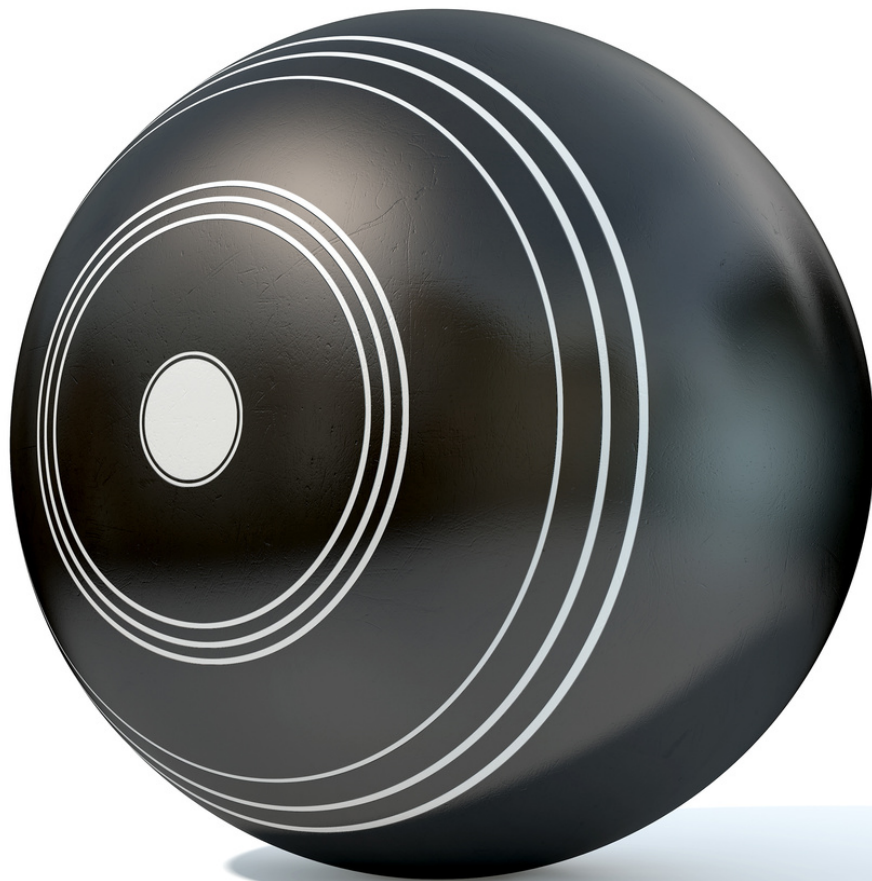


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# MINUTES BMC MEETING 14/2/24

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**Present :** Stu Pratt, Bruce McCollom, Margie Enright, Cathy Daniel, Betty Linabury, Ian Wills, Troy Makin and Ray Linabury

**Apology:** Johnnie Busch

Minutes of the previous meeting accepted as a true and accurate record. Moved Bruce, seconded Stu and carried.

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# GENERAL BUSINESS

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## **Mixed Gender Pennant Bowls**

- We have entered teams in Divisions 2, 5, 6, and 7
- Pennants will start on Saturday 6th April and will be played on each Saturday until Saturday 11th May (6 weeks)
- Each Sunday during this time will be a reserve day for a washed out Saturday
- The Zone Finals will be at East Lismore and Alstonville on Saturday and Sunday the 18th and 19th May
- The State Finals in our divisions will be held from the 28th to the 30th June at the following locations : Div 2 – South and West Tamworth, Div. 5 – Cabramatta and St Johns Park, Div. 6 – Yamba and Div 7 – Merrylands and Guilford

## **A Flyer for Bowls**

- Ian presented the golf flyer to the meeting. The meeting felt that Bowls should have something similar to this. Moved and seconded that Betty should look at what information should go into it
- The club admin is preparing a “welcome pack” for new golf and bowls members

**OSWB Gala Day** : this is to be held on Friday 31st May (all day). Betty is working on a new flyer for this and will get it to Ian for printing

## **Tweed Byron District Delegates Report – Cathy Daniel**

- Umpires courses : these will start running in March
- The book and manual will be supplied to all participants ; if any OS bowlers are interested in becoming umpires or markers and measurers, let Betty or Ray know and they will pass your name onto Maureen James (Kingscliff)
- The District Shield to be held at Cabarita Beach on the 6th June 2024. The format for this is open for discussion.
- Cabarita Gala day : this is a new addition to the District calendar and is now on the 27th May
- District Delegates Meetings ; these meetings are now held at Ocean Shores. The next two will be on the 15th April and the 10th June

### **Great Northern Super Crisp Triples**

- at the moment 21 teams have confirmed. Peter Tornaros is hoping that this will be 24 by the 5th March
- the event will be run on Sat. 9th and Sun. 10th March
- if the number of teams is less than 28 the prize money will be adjusted accordingly
- the new caterers will have just started in their roles. Ian will liaise with them to try to organize a hamburger and chips on both days for \$15 each day
- The Pacific Room needs to be reorganized for this event

### **The New Caterers : report from Ian**

- they will have a few months to set up the kitchen so that they can cook
- Chinese as well as Australian meals
- they are also at other north coast venues
- they will provide a members discount
- at least some of the current staff will remain
- their plan is to be open 7 days a week
- our current caterers will finish on the 25th Feb.

### **Twilight Bowls**

- still attracting good numbers, 31 last week
- recently have been playing on the bottom green as we don't need the lights yet, this has meant that people on the back deck can watch, and hopefully get enthused enough to join us.
- Having the BBQ on the back deck is working well
- A new BBQ is being considered
- Ray will look at appropriate models and prices

**Meeting Closed** at 9:43am

**Next Meeting** ; Wed 13th March at 8:30am

**Minutes Secretary** ; Betty Linabury

  
Bowls Director OSCC