



R 14 Midweek –Wednesdays 7/2/24

Div 3: CMT 68-12 d Sorell 45-0. Paul ‘Sharkie’ Davie 28 d R Holland 15, Steve ‘The Boss’ Davie 25 d N Winthrop 14 & Dean ‘The Man’ Shaw 17 d J Scott 16.

As Joel 2.7 once wrote: “They charge like warriors; they scale walls like soldiers. They all march in line, not swerving from their course.” Was Joel thinking of our Div 3 Midweek side that conquered the country folk at Sorell?



Alas Bazza McDonald was felled and taken to the infirmary. A call to the barracks soon had

Garry ‘Paddy’ O’Brien in as substitute.

Climbing the ladder of success is a journey that requires patience, hard work, and the right strategies. It is not an easy path, but with the right mindset, discipline, and tactics, anyone can achieve their goals and reach their desired level of success. Now you must cling to that position!

Div 4: CMT 61-11 d Sandy Bay 52-11. Garry Francis 16 drew with G Squibb 16, Tom Foley 22 d G Pearce 15 & Bill Miller 23 d D Pegg 21.

Any win at the Bay is a good win and our boys did a good job to come home with 11 points. “Good show, chaps”.

Ladder 23-24
As at 12 February 2024

Division	Previous	This week	Points
Woman’s Div 1	5th	5th	96
Div 2	8th	8th	75
Div 4	6th	5th ↑	85
Midweek Div 3	1st	1st	151
Div 4	1st	1st	119
Sat Premier	7th		
Div 2	5th		
Div 4	6th		
Div 5	4th		
Div 6	11th		

R 15 Women’s –Thursdays 8/2/24

Div 1: CMT 61-2 lt Buckingham 62-19. Maree Morgan 23 d L Hall 20, Jan McPherson 17 lt J Lane 19 & Meekie Salter 21 lt C Thompson 23

In a thrilling lawn bowls match Bucks emerged triumphant over Claremont by the slimmest of margins– one shot!

The standout performance of the day came from skip Maree Morgan, leading her team consisting of Maree Careless, Rhonda Rider, and Trudy Davis. They dominated the rink throughout the match, except for a brief setback on the 17th end when Bucks scored an impressive seven shots. However, Maree and her team showed great resilience and composure, ultimately securing a three-point victory over Lynette Lane's team.

On the other hand, Christine Thompson, skip of Bucks on rink 4, alongside her teammate Pat Zapotocky, kept Meekie Salter's team on their toes winning by 2 shots.

A similar story unfolded on rink six. In a hard-fought duel Bucks emerged victorious over Claremont, clinching another two-point win. *Christine Andrews*

Div 2: CMT 70-10 d Buckingham 40-2. Kathleen Pfund 25 d R McCann 11, Judy Prokopiec 18 lt J Gordon 19 & Di Sweeney 27 d C Smith 10.

Meanwhile at Buckingham’s stronghold our Div 2 had a 30 shot win with the rinks of Kathleen and Di showing the way and Judy’s rink going down by one shot. With only a few rounds to go need to get a wriggle on to get into the Four!

Div 4: CMT 60-10 d Rosny Park 51-2. Pam Cooper 21 d P Bentley 18, Zena Miller 15 lt L Kosi 17 & Brenda Pinnington 24 d A Pickett 16.

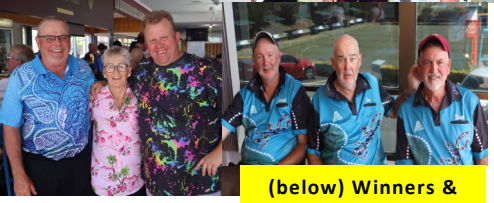
Over the river at Rosny Park it was another win by 9 shots with the rinks of Pam & Brenda holding sway and Zena losing by 2 points. They are tantalizingly close to the Four after that win.

No Saturday Games, so we can talk about the 2 Bowl Triples on Sunday 11 Feb. This event goes back quite a few years and has always been popular.

History tells us that back in 2011 the event was won by (right) Jimmy & Chris Chalker and Denis Menzie (dec).



On Sunday 11 February the 2 Bowl Triples 2024 was held on a lovely warm sunny day. Good crowd, Great sponsors, competitive bowling and eventually the winners were announced.



(below) Winners & Sponsors



Team of the Week is Sponsored by Craig Farrell MLC, member for Derwent.

TOW from now on will go by rounds because of the way the rosters have been structured.

Round 13 has finished and the TOW was Elizabeth Downward, Helena Gaylor, Sandra Brown & Judy Prokopiec with 25 shots up.



The Summer member's weekly draw is sponsored by Kristie Johnston- Independent Member for Clark.

Thursday 8 February 15th Draw- And the winner was Robyn Howard who was not present. (right) The new way of drawing the winner,

This week it will be worth \$80. Be there between 5.00 & 5.30 pm.



Club has purchased a boom box.

If you wish to use the boom box - a JBL party box 110 you can.

Currently charging the boom box in kitchen - if you use the boom box please return it where you found it. See John McDonald for more information.



Officiating Offerings – January 2024

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Myths and Misconceptions

MYTH: When kicking bowls back at the completion of an end, the seconds don't have to help because they carry the score card.

REALITY: Sorry but etiquette suggests we ALL should assist with kicking the bowls back, even Cinderella with her glass slippers!

Delivering a bowl

Law 7.1. Before delivery, a player must be standing on the mat with all or part of at least one foot on the mat. At the moment they deliver the jack or bowl, the player must have all or part of one foot on or above the mat.

Law 7.3. Any player not meeting the terms of this law is committing a foot-fault and law 8 will apply.

Late News

John McDonald was at the races on Sunday 11 February with a band of people representing Claremont Bowls & Community Club as per photo below.



John advises that \$750 was made for the club and our horse came in 7th place.

We think this horse Aurora's Symphony (right) won the cup.



Games this coming week

Wednesday 14 February

Midweek No Games

Thursday 15 February Round 16

Women's Div 1 v Sorell AWAY, Div 2 v Cremorne AT HOME, Div 4 v Buckingham AT HOME

Saturday 17 February Round 14: Premier v Brighton AWAY, Div 2 v

Sandy Bay AT HOME, Div 4 v Sandy Bay AT HOME, Div 5 v Dover

AWAY and Div 6 v Howrah2 AWAY



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