TORRENSVILLE BOWLING CLUB

Newsletter of the Warriors 4 March 2023

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President's Message

The end of the season is upon us which means there a lot of things happening over the next few months so please keep an eye on the notice board for upcoming events and enter your name on the attendance sheets.

On the greens:

We have two rounds to go and current team placings after Saturday 25th Feb & Wed 1st March are: Wednesday – Division 3 West (A Grade) are top whilst Division 4 West (B Grade) are 6th Saturday – Division 3 North (A) are 7th; Division 5 West (B) are 2nd & Division 6 West (C) are 8th. This means that our Wednesday A Grade and Saturday B Grade will be participating in finals. Finals will be held over 3 weeks commencing at the end of the minor rounds and concluding on Saturday 1 April and Wednesday 5 April. Good luck to all involved.

A Please support our teams by attending these games and cheering on the mighty Warriors.

Off the greens:

As you are all aware our club cannot function without the ongoing commitment of our many volunteers completing duties such as the maintenance of the dome, sandwiches, kitchen duties, BBQ, wiping down the seats prior to pennants, night owls, selectors, umpires, markers, coaches, watering the plants, putting the bins out, putting out the mats and kittys on game days, helping behind the bar, helping with hires and putting up the flag just to name a few.

In addition, the enormous efforts of our Committee who continue to do their roles quietly behind the scenes to ensure our club runs smoothly.

The South Road Upgrade / Club Relocation is time consuming now and more will follow later.

IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER:

Saturday 1 April 2023 Pennant Grand Finals

Saturday 1 April 2023 Club Presentation Dinner – 6:30 for 7pm start

2 course meal, \$20 – Names on notice board please

Wednesday 5 April 2023 Pennants Grand Final

Night Owl's Final

Friday 7 April 2023 Torrensville Good Friday Tournament – 2 bowl Triples – 10:30am start

Names on notice board please

Wednesday 12 April 2023 Winter Social Bowls – 12 noon Saturday 15 April 2023 Winter Social Bowls – 12 noon

Winter Night Owls Commences through to 7 June 2023

Tuesday 25 April 2023 Torrensville ANZAC Day Tournament

Entries from other clubs before Torrensville teams accepted.

Sunday 28 May 2023 Annual General Meeting – 11am

Club functions are continually occurring so please offer your assistance to Damien when asked.



Club Tournaments

Please make every effort to ensure that the finals are played **BEFORE** our Presentation Dinner on 1 April 2023 to ensure that all trophies can be presented on the night.

Winter Social Bowls at Torrensville

As the Pennant season comes to an end players will be looking for a social game on both Wednesdays and Saturdays – 2 or 3 bowl triples perhaps. This of course would be dependent of the numbers each day.

If anyone is interested in running either day, please put your hand up as this is something we can grow. It is a good form of practice throughout the off season, and we could attract new members to our club.

Speaking of new Members, we have had a number of new members join our club.- some from Night Owls and several from other clubs. Please make yourself known and welcome them with open arms.

Our Selector – Paul Sigley

We take this opportunity of thanking Paul for his efforts as our Selector the 2022/2023 season. Whilst everyone has their opinions on selections, it is not an easy task with late changes, holidays, illness etc. As previously mentioned, we have our A grade from Wednesday currently on top and our Saturday B grade currently Second. A pretty good effort!

Go Warriors!!

Bar Opening Times

Monday Closed

Tuesday 4.00pm - 7.00pm (Practice Nights) Wednesday 11.00am - 5.30pm (Home Pennants)

11:00am – 4:30pm (Winter bowls)

6.30pm - 10.00pm (Night Owls only)

4.00pm - 7.00pm (Practice) Friday

Saturday 11.00am - 7.00pm (Home Pennants)

Oasis Pizza & Pasta 11:00am - 4:30pm (Winter Bowls) The Cheesecake Shop

5.30pm - 10.00pm (for hires)

As and when required Sunday

Note: times may change according to

needs on that day especially for

hires

Club Super Challenge (Taylor Bowls)

Torrensville BC hosted a round on Sunday 26 February 2023. We had over 100 players at our club so a big thank you goes out to all who assisted with the bar, BBQ, kitchen, marking, cleaning up etc.

Our last game will be Sunday 5 March 2023 at Brighton. It has been an up and down season but enjoyable by all players. Thanks to Ken Smith for managing our team each week.

Thanks also to our night owl lads - Eddie, Jack, Jarryd and Niclas for playing for us. It was enjoyable watching you guys develop your skills and we look forward to you taking the next step – Pennants maybe.

South Road Upgrade / Relocation

Work is continuing behind the scenes with various government departments, plans, our requirements etc. Further information will be advised as and when it becomes available.

If you have any queries in the interim, please see David Walker or Richard Bithell.

Night Owls

Continues to be a great success with up to 80 players each Wednesday. Thank you to Lyn and her team of weekly helpers.

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