



Have you got your Hoodies yet?

WHAT'S HAPPENING?

1. Soup & Sandwich lunch is on 14 June (see over)
2. The AGM will be held on Sunday 18 June at 2.00 pm. Nomination forms for committees are out in the clubrooms.
3. The Ausmas Dinner will be held on 22 July – 6.30 for 7.00 pm. We require a minimum of 60 people, so please fill in the list in due course.

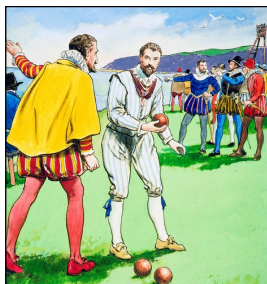
SOUP 'N SANDWICH LUNCH

It's been awhile since we had S 'n S lunch, so thought we might relive the last one held on 19 June 2019



Shrouded in the History of Bowls!!

In 1588, the great Spanish Armada was defeated by the puny English fleet under the command of Sir Francis Drake. The battle bolstered English pride and the popularity of Elizabeth I and turned Drake into a national hero. Some 40 years later, stories began circulating to explain why Drake didn't launch the English fleet immediately on hearing that the Spanish were approaching. Apparently, he was bowling on Plymouth Hoe when the news came. No one knows whether he felt strongly about work-life balance or just enjoyed a bit of macho trash-talking, but he decided there would "still be time to finish the game and beat the Spaniards too."



Long before "public-private partnership" became a political buzzword, three New York City landlords—Peter Jay, John Chambers, and Peter Bayard—offered to lease a portion of the Fort Amsterdam parade grounds to establish the city's first public park. It was 1733, and the developers' top priority for the park was a bowling green for the "delight of the inhabitants of the City." Jay, Chambers, and Bayard lived near Bowling Green Park; it's thought they were motivated by the convenience of a green on their doorsteps more than public delight.

Renting land in Manhattan didn't come cheap, even in the 1730s. The men paid the city one peppercorn per year. Expressed in today's peppercorns, that's at least several Grindr's worth.



I can still recall the various types of delicious home made soups and sandwiches and invite all to come along on 14 June and you can enjoy all the event has to offer.



**Soup & Sandwich Luncheon**

**\$15**

**14 June 2023**

**11:30 for 12:00**

**Trade Tables**

Fresh Produce      Crafts      Pre loved Fashion

**Claremont Bowls & Community Club**

1 Bournville Crescent, Claremont

Book with: Brenda 0416 564 778

**Winter members Weekly Draw**

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Draw No 3 of 11/5/23 No 186 belonging to Roger Bastone, who was not present. For draw No 4 the amount is \$80.00



At the board of management meeting held on 8/5/2023 the bar management contract for the 2023/4 year was awarded to members "Jason and Denise Pulen" we wish them all the best in their new endeavour. Jason and Denise will commence duty as of 1/7/2023.

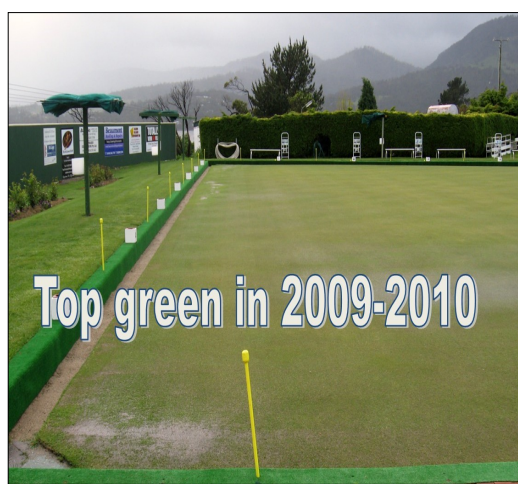


The board pays tribute and thanks to the outgoing bar managers "Alan Anderson and Derek Jolly" they have been on the job for so long it seems they were born behind the bar.



Getting Norm Goodwin and Kevin 'T Pot' Mann to look at the camera together is not easy!

**Believe It or Not!**



**Sick List**

Early recovery for all who may be unwell.



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