

## URANGAN BOWLS CLUB NEWS 27 June 2023

Unfortunately in the C.of C on the weekend our men's fours lost to the highly fancied Pialba team in their first game. Congratulations to Pialba who went on to defeat Boonooroo in the final. Well done to all of our representatives in the C.of C. events and we look forward to some higher results next year. Thanks to Bill Small and Bruce Jewell for umpiring the mixed pairs event hosted by Urangan.

Thank you to our men's players who participated in the pennant trials last weekend for the way they played and approached their games. The same will be held this Saturday with some variations to playing positions and some positions split between players. Again, we request all players to indicate availability on the sheet. Start time will be 1.30 and we will play 21 ends. Please wear club shirts .

Some changes will take effect from 1st. July as follows.

From next week for Mondays only, bar facilities will not be available before noon. Other days will remain unchanged unless advised.

To Extend the life and retain the quality of our synthetic surface all games will be played in the opposite direction on alternate weeks [Monday-Sunday] starting next week. The only exceptions will be when more than 14 rinks are required, or weather conditions come into effect and for championships and pennant play. The greens are quite playable both ways.

**On Tuesday 4th.July at 9.30 the first BINGO will be held.** It is to be hoped all those who responded positively to holding bingo will now support this venture and attend.

To avoid possible car park congestion on these days, starting time for Tuesday pairs will now be 1.00pm in lieu of 12.30pm

Tuesday pairs jackpot this week is \$56- after being won again last week, Thursday jackpot is \$176-,Eureka Gold has grown to an attractive \$1569-,and Fridays members draw is worth\$ \$1025- if you are present at the Club.

Unfortunately, our jacks are still going missing on a regular basis—some reappear after a few days but others don't. Please ensure jacks are returned to the bar area after games and rollups to avoid added expense and inconvenience to the club. Our game sheets are also becoming messy and hard to decipher. If you delete your name. Please do so neatly to allow other names to be inserted. Initials and surnames are preferred and phone numbers for nonmembers in case contact is required.

With our AGM's and elections just around the corner now is the **time for members to consider standing for a position** or perhaps getting a team together that you feel may be able to work together and provide opportunities to promote the future of our great club. We have a magnificent facility and need to take full advantage of the potential at our fingertips to generate income to further improve the standard. Only you, the members can make this a reality. Please Consider.

Stay well and good bowling everyone. GO URANGAN !!! QUEENSLANDER !!!

