



KILLARA BOWLS NEWS : November 2011



KILLARA LADIES WIN JEAN WEBSTER TROPHY

YES! THEY HAVE DONE IT AGAIN!

Once again our ladies have captured a major Trophy *and* the front page of this publication. On the heels of winning the Northern Unified League Competition (reported in August) they have installed the Jean Webster Cup in our Trophy cabinet. And a very handsome object it is too!

Barbara Cotton's report and picture of the victors is on page 8.

LLOYD SOMMERLAD LIFE MEMBER

Members voted unanimously to admit *Lloyd Sommerlad* to the exclusive pantheon of Life Membership at the AGM 15th October.



In a membership spanning nearly 30 years, Lloyd has contributed tirelessly to management, occupying virtually every office and has few peers as a bowler - as evidenced by the frequency of his name on Honour Boards.

Lloyd, we salute you!

Whilst perhaps not silverware, two of our men did manage to "*bring home the bacon*".

John Brodie and *Rod Hendriks* took the major prize in St.Ives BC's popular 'Piggy Pairs.'

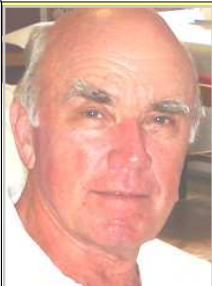
Yum Yum!



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CHAIRMAN'S REPORT: IAN ARMSTRONG



On 15 October the 60th AGM of the KBC Limited took place with a very good attendance. *Elizabeth Dokulil, Judy McLeod* and *Dale McBean* joined the Board whilst *Barbara Cotton, Elizabeth Bold* and *Ian Cameron-Smith* stood down. On behalf of the Board I would like to thank the retirees for the marvellous contribution they have made over the many years they have served the club. I also wish to express my appreciation for all the work the continuing directors have done during the previous 12 months.

Also at this meeting we had the pleasure of electing *Lloyd Sommerlad* as a life member. Our Salute to Lloyd is headlined on the front page.

The financial results for the year ended 30 June were pleasing in light of the poor weather in the first half of 2011 which had a detrimental effect on green fees and bar and canteen sales. Coupled with this was the increased expenditure on repairs and maintenance.

We are now in a trial period of Killara Prize Bonanza which runs for the three months from October to December and is being enthusiastically welcomed by members and visitors alike. I encourage you all to join in and give yourselves a chance in participating in the prize draw which will take place on Wednesday 11th January.

A disturbing issue has arisen with the Royal New South Wales Bowling Association moving to become a company limited by guarantee and to have a vote in November to vote on a new constitution. The effects of this new constitution is that it could be an unwarranted and possibly illegal attempt to totally control the sport in this state to the detriment of individual bowlers and their clubs. Your Board is looking at this matter, talking to other clubs in the area and will be making representation on behalf of the Club and our members as we consider appropriate.

Good Bowling
Ian Armstrong

Little Emily went home from school and told her mum that the boys kept asking her to do cartwheels because she's very good at them. Mum said, "You should say "No" - they only want to look at your knickers." Emily said, "I know they do. That's why I hide them in my bag!"



RELIC DISCOVERED



An interesting piece of club history was discovered by *Warwick Druce* with-in the bowels of his 'Lock-up'. It is a rather tarnished bronze plaque which reads:-

To commemorate the splendid effort of this club's voluntary workers in the making of 3627 camouflage nets 1941-1943 and as a tribute to the memory of . .

NORMAN J. WELLS
Honorary Supervisor
Obit 22.12.44



Women Are Evil By Nature

A woman went up to the bar in a quiet rural pub... She gestured alluringly to the bartender who approached her immediately. She seductively signaled that he should bring his face closer to hers. As he did, she gently caressed his full beard.

"Are you the manager?" she asked, softly stroking his face with both hands.

"Actually, no," he replied.

"Can you get him for me? I need to speak to him," she said, running her hands beyond his beard and into his hair.

"I'm afraid I can't," breathed the bartender. "Is there anything I can do?"

"Yes.. I need for you to give him a message," she continued, running her forefinger across the bartender's lip and slyly popping a couple of her fingers into his mouth and allowing him to suck them gently.

"What should I tell him?" the bartender managed to say.

"Tell him," she whispered, "There's no toilet paper, hand soap, or paper towels in the ladies room."

Ken Howard

**KWBC President's Platform***Elizabeth Dokulil*

***Three months gone and what have I got
Carnivals, championships and friends
And it's rained a lot.***

***Three months gone and what does it mean?
To me, more women on Tuesday
Playing bowls on the green.***

***Three months gone and what have I found
Some marvelous women
Who've had to play on soggy ground.***

The above sums up what I feel after three months into my presidency. Quite frankly if it wasn't for a fantastic few, who have helped me lurch from one thing after another, I wouldn't have survived so well. Thank you girls.

The carnival on 9 September came and went. Yes, we made \$1,007.00 over the three days with the raffles and trading table, but the weather on the Friday was abysmal, so we played Trivia, followed by only eight ends of bowls. However, on the plus side the lunch of warm beef with roasted pumpkin salad, followed by a lemon slice was well received. Thanks to the girls who served and **Sue** in the kitchen for a job magnificently done.

The issue of so few ends played was contentious, but a decision had to be made, so let's let it rest.

Competitions and Special Days seem to tumble one after another.

The Club Triples started on 30 August and were won by **Jeanette McInerney, Maureen Morris** and **Barbara Cotton**, with **Wendy Cooper, Barbara Langley** and **Jean Brierley** as runners up. It was a good competition as so many entered to give it a go.

The Peg Staas at Lindfield on 2 September and the Veteran's Day at Turramurra on the 22nd in the same month followed this. We were well represented on both days.

Our big news was winning the Jean Webster Trophy on 27 September. A special report is in this newsletter so I will only add that it was an enormous result for our club and a feeling of immense pride among the team. I salute you all, as I'm chuffed to bits.

We now possess a large imposing silver cup in the trophy cabinet. It stands alongside the very modern glass trophy won by the Killara Team, mentioned in the August Bulletin, in the Northern Weekend Unified League competition.

The Consistency Competition ended on 4 October with a great game between **Maria Hearder** and **Robin Hey**. Maria won, but both played well.

There is still the Round Robin Competition to come, together with the Ku-ring-gai Shield on 8 November.

The latter is made up of four teams, each with three

players and played this year at St Ives, Warrawee, Gordon and Forestville. The above two competitions will finish off 2011. Due to extensive renovations at East Roseville Bowling Club, only eight clubs' entries could participate in the Lindfield Shield. As our entry arrived later than the first eight we unfortunately missed out.

For our Birthday lunch it was decided to have a mix of those who play bowls and the ones whose bowling days are either gone, or not so frequent. All love the club and what it stands for, so to mix the two together gives us the nostalgic on one hand and the up and coming on the other.

The list is up for those who wish to play Pennants next year. **David Hunt** has offered us some coaching from **Bob Hawtree** which we will take advantage of. It is the women's club's intention of having a weekly coaching session for those picked, including reserves, for some weeks before the competition starts. It will not be on a Tuesday. This is essential for both improving one's expertise and promoting team spirit.

With so many competitions it reminds me of the words by Sir Henry Newbolt. It was written with cricket in mind, but it could be applied to anything that demands a team or club spirit.

***... 'And it's not for the sake of a ribboned coat.
Or the selfish hope of a season's fame,
But his captain's hand on his shoulder smote
"Play up! Play up! And play the game!" ' ...***

That sums it up for me. It's the game, the team, and the whole club that matters. Those who play 'the game' will never lose, they have achieved something intangible, the feeling of being part of something much bigger than themselves.

Elizabeth**OUT CAROUSING?**

Actually no. These members were really doing important research at Dee why BC checking out their Trivial Pursuit evening!?

Don and **Rhian Reade** flank **Elizabeth** and **Judy McLeod**



KBC President's Platform : Tony Hodgson



Spring Carnival. This major carnival was played over three days on 9, 11 and 12 September under the superb direction of our convenor **David Martin** and 2IC **Bob Hill**, together with a large team of members (men and women) assisting in various ways. We had a total of 150 members and visitors competing over the weekend with numbers down 10% when compared with the similar event last

year. We are competing against other nearby Clubs' Carnivals at this popular time of year. Nevertheless, the Carnival ran smoothly and was extremely successful. Our Carnival was sponsored by **Burns & Burns, Escape Travel at Lindfield and AVEO (Lindfield Gardens)**. We sincerely thank these sponsors for their continued support. Special mention should be made of **Sue Cleary** for her tireless work over the three days (not to mention her badly cut finger), **Bob Bessemer** for the great carnival brochure he produced, and **John Muirhead** and **Josef Zazulak** who organised the match draws and cards for all three days. To everyone, well done!

New Changes in the 2012 Format for Mid-week Triples

Following our lobbying of the Zone 9 Management Committee concerning the 2011 Rule Changes, which acted to the detriment of our Club, we received advice last week from the Zone 9 Match Committee that next year there will be a D Grade side for Pennant players from Grades 6 and 7 of three bowls with 21 ends. As well, there will be no provision for 'out of grade' players except in special circumstances on application to the Match Committee. Well done, **John Brodie**, for helping to negotiate a more equitable match format for our Club in 2012.

The Killara Prize Bonanza

The Bonanza kicked off on Wednesday 5 October for a trial period of thirteen weeks during October, November and December. A total of \$12,500 is potentially 'up for grabs' - cash \$2,500 in jackpots and rewards of \$10,000 plus. The prizes will be drawn on Sponsors' Day, 11 January 2012. The rewards will be drawn at random and paired with entry tickets as they are drawn. All winners will be advised by phone of their success. Congratulations to **Brian Shirvington**, the initiator of the Bonanza, and **Bob Bessemer**, the producer of tickets, brochures, flyers, DVD etc.

Our Coaching Support Program

The coaching program commenced on Wednesday 5 October with **Bob Hawtree** of Turramurra Club in the driving seat. **David Hunt** has a list of potential Pennants players for next year's games and will slot these players in for coaching on Wednesday and Friday mornings for one hour during October and November. Our other coaches, **Rick Edwards, Goff Bowles** and **Rod Henriks** will also assist **Bob Hawtree**.

I conclude with a personal congratulations to our new Life Member **Lloyd Sommerlad**. Lloyd, you are an inspiration to us all!

Good Bowling – **Tony Hodgson**

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REPORT 60TH AGM KBC LIMITED

Hon. Secretary
Rod Henriks



The 60th AGM of Killara Bowling Club Limited was held on Saturday 15th October and

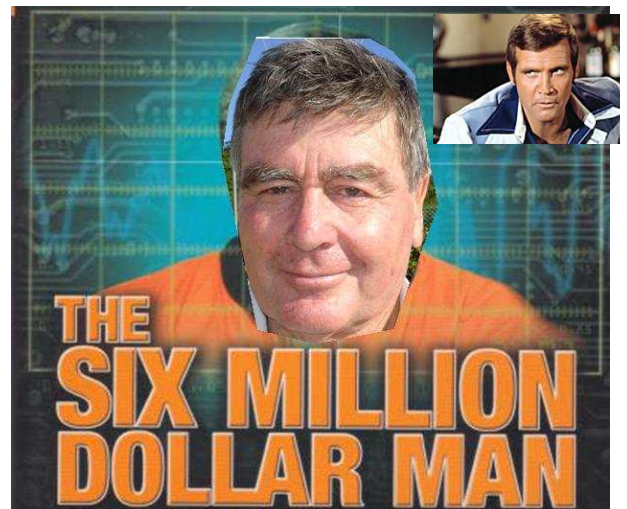
Chairman **Ian Armstrong** opened welcoming the strong attendance of members. After receiving and adopting the circulated Annual Report and Audited Financials, Ian thanked retiring Directors, **Elizabeth Bold, Barbara Cotton** and **Ian Cameron-Smith**, for their significant contributions to the Board and operations of the Club, individually and collectively, over many years of service.

Election of Officers and Members of the Board of Directors for the ensuing year followed, with Ian Armstrong to continue as Chairman, **Rod Henriks** (Secretary to the Board), **Don Reade** (Treasurer), and existing Directors **Ian Calder, Tony Hodgson, Josef Zazulak** joined by **Elizabeth Dokulil, Judy McLeod**, and **Dale McBean**, all re-elected / elected unopposed. Tony and Elizabeth, respective Presidents of the KBC and KWBC, shall be Deputy Chairmen.

Chartered Accountants Manser Tierney & Johnson were re-appointed as Auditors of Killara Bowling Club Limited.

The chairman then introduced the proposal for the conferment of Life Membership on **Lloyd Sommerlad**. The motion moved by Patron **Peter Baume** and seconded by President **Tony Hodgson** and carried 'on the voices' unanimously. Lloyd expressed his deep appreciation.

Rod Henriks



After two knee reconstructions **Rick Edwards** is back on the green and moving well. Even **Steve Austin** only got 1 new leg!



Functions and Mixed Bowls Report . . .

Barbara Cotton

A team of twelve players attended the Mixed Triples Trophy held at Warrawee on Sunday, 18th September. It was disappointing that KBC was only represented by two members. Four Matches were played, resulting in a win for Warrawee with 55 and Killara 44. **John Muirhead** presented the painting to Warrawee, and we came home with the replica. Everybody had a most enjoyable day.

The Foundation Day Dinner was held on Friday, 23rd September, with forty four members sitting down to a very enjoyable meal prepared by **Sue**. Unfortunately **Richard and Julia Burns** were unable to attend on that evening. After cutting the cake, **Peter Baume** gave a very interesting talk on the history of the Club and some of its Members. It was good to welcome new member, **Dale McBean** with his wife **Mary**, who won the raffle, and **Helen Meares**, who won a lucky door prize. **Barbara Cotton** proposed the toast to the Club and in his reply, **Tony Hodgson**, mentioned that long-standing Member, **Lloyd Sommerlad**, was to be made a Life Member at the forthcoming Annual General Meeting. A good night was had by all.

On Holiday Monday, 3rd October, we had sixteen for Bowls and Lunch, eighteen for Cards and Lunch, and two for Bowls only. Thirty four sat down to a light lunch and then played bowls and cards. The weather was good and my thanks go to **Elaine Morell** for her wonderful help with the preparation and serving of the meal, and all those who added to the successful running of the day.

Twilight Bowls was to have commenced on Friday, 7th October, but was cancelled owing to the forecast of inclement weather. At the suggestion of some of those who support Twilight Bowls, it has been agreed that they will now resume on Friday, 4th November.

It was disappointing that our visit to Killara Golf Club, on Sunday, 16th October, was unavoidably cancelled, owing to difficulties with their programme, for which they were very sorry. Following discussion with **Colin Morse**, it has now been suggested that this visit be held once a year, instead of twice, with the Clubs hosting alternately. There will be further information of this later, but the Golf Club would like to be host for the visit next year, the date for which is suggested as Sunday, 6th May, 2012.

Four teams have entered the Mixed Triples Championship, and the first round for this will be played on Sun-

day, 23rd October, 2011.

The next function will be Mixed Bowls, Cards and Lunch on Melbourne Cup Day, Tuesday, 1st November. We have a budget of \$150 from this newsletter's advertising revenue to make the day interesting.

Next will be St. Andrew's Night Dinner and Bowls on Friday, 25th November and KBC Ltd Christmas Party on Friday, 9th December.

As this will be my last report as Convenor of Functions and Mixed Bowls, I would like to place on record, my sincere thanks and appreciation to the Committee - **Warwick Druce**, **John Baker** and **Elaine Morell** - for their untiring support and help over the past few years, and I could not have managed without them. To the Members of the Club, my sincere appreciation for your friendship, your support, help and presence at the Functions, which has meant a lot to me.

Barbara



A nun is sitting with her Mother Superior chatting. "I used some horrible language this week and feel absolutely terrible about it."

"When did you use this awful language?" asks the elder Mother Superior.

"Well, I was golfing and hit an incredible drive that looked like it was going to go over 280 yards, but it struck a phone line that was hanging over the fairway and fell straight down to the ground after going only about 100 yards."

"Is THAT when you swore?"

"No, Mother," says the nun. "After that, a squirrel ran out of the bushes and grabbed my ball in its mouth and began to run away."

"Is THAT when you swore?" asks the Mother Superior again.

"Well, no," says the nun. "You see, as the squirrel was running, an eagle came down out of the sky, grabbed the squirrel in his talons and began to fly away!"

"Is THAT when you swore?" asks the amazed elder nun.

"No, not yet. As the eagle carried the squirrel away in its claws, it flew near the green and the squirrel dropped my ball."

"Did you swear THEN?" asked Mother Superior, becoming impatient. "No, because the ball fell on a big rock, bounced over the sand trap, rolled onto the green, and stopped about six inches from the hole."

The two nuns were silent for a moment.

Then Mother Superior sighed and asked, "You missed the f%*#ing putt didn't you?"

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SELECTOR'S REPORT

Michael Tsolakis

It is with pleasure and with a sense of great satisfaction that I provide this report on behalf of the KBC Selectors' Committee which outlines the KBC 2011 achievements.

Pennants: Grade 6 and Grade 7

The decision by the selectors to organise club trial matches against St. Ives, East Roseville, Turramurra and Warrawee Bowling Clubs proved a valuable asset in finalising the Killara Grade 6 and Grade 7 teams.

After enjoying a run of seven consecutive wins, which resulted in a nine point lead on its nearest rival Belrose, Killara (Grade 6 – Section 1 team) appeared set to repeat their 2010 Section win and progress to the 2011 Post Sectional Draw. Unfortunately the Killara team experienced defeats in the final three matches of the competition against Pittwater (2-4), Asquith (1-5) and Belrose (1-5); teams Killara had convincingly defeated in round one.

These losses enabled Belrose to finish on a par with Killara at the top of the points table and, with a better aggregate, Belrose was then able to progress to the Post Sectional Draw.

The Grade 7 team performed well throughout the competition to finish a credible fifth in their Section.

2012 Pennant Coaching Support Program:

The selectors wish to thank Bob Hawtree (Turramurra Bowling Club), *Gof Bowles*, *Ric Edwards*, and *David Hunt* for their time and coaching expertise during the October/November period of the program. The feedback received from those who took part in this program has been encouraging with the majority acknowledging that the coaching tips and regular practise has heightened their skills and skill level consistency.

Mid Week Triples:

KBC entered two teams in the Grade "C" Competition. The decision by the Zone 9 Match Committee to alter the Conditions of Play (with the new Player/Grading Rule in this year's competition) has resulted in an unfair advantage to the stronger clubs by allowing three players to play *out of grade*. The KBC results in this competition can be attributed to the decision by the Zone 9 match committee.

Cyril South Competition:

The fundamental aim of this competition (now in its 41st year) is to provide an opportunity for members to represent KBC against the ten invited clubs competing at Grade levels 3-7.

The ten (10) invited clubs competing this year were: Asquith, Balgowlah, Belrose, Gordon, Hornsby, Lindfield, St. Ives, Turramurra, Warrawee and West Pymble.

Twenty eight (28) KBC members registered an expression of interest to play and were given the opportunity to play in at least three matches.

The four (4) clubs with the highest winning margin against Killara in the 2011 competition were Belrose, Turramurra, Warrawee and West Pymble.

The final, played out between Belrose and last year's winner West Pymble, was a real thriller with the result deadlocked at *fifty all* (50-50) after sixty one ends. At the conclusion of play on the sixty second end West Pymble were leading by one (1) shot. However Belrose struck back on the sixty third and final end with a two shot result to win the event (52 – 51)

Our congratulations are extended to both teams on an outstanding final.

Gissing Consistency Competition:

The 73rd year of this much anticipated handicap event once again provided a number of exciting finishes. The final between Gof Bowles and new member *John Rayner* (registered @ September 2010 Membership Open Day) was won by John Rayner.

Club Pairs:

Fourteen (14) teams were entered for this handicap event. Close finishes were witnessed throughout the competition. The final between two of the oldest members in the club, 93 year old *Ron Jacobs* and 92 year old and newly appointed Life Member *Lloyd Sommerlad*, playing against new member *Dale McBean* and Killara Bowling Club Ltd. Chairman *Ian Armstrong*, proved to be no exception. The result of this final was:

Dale McBean and Ian Armstrong **22** defeated Ron Jacobs and Lloyd Sommerlad **15**

Ku-ring-gai Shield:

The Ku-ring-gai Shield (Top Ten) was played at Gordon Bowling Club.

Representing KBC were:

Singles: *Warwick Druce*

Pairs: *Ben Lau, Gof Bowles*

Triples: *David Warren, Don Cozens, Ken Howard*

Fours: *John Rayner, Don Reade, Martin McMurray, John Crocker*

Congratulations to all KBC teams as all performed very well against strong opposition in this competition.

Roseville Shield:

The Roseville Shield is an invitation 'Fours' event played at East Roseville Bowling Club. The following members represented KBC with real merit in this competition:

Tony Hodgson, Bob Bessemer, Gof Bowles, Warwick Druce.

KBC Congratulates the Gordon BC team on winning the 2011 Shield.

Summary Results – Friendly Matches:

KBC V's Lindfield (Fred Salisbury Painting Trophy) won by KBC

KBC V's Warrawee (Langker Painting Trophy) won by Warrawee

KBC V's Killara Golf Club (Stedman Bowl) won by KBC
KBC V's Australian Club – match cancelled due to inclement weather.

On behalf of my fellow selectors I would like to take this opportunity to wish Killara Bowling Club Members, their families and friends, health and happiness for the festive season and the New Year.

Best regards to all,

Michael

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**COMMITTEE ARISING FROM
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Tony Hodgson - President
 Bob Hill - Vice President
 John Brodie - Vice President
 Jozef Zazulak - Bowls Secretary
 Don Buddee - Asst. Bowls Secretary
 Brian Shirvington - Committee
 Dale Mcbean - Committee
*John Muirhead and Robin Hearder
 retired.*



The Importance of Walking:

Walking can add years to your life. This enables you at 85 years old to spend an additional 5 months in a nursing home at \$3000 per month.
Grandpa started walking 10 kms a day when he was 60. Now he's 97 years old and we don't know where the hell he is.
 I like long walks, especially when they are taken by people who annoy me.
The only reason to take up walking would be to hear heavy breathing again
 I have to walk early in the morning... before my brain figures out what I'm doing...
I joined a health club last year, spent about 600 bucks. Haven't lost a kg. Apparently you have to go there..... ??
 Every time I hear the word 'exercise', I wash my mouth out with chocolate.
I do have flabby thighs, but fortunately my stomach covers them.
 The advantage of exercising every day is so when you die, they'll say, 'Well, she looks good doesn't she?'
If you are going to try cross-country skiing, start with a small country.
 I know I got a lot of exercise the last few years-just getting over the hill!
We all get heavier as we get older, because there's a lot more information in our head.



**My wife said to me
 Watcha doin' today?"
 I said "nothing."
 She said,
 'You did that yesterday!"
 I said,
 " I wasn't finished."**

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MNSDWBA Jean Webster Trophy.

The Annual Jean Webster Trophy was held at Warrawee Bowling Club, 27th September, 2011. The first District President, Jean Webster, presented this Trophy for a Competition, to enable new players to get competitive experience,

alongside established players. Each Club in the District to enter one Team, comprising two experienced players and two new players. Originally called the District President's Trophy, following her death, it was altered to the Jean Webster Trophy.

This year, the team from Killara was *Judy McLeod, Anne Cowlishaw, Barbara Cotton* and *Alice Burton* Skip - there were some very close and exciting Matches and at lunchtime, the leaders were Belrose - 1 win and 18 points, St, Ives - 1 win and 16 points, Warrawee 1 win and 15 points and Killara - 1 win and 14 points. After lunch Warrawee played Belrose and Killara played St.



District President, *Sue O'Keefe*, presents trophy to *Alice Burton, Barbara Cotton, Anne Cowlishaw* and *Judy McCleod*.

Ives, on adjoining rinks. Killara was the last to finish and were quite unaware of the cliff hanger which was eventuating, except that everybody else was on the verandah, watching. Warrawee and Belrose, on the last end were 10 all, and there was great applause when *Joy Beattie*, with her last bowl, sat on the jack giving them 11. Our match finished soon after, with a score of 3, on the last end, to beat St. Ives and win the Trophy, which now resides in the Trophy cabinet for the next twelve months. Interesting to note that Killara has only won three times - the first being with Alice Burton as an inexperienced player, the second time with Barbara Cotton as an inexperienced player and the third time with Alice and Barbara as the experienced players.

Barbara

CHANGE OF ADDRESS? NEW 'PHONE NUMBER? NEW OR ALTERED EMAIL ADDRESS?

Let us know so we can redirect mail, newsletters and so on. This includes mail, magazines from our State Bodies.

All that is needed is a note in the Secretary's Box or an email to bobbess@bigpond.net.au.

Indian Cab Driver

A drunk woman, stark naked, jumped into a taxi at a city Cab Rank.

The Indian driver opened his eyes wide and stared at the woman. He made no attempt to start the vehicle.

"What's wrong with you Luv, haven't you ever seen a naked woman before?". "I'll not be staring at you lady, I am telling you, that would not be proper, where I am coming from..." . "Well, if you're not bloody staring at me Luvie, what are you doing then?"

"Well, I am looking and looking, and I am thinking and thinking to myself, where is this lady keeping the money to be paying me with?!"



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Paddy and Neil were waiting at the bus stop when a truck went past loaded up with rolls of turf.

Neil said, "I'm gonna do dat when I win da lottery..."
 "What's dat den?" asks Paddy.
 "Send me lawn away to be cut"...



A new and bold Club initiative ...

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Since October 1st, it has hardly been possible to miss our "BONANZA" promotion activity aimed at boosting member and visitor numbers leading up to Christmas.

During the thirteen weeks of the last quarter, we expect to award some \$2,500 in cash and distribute tickets for the draw of over \$10,000 in awards! That is 'a pretty big deal by any standards!'

The Killara Prize Bonanza has been made possible by the generosity our local business supporters and we would like to acknowledge them here and urge you, our readers, to show appreciation *by thanking them and giving them your patronage.*



Brian Shirvington proposed the concept to the Board and has contributed two holidays at North Avoca valued at \$2,500.



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Michael Cross at Lindfield Pharmacy contributed 1/2 price cosmetics to value of \$1,000.



John Rayner is a great supporter of The Indigo Wine Company of Beechworth and has contributed twin packs of 2006 Cabernet Merlot. This wine has a cellar price of \$39/bottle and is rated 85 by James Halliday.

Sue Linquist (below) at work at her Lindfield Salon.



PLAYING THE GAME YOU LOVE HAS NEVER BEEN SO REWARDING!

We are sure our ladies would be delighted to win a free \$100 treatment from *Beauty By Kate* (Sue's daughter); and/or one of two free treatments (\$75 each) from Linquist Hair.

And someone is going to win a painting by an Archibald exhibitor, who cannot be named for commercial reasons, He (or she!?) will do a bowling caricature. Bunnings \$50 Gift Vouchers are always welcome and a \$100 gift voucher from Escape Travel is a big bonus! A free haircut or a free meal are not to be sneezed at either. And there are many more awards.

An old Marine pilot sat down at the Starbucks, still wearing his old USMC flight suit and leather jacket and ordered a cup of coffee. As he sat sipping, a young woman sat down next to him. She turned to the pilot and asked, 'Are you a real pilot?' He replied, 'Well, I've spent my whole life flying planes, first Stearmans, then the early Grumman.... flew a Wildcat and Corsair in WWII, and later in the Korean conflict, Banshees and Cougars. I've taught more than 260 people to fly and given rides to hundreds, so I guess I am a pilot, and you, what are you? She said, 'I'm a lesbian. I spend my whole day thinking about naked women. As soon as I get up in the morning, I think about naked women. When I shower, I think about naked women. When I watch TV, I think about naked women. It seems everything makes me think of naked women.'



The two sat sipping in silence.

A little while later, a young man sat down on the other side of the old pilot and asked: "are you a real pilot?"

He thought for a while and replied, 'I always thought I was, but I just found out I'm a lesbian.'



My neighbour knocked on my door at 2:30 am this morning, can you believe that.... 2:30 A.M.?

Luckily for him I was still up playing my bagpipes.



HILLBILLY DIVORCE

A hillbilly farmer who wanted to get a divorce paid a visit to a lawyer.

The lawyer said, 'How can I help you?'

The farmer said, 'I want to get one of them dayvorcees.'

The lawyer said, 'Do you have any grounds?'

The farmer said, 'Yes, I got 40 acres'

The lawyer said, 'No, No, you don't understand, Do you have a suit?'

The farmer said, 'Yes, I got a suit, I wears it to church on Sundays.'

The lawyer said, 'No,

no, I mean, do you have a case?'

The farmer said, 'No, I ain't got a Case, but I got a John Deere.'

The lawyer said, 'No, I mean, do you have a grudge?'

The farmer said, 'Yes, I got a grudge, that's where I parks the John Deere'



The lawyer said, 'Does your wife beat you up or something?'

The farmer said, 'No, we both get up at 4:30.'

By now the lawyer is getting frustrated but tries one last question ...

The lawyer said, 'Is your wife a nagger?'

The farmer said, 'No, she's a little white gal, but our last child was a nagger and that's why I wants a dayvorcee.'

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