

# Home of the Roosters

*Something to crow about...*



**AUGUST 2020**

**Edition 006**

Welcome to the August edition of 'Something to crow about' newsletter. We hope to continue to provide updates on what is occurring at the club on a regular basis.

## FROM THE CLUB PRESIDENT

It has been a very busy month for us with the major activity being the remedial work on the undercover green by Green Planet Grass GPG (the installer of the greens surfaces).

Tony Crockett the General Manager for GPG supervised the entire operation, his work with his team was critical to the success of the work carried out. My thanks go out to the 30 plus volunteers we had for each of the days to roll the surface backwards and forwards the task wasn't easy but it was very gratifying to know when we needed help the members and other volunteers came forward to help the team. The Bowl and Fork continues its great work, I thank Ronald and his team for the effort they are putting in to make it a success, they have been getting busier but could always do with more customers please support the Bowl and Fork it not only helps Ronald and his team it brings customers to the club as well.

One of the functions during the month of July was Christmas in July, it was a great event, we have received tremendous feedback from those attending, and finally the Mediterranean Cup was conducted on Sunday 2nd August, John Ursic (Med Cup organiser) did a wonderful job keeping all the team focused, the event was played in great spirit, the teams all complemented the club on the facility and the playing surface.

The Bowl and Fork provided all of the lunches for the Med cup, they did a marvellous job (they even allowed me to don the apron to help) however we did learn some important lessons with lunch orders for such events in future which we will implement to improve our delivery service.

Finally with COVID we all need to maintain our vigilance and social distancing, the consequences of not doing so, is we return to the earlier stages and lockdowns we must follow the guidelines for everyone's health and wellbeing.

## FROM THE FACILITY MANAGER



On Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> August, Marc Abonnel provided the Club Executive the following update on works currently under way or planned to be carried out in the near future.

- Kitchenette installation completed
- Darts storage room mods to be carried out
- Function Menu's and T&C's drafts completed
- Website development beta version released
- Flagpoles approved by council
- Undercover Green remedial works completed
- E - Honour Board working
- New ATM agreement under review, order placed
- Social membership cards delivered
- Function Room entry double doors to toilets, a swipe card reader now installed to improve security
- Proposal to modify the existing Function Room storage room
- Pianola to be given to a good home
- Greens water cooler quotations are being sought
- Music over the PA - fees to be paid
- Club clothing under way i.e. short/long sleeve jackets
- Bar staff shirts ordered
- Issues with Telstra, club fixed phone line close to being rectified
- Bowls score card manufacturers in Qld advised to cease contacting our nearby businesses

## MONDAY MORNING BUSY BEE



We continue to have Monday morning Busy Bees, the attendance has dropped off recently, they take place between 08:30 – 10:30. We do provide coffee and cake (with less attendees it means those of us that are there get to eat more cake), Faye Harriss has been baking for the workers her efforts are very good; we thank Faye and the other ladies who have also helped with the baking. We will continue the mornings as there is a long list of works to complete.

## CLUB INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY (IT)



Brent McMillan has rolled out the Media Management System, it is called McAwesome TV. Brent provided the following overview of his great work

” The idea behind McAwesome TV is to allow the clubs' Smart TVs to display images and videos on the TV's and let them to be scheduled to run at different times of the day or week or month, with different schedules for each TV.

This can include club information, upcoming events, our sponsor's details and advertisements, menus for breakfast and evenings, with minimal difficulty and maximum clarity.

Commercially available applications' to do this would charge a monthly fee, and require a separate hardware device. The application developed by Brent is free to the club and easy to use (well, it's still in development, but that's the intention)".

How lucky are we have someone do this for the Club.

## LUCKY MEMBER DRAW



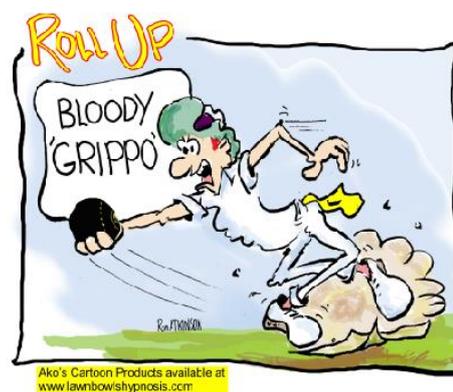
The Lucky member draw commencement date will be announced in the near future.

## THE BOWL AND FORK

ALL-DAY BREAKFAST	
RAISIN TOAST	\$4
PANCAKES WITH BANANA	\$10
MUFFINS OF THE DAY	\$3
TOMATO AND TOAST	\$5
toasted bread, tomatoes	
EGG AND TOAST	\$8
two eggs cooked your way, grilled tomato, and toast bread	
EGGS BENEDICT	\$10
two slices of bread topped with poached egg and hollandaise sauce and bacon rashers	
BACON EGG BURGER	\$10
Toasted burger buns with bacon, egg & BBQ sauce	
THE BIG BREAKFAST	\$15
two eggs cooked your way, smoked bacon, grilled tomato, filled mushroom, chipolatas, baked beans, hash brown, sourdough	
ADD ONS 2 DOLLAR	
EGG 1 PC COOKED ANYWAYS	
GRILLED HALF TOMATO	
SALTED MUSHROOMS	
HASH BROWN/POTATO GEM	
CHIPOLATAS	
BACON 1 RASH	
HAM 1 SLICE	

The Bowl and Fork is receiving very good reviews, the attendances are increasing but off course they could always do with more customers.

Ronald and his team are open **7 days a week** with Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner, they look forward to meeting everyone, please make yourself known to the team of Rolly, Jules, Ronnie, Beth and Tina they are a fantastic team and would love to meet all of our members and guests.



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## COCKBURN CRC WEB SITE



The Website development company has provided a beta release (early version) for review, comments have been provided to the developers we await the next version for our review.

## BEELIAR DRIVE FILTER LANE



There is no update, we await the findings by Council for the left turn into Beelias Drive from Birchley Road. This is a safety concern for road users we will continue to work with Council to improve the intersection for the safety our members and local residents.

## CLUB ELECTRONIC-HONOUR BOARDS

Honour Board in the Members Entry Foyer

Cockburn Bowling and Recreational Club			
CLUB ADMINISTRATION COMMITTEE			
YEAR	PRESIDENT	SECRETARY	TREASURER
1964	S. ELLIMAN	D. OBRIEN / J. EARNSHAW	R. TANNER
1965	S. ELLIMAN	J. EARNSHAW	R. TANNER
1966	S. ELLIMAN	J. EARNSHAW	F. STREET
1967	S. ELLIMAN	J. EARNSHAW	F. STREET
1968	J. MARSHALL	F. STREET	R. PALIN
1969	J. MARSHALL	F. STREET	R. PALIN
1970	J. MARSHALL	F. STREET	R. PALIN
1971	M. SRDAROV	F. STREET	R. PALIN
1972	M. SRDAROV	F. STREET	K. MONAGHAN
1973	M. SRDAROV	F. STREET	K. MONAGHAN
1974	W. HARRISON	F. STREET	K. RICKMAN
1975	F. STREET	J. GUZZELLI	K. RICKMAN
1976	F. STREET	J. GUZZELLI	K. RICKMAN
1977	F. STREET	J. GUZZELLI	K. RICKMAN
1978	D. OBRIEN	K. MYERS	K. RICKMAN
1979	D. OBRIEN	K. MYERS	K. RICKMAN
1980	D. OBRIEN	K. MYERS	K. RICKMAN
1981	R. PALIN	A. HENDERSON	K. MYERS
1982	H. REYNOLDS	A. HENDERSON	K. MYERS

The Electronic-Honour Board are now functioning you will have noticed the Members Lounge entry foyer monitor has the clubs honour boards (39 in total) scrolling through the clubs achievements and succusses.

Some more fun facts for the boards are:-

- Since 1967 the mens club singles has been played 54 times there has been 3 players who have dominated the event; between them they have won a total of 16 titles can you guess who they are? *The answer is on the last page of the newsletter.*
- Since 1967 the ladies club singles has been played 54 times there has been 3 dominant players who have won the title 27 times between them, can you guess who they are? *The answer is on the last page of the newsletter.*

## WINTER COMPETITIONS



The Winter Tuesday/Saturday Pairs and Thursday Drawn Mixed Pairs competitions all continue with very good attendances.

We are extremely grateful to the team led by Mark Binns, Doug Gallagher and Jim Bell (Jim had gone in search of warm weather for a few weeks) Faye Harriss and Dot Jones.

If you want to have a game please give them a call simply put you name down on the lists (see the match office notice board) to get a spot, great work team.

## FROM THE LADIES BOWLS PRESIDENT

A big hello to all the ladies our Thursday bowls will be commencing soon, date to be confirmed.

I am looking forward to seeing all the ladies in the near future ready for the new season.

## FROM THE MENS BOWLS PRESIDENT

Protection of our greens is our highest priority, hence the management of social bowlers remains one of the clubs biggest concerns, and social bowlers play such an important role for the club, we need to implement a suitable policy in how we book social bowlers, coach and monitor social bowlers when they use our most important asset.

I would like to highlight last Saturday as an example when 24 social bowlers turned up as a company social, we didn't have any members arranged to supervise the event, a number of members who were at the club volunteered; my thanks go to Donna, Kaye, Nicki and Brent who helped manage the social group to ensure that they enjoyed their time at our club.

The 2019/20 pennant playoffs for fourth division are scheduled, 19<sup>th</sup> September at Leeming 1.00pm for a 1.30pm start, see the notice board for further details.

To finish up I just want to remind all members our club trophy ball night on the 10<sup>th</sup> October prior to the start of the Bowls season. I hope all those bowlers who won trophies turn up on the night to collect their prizes.

## MEDITERRANEAN CUP 2020

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ITALY



GREECE



MACCABI



CROATIA

The Mediterranean Cup 2020 was conducted at the Cockburn Bowling club on Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> August (played between Croatia, Greece, Italy and Maccabi) there were 64 players representing the 4 countries. John Ursic was the coordinator together with Michael Zusman, they did a terrific job all the competitors enjoyed the day immensely, the current points table is:-

1. Croatia - 19 Points
2. Italy - 14 Points
3. Maccabi - 13 Points
4. Greece - 1 Point

There is a continuing round of 3 games to be played at Stirling Bowling Club on 30<sup>th</sup> August, players are reminded to advise the team managers if they can participate.

In the first round Croatia lost the aggregate by one shot, they did pick up 3 rink wins but couldn't cover the loss on one rink, the other close game was Maccabi defeating Italy by 1 shot, so it is well add up to make the final day at Stirling an exciting finish.

## LEGENDS DAY CARNIVAL



The Peter Sardelic  
**LEGENDS**  
carnival  
**\$1000 First Prize**  
2nd - \$600 3rd - \$400 4th - \$300 5th - \$200 \*  
Round prizes - Raffles - Giveaways

2 games each consisting 2 sets of 8 ends plus tie breaker if needed.

27<sup>th</sup> of September 2020

9.30 for a 10.00 start

\$140 per team any gender combination.

Dress - Bowls attire

Includes 2 course lunch and afternoon tea

Nominations - [admin@cockburncric.com.au](mailto:admin@cockburncric.com.au)

Steve Srhoy - 9418 1106 - 0409 418 440  
Cockburn BC - 6498 9049  
40 Birchley Road cnr Beeliar Drive Yangebup.

• Prizes based on number of entries



We have set the date for the Legends Carnival, it will be **Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> September (see above)**, please enter your team on the even nomination sheet on the match office notice board. **We also urgently require donations for the raffles for the Carnival, if you can help please contact Steve Srhoy.**

## BEELIAR DRIVE DISPLAY

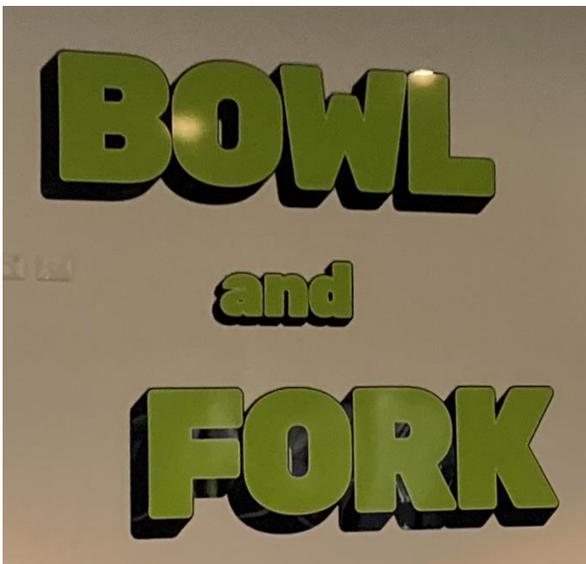
We have received an updated quotation from another sign manufacturing company we shall be submitting a new application to council for funding consideration and approval to proceed with the sign installation.

## SOCIAL COMMITTEE



The Social committee is seeking nominations from full or social members who are willing to help with planning, managing and conducting club social functions, please add your name to the nomination forms currently placed on the Match office notice board, the nominations will be announced at the AGM. Any member wishing to be a part of a dynamic team can apply.

## CLUB SIGNAGE



You would have been hard pressed to not notice the new signage in the members lounge, they are quite impressive. Marc put the art work together and the finished result is fantastic.

## TAB AREA OPEN & IMPROVEMENTS



The TAB has reopened, new chairs, ATM and in-house dining at the Bowl and Fork make for happy TAB guests.

## CHRISTMAS IN JULY



The Bowl and Fork conducted a Christmas in July, it was on Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> July there were over 150 guests attending from all reports it was a tremendous event with great food, thank you to everyone for helping and participating.



"He won't eat!"

## FOOTBALL TIPPING



Football Tipping is continuing, the competition is open to all members remember tips must be lodged one hour prior to the first game of the round.



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**FROM THE DARTS PRESIDENT**



Sheryl Ward has provided the report on Darts see below, if anyone is interested in playing darts in winter or summer please phone Sheryl on **0413 211 822** or

Email: [swar1322@bigpond.net.au](mailto:swar1322@bigpond.net.au)

**Darts Update: Round 9**

Congratulations to B Grade who won 6/5 against Dalmatinac.

Unfortunately our C grade lost 4/7 to the Willagee Rugby Club and our A and D teams were on a bye.

My congratulations must go to Sean Bremner from D Grade for throwing 180 and also Ben Flannigan for his impressive 114 peg.

The ladder now stands at:

- A Grade - FIRST,
- B Grade - THIRD,
- C Grade - SIXTH,
- D Grade - FIRST.

We will be working with Sheryl to compile the honour board information for the Cockburn Darts teams. If you can provide any assistance to Sheryl to gather the darts history it would be very much appreciated.

**ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING NOTICE**



40 Birchley Road, Yangebup 6149, Western Australia  
T (08) 9498 9049 Email : [admin@cockburncrc.com.au](mailto:admin@cockburncrc.com.au)



Date: 3<sup>rd</sup> August 2020

**Subject: Notice of AGM - Cockburn Bowling & Recreational Club Inc**

1. The Notice of Annual General Meeting shall take place on Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> October commencing at 10:00.
2. Notices of Motion or matters for special business must be lodged with the Secretary in writing by 5pm no less than fourteen (14) days prior to the date set for the AGM see clause 11c of the Club Constitution.
3. Only Life and Financial Full members are entitled to vote at the AGM (see clause 5c of the Club Constitution).
4. Nominations are open for Executive positions on the Management Committee for the coming 2020-21 membership year. Nomination are required for a President, Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer
5. Management positions for two Directors are also open;
6. All nominations shall be duly proposed and seconded by Life or Financial Full members, must be in writing signed by the proposer and nominee and must be in the hands of the Secretary by 5pm not less than seven (7) days before the Annual General Meeting (see clause 15c of the club Constitution).
7. The nominations shall be exhibited on the notice board and/or electronically posted at least three (3) days prior to the said meeting.
8. Nominees must be financial at the time of nomination

Yours Sincerely

Club Executive

The Annual General Meeting notice has been emailed to all club members (see above), it will take place on **Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> October commencing at 10:00.**

**MEMBERS FEES DUE**



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Dear Member

Please find attached the following information for you to consider

1. Bowlers Fees are now due your payment of your fees will greatly assist the club.
  - a. Full Bowling members fees have been reduced to **\$180.00**
  - b. Recreational Bowler Member Adult fees has been reduced to **\$110**
  - c. Social Member Adult fees for 1 year or 2 years **\$20 or \$30**
  - d. Junior Bowler Member fees 13-18 years **\$10**
2. The Notice of **Annual General Meeting** is also attached it is scheduled to take place on Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> October commencing at 10:00.
3. Also attached you will find the revised Club Organisation Structure, as agreed by the Club Executive please have a look at what is proposed to reduce the number of committees required to operate the club
4. Nomination forms for Bowling Club Committee Positions for Ladies and Mens are now open, we need volunteers to fill the positions (the forms will be posted on the club notice board)

Yours Sincerely

Club Executive

**Members Fees are now due** (see the notice above sent to all members via email) your prompt payment greatly assists the club.

A woman goes into the local newspaper office to see that the obituary for her recently deceased husband is published. The editor informs her there is a charge of \$1.00 per word. She pauses, reflects, then says "Well, then, let it read: Fred Brown died." Amused at the woman's thrift, the editor tells her there is a seven word minimum for all obituaries. She thinks it over and in a few seconds says "In that case let it read, Fred Brown died: bowls equipment for sale"

The official sports drink when I was a kid..



### UNDERCOVER REFURBISHMENT WORK

### SOCIAL MEMBERS FEES



The Club Executive has approved a change in Social Members Fees, effective immediately:-

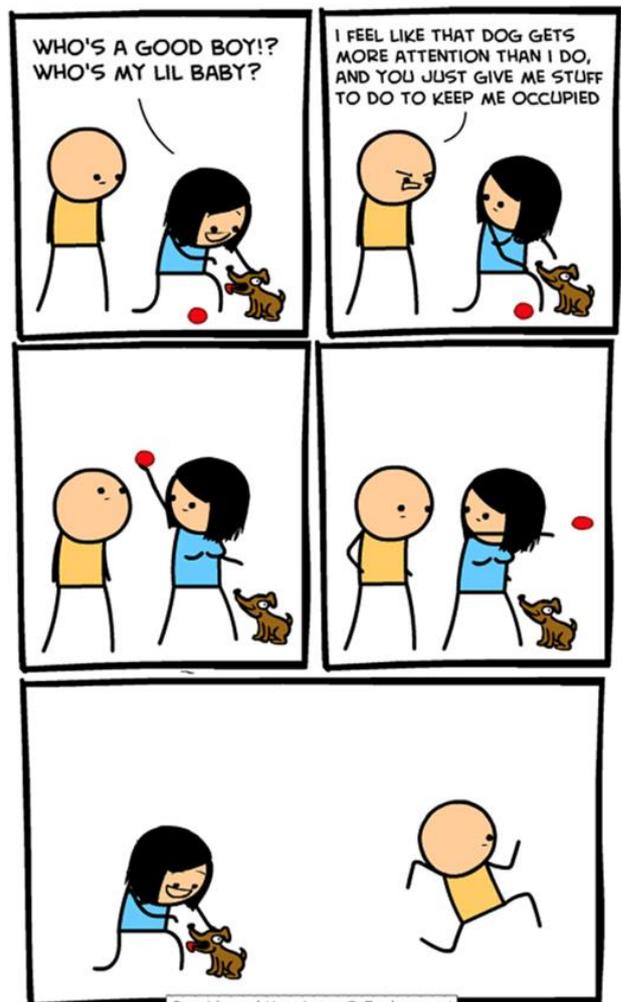
The fee structure shall be **\$20** for one year or **\$30** for two years.

With the assistance of many club volunteers, Green Planet Grass staff (the installer) and a number of Crothers Construction personal (the builder) our undercover green was rolled back to allow remedial work to be carried out,, the work took place over 4 days commencing on Monday 13<sup>th</sup> July, we are extremely grateful to the volunteers for their assistance in the roll back.

In the above photo you can see the number of people required to roll the playing surface, the challenge is to identify who was there, can you spot anyone you know.



In the photo above one of the Green Planet Grass staff applies the finishing touches to the sub-surface prior to the playing surface being rolled back.



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## OUR STAFF



Our awesome staff are at the club every day, they deserve our thanks and recognition for a job really well done.

They tackle all tasks with great professionalism and enthusiasm, please take a minute to say thank you to Tiana, Lisa, Kiandrah, Logan, Dee, Doug and Marc for all their great efforts, they won't mind if you tell them "great job thank you".

## CLUB PROMOTIONAL EVENTS HOST REQUIRED



We require the services of a host/s to manage a number of club promotional events.

The club promotions planned a Bingo, Chase the Ace and Lucky Member they all require the services of a host/s.

The duties will be to conduct the Bingo games, greet customers operate the random number machine and make announcements.

For Chase the Ace and Lucky Member draws, the duties will require a host to greet our customers, make announcements, supervise the draws and ensure the games are conducted in accordance with the clubs rules and conditions.

Anyone with a passion to be the best host in Perth can apply in person, at the club administration office.

## TRYING

If at first you don't succeed, Try one of the following:-.

- (1) Blame your Bowls
- (2) Blame someone else
- (3) Seek coaching.

## COVID-19 CORONAVIRUS

The Government of Western Australia has daily community and business advice you can get this information by visiting the below website:

<https://www.wa.gov.au/government/covid-19-coronavirus>



## Key announcements

### Phase 5 of the WA COVID-19 roadmap pushed back

7 August 2020

Based on the latest health advice, Phase 5 of the WA COVID-19 roadmap, due to be implemented on Saturday, 15 August, has been delayed.

The new tentative date will now be Saturday, 29 August.

A final decision on whether Phase 5 can proceed on this date will be decided in about 2 weeks' time.

Last updated: 5 August 2020 at 7.30am

## Current restrictions

Due to the world-leading response to COVID in WA, Phase 4 started on Saturday, 27 June (11.59pm Friday, 26 June) and has resulted in further easing of restrictions, including:

- all existing gathering limits and the 100/300 rule removed
- gathering limits now only determined by WA's reduced 2 square metre rule
- the 2 square metre rule will only include staff at venues that hold more than 500 patrons
- removal of seated service requirements at food businesses and licensed premises
- no requirement to maintain patron register at food businesses and licensed premises
- alcohol can be served as part of unseated service arrangements
- all events permitted except for large scale, multi-stage music festivals
- unseated performances permitted at venues such as concert halls, live music venues, bars, pubs and nightclubs
- gyms operating unstaffed, but regular cleaning must be maintained
- the casino gaming floor reopening under agreed temporary restrictions.

## HAVE SOMETHING TO CONTRIBUTE?

We are always looking for content to make this newsletter more relevant to you.

It is our intention to keep all club members informed on major developments around the club.

Please feel free to provide me with any feedback and/or news items you would like to see included.

These can be emailed to [admin@cockburncrc.com.au](mailto:admin@cockburncrc.com.au)

Keep safe.

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### Answer to the clubs honour boards questions:

1. Milan Bacich-6, Steve Srhoy-6 and Marko Krajancic-4.
2. Smilijana Jakovich-19, Nola Svenson-4, Heather Harrison-4.

### Our Sponsors are:



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