



# HORSHAM CITY BOWLING CLUB

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## BOARD OF MANAGEMENT 2021/22

**President:** Graham McDonald.

**Vice President:** Derek Ballinger.

**Secretary:** Betty Cozens.

**Treasurer:** Ron Goudie.

**Assistant Treasurer:** Govan Bellinger.

**Board Members:** - Ron Dolby, Shirley Quick, John Williams and Michael Turner.

The last Board meeting was held on Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> November 2021.

## COVID RULES

These continue to cause issues of uncertainty and confusion but we must follow the rule that only players who have been double vaccinated are permitted to play bowls.

## SOCIAL BOWLS

We are now able to play competition social bowls on Tuesdays and Thursdays. Our loyal Match Committee Members do a great job to organize games for the players who support these days.

## CLUB IMPROVEMENTS

The work around A Green is a credit to all the members who gave many hours of their time to complete the Shades and Wind Protection.

The tidy lawns and garden areas are always well maintained and show that we are proud of our Horsham City Bowling Club.

The floor of the Club House has had its Annual 'make over' and looks great.

Club House maintenance is an ongoing job and we appreciate the work done by our group of handy men.

## PENNANT 2021/2022

Our Pennant season started on 6<sup>th</sup> November (Saturday Pennant) and 8<sup>th</sup> November (Midweek Pennant). All players were enthusiastic and keen to be back into competition.

Weekly results of all Pennant Matches in the Wimmera Playing Area can now be viewed on the BOWLSLINK website.

<https://results.bowlslink.com.au/club-group/b00762d5-cf68-4bd8-9989-6d02b1eb6ad6#competitions>

The results can also be accessed via our Club website:

<https://horshamcity.bowls.com.au/pennant-results/>

Clicking on the "Wimmera Playing Area Results 2021-22" link takes you to the BOWLSLINK website.

### Saturday Pennant 2021-22

Division 1	1 side of 12 players
Division 2	2 sides of 12 players
Division 3	1 side of 12 players

### Midweek Pennant 2021-22

Division 1	2 sides of 12 players
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*(Note change: No side in Division 2)*

## STATE EVENTS

### Men's Singles:

Jeff Lowe defeated Daniel Gloury 25 - 23

### Ladies' Singles

Shirley Schorbach (Coughlin Park).

### Ladies' 60 & Over Pairs

Sandra Knight (S) and Betty Cozens.

Congratulations to Sandra and Betty for their great win.

## UPCOMING EVENTS

**Nov 17<sup>th</sup> and 18<sup>th</sup>:** Men's and Ladies' 60 and Over State Singles at Nhill.

**Dec 5<sup>th</sup>:** Legacy Day; 2-Bowl Triples.

**Dec 12<sup>th</sup> and 19<sup>th</sup>:** Men's and Ladies' State Pairs.

**Dec 18<sup>th</sup>** (Date to be confirmed).

## CHRISTMAS BREAKUP DINNER

## DONATION FOR BOWLS STICKERS

A special thanks to Lionel and Helen Roll for their financial contribution which enabled our Club to purchase new bowls stickers with our Club's Name added.

## ELECTRONIC CASH REGISTER

This machine is being used by many members. It is a part of the younger patron's lifestyle and our bar workers have managed very well.

## MAJOR CLUB RAFFLE

Due to the numerous interruptions to our season the major raffle has been cancelled.

## MATCH COMMITTEE 2021-22

*Elaine Mitchell, Elsie Bardell, Ed Warrick, Hex Mitchell, Kevin Kearns, Peter Dougherty and Greg Dixon.*

The combined Match Committee have finalised the program: Tournaments and Club Events for our Current Season. Copies of the program have been placed on the front table at the Club House.

Hux Mitchell is the current Match Committee Chairperson.

*I hope this Newsletter helps to keep you in touch with activities around the Club.*

## BETTY COZENS SECRETARY

**PS-** MY THANKS TO TREVOR BRETAG FOR HIS HELP TO EDIT EACH NEWSLETTER AND THE EXTRA INFORMATION HE ADDS TO EACH EDITION.