thursday 6th June 2024
 through to
 Thursday 29th August 2024

12:30 for 1:00pm start
 Name tags on arrival
 \$12.00 nomination
 Anyone is welcome to play

Contact Fay Grant 0428 171 026
 or Fran Hunter 0410 725 688

MENS OPEN INDOOR PAIRS
 Saturday 1st June - Saturday 29th June
 Saturday 20th July - Saturday 31st August
 Mandurah Bowling & Recreation Club

2 x 2 x 2 x 2 pairs
 2 games of 10 ends
 \$30.00 per team
 No roll up - No dead ends
 Dress Mufti
 12:30 for 1:00 start
 Limited to 14 teams

NOMINATION SHEET ON THE NOTICEBOARD
 Or contact
 9535 1438
 REG PEARCE 0438 297 652
 info@mbrc.com.au 0402 300 601





WA PBA Tournament
 Mandurah Bowling & Recreation Club
 Saturday 6th and 13th July '24
 Sunday 7th and 14th July '24

In excess of 100 entries—this promises to be a keenly contested event in both Singles and Pairs



World Indoor Singles
World Indoor Pairs
UK Open Singles
Scottish International Singles

Mandurah Bowling & Recreation Club
Mens Tuesday Open Indoor Triples
 7th May - 24th September, 2024
 MAXIMUM OF 14 TEAMS
 6:00 for 6:15 start
 \$45 per team
 21 ends - 2 bowls
 1 end roll up
MUFTI



Nominate your team by e-mail or by phone
 Please leave a contact number for confirmation

9535 1438 info@mbrc.com.au

MANDURAH BOWLING & RECREATION CLUB
WINTER 8's
 2nd June - 18th August

It is your opportunity to keep your bowling going through the winter months with the 8's event.

Sorry EVENT CANCELLED

Prize money

Mandurah Bowling & Recreation Club




Inter Club Visit
 Sunday 23rd June 2024

2 bowl mixed fours (triples if low numbers)
 9:30am for 10:00am start
 COST \$12 per player
 2 games 15 ends—no roll up
 Dress mufti or club uniform
 Morning and afternoon tea provided
 BYO lunch or order on arrival

WAYNES WINDSCREENS
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Names on the sheet by 4:00pm Thursday 20th June, 2024
 or contact the office on 9535 1438
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BPL CUP

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 DATE & TIME: FRIDAY EVENING 28th JUNE 2024 from 5:00pm
 INFO: REGISTER ONLINE AT WWW.BOWLS.COM.AU/BPL-CUP

2 SETS OF 5 ENDS
 1 END TIE BREAKER IF REQUIRED
 TEAMS OF 3 OR 4
 PLAYING 2 BOWL TRIPLES




COUNTRY COACHING ENHANCEMENT SCHEME
 with Linda Warburton
 Being held at the Brunswick Bowling Club

Open to all bowlers within the Murray, Blackwood, Southwest, Leeuwin leagues, who have an ambition to further their bowls, i.e. strive for League and Zone selection, play State and Masters events, attain selection at the highest level at their club.

Expression of interest forms are available from the office.
 Lunch will be provided both days.



Saturday 28th September and Sunday 29th September, 2024

Closing date 23rd August, 2024
 Enquiries can be directed through to Linda on 0402 261 053