



Riley McDonald has gone mining!

R 14 Saturday Open 17/2/24

R 16 Women's -Thursdays 15/2/24

Invitation

Wayne Ehrlich
Invites all members to
Some fine finger food

On Saturday 24 February
After the pennant games
have finished.

Just turn up and enjoy
some food and friendship
Wayne will tell us on
Saturday what it's all about!



No Midweek last week, so we might look at some old photos from past years.



(left) The Fruit Fly alias Paul Grover has been around for some time.

(right) Ken Broomhead was a much more rounded bowler in those days.



And (left) here's the Fruit Fly again being frisked by Janette!

Ladder 23-24

As at 19 February 2024

Division	Previous	This week	Points
Woman's Div 1	5th	6th ↓	98
Div 2	8th	8th	77
Div 4	5th	5th	97
Midweek Div 3	1st	1st	151
Div 4	1st	1st	119
Sat Premier	7th	6th ↑	90
Div 2	5th	5th	102
Div 4	6th	6th	100
Div 5	4th	6th ↓	94
Div 6	11th	11th	47

Div 1: CMT 48-2 lt Sorell 60-10. Meekie Salter 15 lt C Holland 22, Jan McPherson 24 d V Philp 10 & Maree Morgan 9 lt P Taylor 28.

Despite the overall loss, Claremont had their moments of brilliance. Jan McPherson, along with her teammates Gail Hay, Pam Ritchie, and Wendy Gray, displayed unwavering determination and skill, securing a remarkable 14-point triumph over their opponents. Meekie Salter faced a tough challenge against Cheryl Holland, resulting in a 22-15 defeat. Similarly, Maree Morgan also gave it her all but was outplayed by Patricia Taylor, with a final score of 28-9.

With this victory, Sorell takes home 10 points, solidifying their position on the pennant ladder in 9th position. Claremont, on the other hand, earns 2 points for their efforts and are now in 6th position on the Division 1 Ladies Pennant ladder.

Both teams showcased their skills and sportsmanship, making for an exciting match for the spectators present.

Christine Andrews
Div 1 Match Manager

Div 2: CMT 52 lt Cremorne 65-10. Kathleen Pfund 13 lt E Swain 25, Judy Prokopiec 16 lt M Robinson 22 & Di Sweeney 23 d K Wood 18.

The twos were beaten by Cremorne by 13 shots and now linger in 8th place on the ladder.

Div 4 CMT 82-12 d Buckingham 39-0. Brenda Pinnington 28 d P Rainbow 15, Rose Ryan 24 d F Eickhoff 10 & Zena Miller 30 d C Roberts 14.

The Fours have a surplus of players so a rotation system is required. Despite this they are humming along and are only 2 points away from 4th spot on the ladder. Me thinks they can sneak up the ladder and into the finals. Their next two games are at home if I read the roster correctly.

A CRAZY SATURDAY
PREMIER DIV WON, DIV 2
DREW, DIV 4, 5 & 6 LOST

Premier: CMT 70-8 d Brighton 69-6 Nick Chilcott 19 lt M Breward 20, Chris Chalker 10 lt G Wakefield 19, Michael Taylor 12 lt R Davie 20 & Paul Hart 29 d M Daniels 10. An amazing one shot win over Brighton with only one rink on top. That rink consisted of Craig Coad, Trudy Davis, Dean Shaw and Paul Hart with 19 shots up. With 4 games to go it is mathematically possible to reach the FOUR, but who knows? They have done fairly well considering. Good to see 'Chilla' back with us.

Div 2: CMT 81-7 drew with Sandy Bay 81-7. Steve Davie 17 lt J Howell 18, David Duggan 19 lt A Stanelos 27, John Davis 23 d P Manning 22 & Alex McCoull 22 d S Peters 14. Two wins on the day with the rink of John Davis just reaching the finish line in front and the rink of Maree Morgan, Wendy Gray, Pierre Sullivan and Alex McCoull chalking up a fine 8 shot win. Still possible to make the finals with some spirited wins in the coming weeks.

Div 4: CMT 53-2 lt Sandy Bay 80-12. Wayne Ehrlich 13 lt B Jones 25, Alan Anderson 13 lt R Bye 16, Rob Batge 8 lt G Pearce 23 & Maree Careless 19 d D Evans 16. The team is still within achieving a finals birth but needs to make a positive effort in the next four games. Only one rink of Maree's managed a win on home soil.

Div 5: CMT 51-2 lt Dover 55-10. Ron Coleman 20 d S Clark 16, Tom Foley 13 lt C Griffiths 19 & Garry Francis 18 lt P Campbell 20. The side lost the opportunity to consolidate in the FOUR and now find themselves holding onto 6th spot on the ladder. Still have a great chance to climb back into finals potential.

Div 6 CMT 54 -4 lt Howrah2 61-8. Ray Hanlon 24 d L Seabrook 21, Barry McDonald 19 d D Gregg 15 & Pam Cooper 11 lt S Wilkinson 25. A great effort by the Sixers after a raft of changes, injuries and unavailable players meaning the side had to play one short against Howrah2. Our junior player Tyron Hall played in his first winning rink and can only improve from now on. Margaret Christie & Pat O'Brien came into the side and Ray Hanlon had his first ever win as skip.



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 14 has finished and the TOW was Craig Coad, Trudy Davis, Dean Shaw & Paul Hart with 19 shots up.



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

Thursday 15 February 16th Draw worth \$80 and look who's name came up?



This week it will be worth \$40. Be there between 5.00 & 5.30 pm.



THEN & NOW

Things have changed since 2011, so each week we will show some comparisons



Some in this photo are not with us now.



This photo featured in the Mercury way back about 13-14 years ago. Ask Rose Ryan what was happening?



TONY & LYN DAVIE
Celebrated their 55th Wedding Anniversary on 15 February 2024
We couldn't find their wedding photo so our artist made up this one for us.



Q & A

Do you have to be barefoot for lawn bowls?

Although it's called 'barefoot bowls' other flat-soled shoes, such as thongs and sandals, are absolutely acceptable. Please respect our rule that heels and shoes with tread are not to be worn as they will damage the greens. 25 Nov 2020

What is lawn bowls etiquette?

Rules of etiquette for lawn bowling include (but are not limited to):
1. Players and spectators at the head end should stand still and keep quiet.
2. When it's your team's turn to bowl it's your mat and head, your opponents should be away from both, if they are not ask them nicely to move.
There are many other items of etiquette-
1. Don't applaud if an opponent knocks your bowl/s into the head.
2. Shake hands before and after the game.
3. Suggest you and your opponent have a drink after the game.
4. Watch your language.

Games this coming week

- Wednesday 21 February Round 15
- Midweek Div 3 v Taroon AT HOME & Div 4 v Rosny Park AT HOME
- Thursday 22 February Round 17
- Women's Div 1 v Howrah AT HOME, Div 2 v Howrah AWAY, Div 4 v Dover AT HOME (Only Round 18 to go)
- Saturday 24 February Round 15: Premier v Sandy Bay AT HOME, Div 2 v Franklin AWAY, Div 4 v St. John's AWAY, Div 5 v Beltana AT HOME & Div 6 v Franklin AT HOME

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Club is also on Facebook

And we have a brand new Web Site -contains tons of news/photos



(Left) The judge! (above) The Beefy Boys

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