



## KILLARA BOWLS NEWS : DECEMBER 2012

### Warrawee's BOB MORAN APPOINTED DIRECTOR OF BOWLS NSW



Bob Moran, a regular carnival supporter, wins yet again!

Bob is to be congratulated on his appointment. It is recognition of his contribution to Zone 9 and to bowls generally. Whilst it is a compliment that Zone 9 will be represented at the highest echelon of our Association, Bob's election will be a loss to our Zone's management as it will be necessary for him to retire from his position as Chairman of the Zone Match Committee - he was ineligible to remain as Zone President having served 3 years in that role - because the rules preclude a director from holding any other office.

**Len Hyde**, well known to Killara, will take over from Bob as Zone 9's representative on State Council.

### Goodbye Old Friend VALE KENNETH JOHN BOYD 1924 - 2012



Was there ever a more cheerful bowler and clubman than Ken Boyd? His funeral at Macquarie Park and wake at Lourdes was well attended by admirers and he is still spoken about at the club.

Belated news of the passing of a previous member, **Bryce Parsons**, aged 84, has also been received. The Editor regrets details are not available.

A frequent visitor from Turrumurra **Arnold (Dickie) Graham** has also left us. He was 94 years of age.

*"I once was lost, but now am found  
Was blind, but now can see."*

# Merry Christmas







**MISTRESS OF CEREMONIES & ORGANISER EXTRAORDINAIRE!**

*Judy McLeod* has organised no less than five successful functions since our last edition. Her reports and pictures are on this and following pages.



THE GRINNERS!

**Spring Carnival.**

Almost perfect weather for the two days of the Spring Carnival on 9<sup>th</sup> & 10<sup>th</sup> Sept saw 56 players in the mixed pairs on the Sunday and 65 men for the triples on the Monday.

*Sue's* delicious chicken and salad lunch helped bring visitors from 15 different clubs for Sunday and her famous ham off the bone brought more for lunch and bowls on Monday.

Our members were fortunate this year to win the big money on both the Sunday and Monday with *Warwick Druce* and *JM* winning the mixed pairs and *Rod Hendricks, Bruce York* and *Ed O'Donnell* scooped the Triples. Well done K.B.C.

I would specially like to mention the very kind donations made by *Pat Sinclair* for her hamper and *Joan Hodgson* for the cyclamen which were raffled together with the usual bottle of whiskey over the two days and made a profit of \$489.00.

**Survey.**

As you are all aware a survey notice was included with your Annual Report for your input in social events at the club for the coming year. Thank you to those 42 members who responded with the feedback which will effect us all.

The only dinner at this stage which is to be discontinued is *Christmas in July* and all other dinners will be reviewed depending on attendances.

*Twilight bowls* will be deleted from the programme but beginning in February 2013 a trial will begin with "once a month Sunday bowls" incorporating a B.B.Q. The success and continuation on that will depend on patronage. Many thanks to those members who offered to help when needed.

**Mixed Competition.**

The Mixed Triples played later in Sep/Oct which resulted in a win for *Ben Lau* (Skip), *Julie Halliday* (2<sup>nd</sup>) and *David Warren* (Lead).

As with all these events I need helpers in many areas and want to thank everyone of you who have so willingly offered to do what is needed to make the events an EVENT for me. It is much appreciated.

( *Judy's Reports continue on Pages 7 and 12* )



FULL HOUSE! THE SCENE AT MONDAY TRIPLES.





## KWBC President's Platform

*Elizabeth Dokulil*



The Women's Club has been very busy hosting The Jean Webster Competition, The Warrawee Painting Exchange Day and our 34th Birthday Lunch.

The Jean Webster is a competition that was started by the first Mid North Shore Women's Bowling Association President - Jean Webster, as a competition between the clubs in that district. The rules stated the teams must be made up of two new and two more seasoned players. Last year we won, so this year we had the honour to host the competition. Our team this year was **Judy McLeod, Barbara Langley, Barbara Cotton and Alice Burton**. We came third and so relinquished the cup. Better luck next year I say. **Alice Burton** won the Consistency Singles, the ever smiling **Marie Jones** won the Minor Singles while the winning team for the Triples Championship consisted of **Marie Conner, Livia Geniale and Alice Burton**, with **Elizabeth Bold, Marie Jones and Margaret Nowland** the Runners Up. There are no results for the Round Robin Triples as they have just started.

At the time of writing **Julie Halliday** rang to say she had passed her Coaching Certificate, as also has **Anne Cowlshaw**. Congratulations to you both.

The Lindfield Shield has just been played with the Kuring-gai Shield yet to come.

The Killara Women's Bowling Club has changed much since its beginning 34 years ago as **Helen Clarke** remembers. White dresses, or white skirts with marching tops, the skirts to be 15 inches from the ground and short sleeves to the elbow. Those with skirts too long or too short were told to have the length righted by the next week. I remember having to buy a double fronted petticoat, while a friend of mine had to buy a culotte petticoat to go under the culottes. I used to wonder what anyone could see through all those layers.

In the NSWBA Bowls News magazine, Volume 65 No 6-7, there was an interesting article written by Rosemary O'Brien of Merrylands Bowling Club. She wrote that *'though you might be as happy as a pig in mud in your stagnant pool of familiarity, in life we are constantly confronted with change.'*

The NSWBA in the Bowls News, September October 2012, has written of the initiative taken with its dress policy. They have introduced coloured shirts and below-waist garments when playing socially. Only when playing for your club are you required to wear the club uniform. As well, a uniform is not required when having coaching or even when playing with affiliated bowlers, before deciding to take up the sport. It reminds me of the final lines of John Bunyan's 'To Be a Pilgrim'

*... 'Then fancies fly away,  
He'll fear not what men say,*

*He'll labour night and day  
To be a pilgrim....*

I feel the Club, like the pilgrim in a sense, should start to sow seeds for change. In the Weekend Australian, March 31-April, 2012 there was an article that wrote how the Mona Vale Bowling Club had allowed jeans, T-shirts and boardshorts to invade their previous serene little club'. Recently I spoke with an Eastern Suburbs player that told of a club that had tentatively started Sunday Bowls. On that day, they organised two to three hours bowling with club players on hand for assistance. No uniform required apart from flat soled shoes or bare feet. After the game, they had drinks at the bar, ordered pizza, played Trivia and were home by 9pm. I gather they are now pulling in 60 players a night and held weekly instead of once a month.

This year after the subscriptions were paid, I calculated we had lost 22.5% of our members. We now have 65 women members, not all of who play bowls. The Women's Club is struggling because too often potential new members consider lawn bowls a pastime stuck in the twentieth century.

The average age of our women is, I feel, over 70. I would like to begin the journey taken by John Bunyan's Pilgrim and start a quest to bring a new lease of life to Killara Bowling Club. Our surroundings are wonderful, the greens manicured to perfection but we need to encourage more to enjoy the sensation of watching a bowl give the jack a tap. It takes the bowl about ten seconds to curve towards that little white ball, but the feeling it gives you on achieving this, is rather beautiful. How we proceed is up to all of us. We need to think of how to spread the word that this sport, so gloriously simple to start with, frustratingly difficult to master, fantastically inexpensive, is also so unquestionably addictive.

*Elizabeth*

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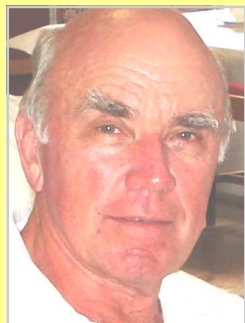
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## CHAIRMAN'S REPORT: IAN ARMSTRONG



The Annual General Meeting was held on Saturday 13 October at which the new board was elected and included a new member, **Elizabeth Calnan**. We welcome her to the board and look forward to her contribution. We also acknowledged the valuable contribution made by **Josef Zazulak** over his 4 years on

the board and who did not stand for re-election.

The accounts for the year to 30 June 2012 were adopted at this meeting which reported a deficit of \$41,000, an increase over the previous year. This increase was mainly due to the increased expenditure on repairs and maintenance and a reduction in bar earnings, green fees and interest income.

An interesting distraction in late August was the filming of a VW advertisement using our club as a background. Having now seen the ad on television it is unfortunate that it does nothing to promote either our club or the game of bowls.



At long last the retaining wall adjacent to No.2 Green is nearing completion following lengthy delays due to approvals that had to be obtained from various regulatory bodies. I believe it is a significant improvement on its predecessor.

After the drop off in attendances at our club social functions, which I commented upon in the August newsletter, it is pleasing to see an improvement in the numbers for our **St Andrews night dinner** on 23 November. **Judy McLeod** has recently conducted a survey of members on their interest in attending these events and received a very good response. This will be used in planning for our 2013 programme.

I again encourage all members to participate in our bowling days as much as possible and to invite friends from other clubs to join us whenever it is suitable. They may well join us as future members.

*Best wishes for Christmas and 2013!* **Ian**



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Bob, the builder, was going through a house he had just built with the woman owner. She was telling him what colour to paint each room.

They went into the first room and she said "I want this room to be painted a light blue."

The builder went to the front door and yelled "GREEN SIDE UP!"

When he went back into the house, she told him that the next room was to be bright red.

The builder went to the front door and yelled "GREEN SIDE UP!"

When he went back into the house, she told him that the next room was to be tan.

The builder went to the front door and yelled "GREEN SIDE UP!"

When he came back, the lady was pretty curious, so she asked him "I keep telling you colours, but you go out the front and yell green side up; what is that for?"

The builder said, "Oh don't worry about that, I've got a couple of Kiwi's laying the turf out front."





## KBC President's Platform : Tony Hodgson



Our Spring Carnival was held on Sunday 9 September (Composite Pairs) and Monday 10 September 2012 (Men's Triples). The weather was great on both days and we had 150 people playing in the Carnivals and assisting in and around the clubhouse. For the first time in living memory we had Killara teams

win the Composite Pairs (**Judy McLeod and Warwick Druce**) and the Men's Triples won by **Ed O'Donnell, Bruce York and Rod Henriks**. **David Martin** did a fine job as Convenor and **Bob Hill** ably backed up as his 2IC. **Josef Zazulak** did the draws and wrote up the cards for both days. **Ian Calder** and **Tom Takahashi** manned the roll-up room on Sunday and David Martin and Bob Hill had the same duties on Monday. Other people to thank include **Pat Sinclair** for her generous hamper and **Joan Hodgson** and **Judy McLeod** for their raffles. **Sue Cleary** ran the kitchen with numerous helpers on both days. **Bob Bessemer** is to be thanked for his production of the brochures, entry forms and bowls cards. We are very grateful to our two sponsors for the Carnival, **Lourdes Retirement Village** and the **Bendigo Lindfield Community Bank**. I am pleased to advise the Carnival was a financial success grossing in excess of \$4,000.

As a result of our Annual General Meeting held on Saturday 20 October 2012 **Alan Vine** and **Ray Date** were duly elected to our Management Committee. I look forward to their contributions in the running and management of our Club. **John Brodie**, who did not stand for re-election this year after serving for three and a half years, was warmly thanked for all his efforts and valuable contributions.

### Bob Sinclair Memorial Place of Origin

This match was held following our AGM and BBQ lunch. The Sydney team won this match, the first in the new series and for the first time in quite a while, by 135 points to 113. **Pat Sinclair** came for lunch and end of match get-together.

### 2013 Pennants Competition

The names of 30 members who wish to play Pennants in the Summer 2013 Pennants Competition have been received as well as eleven members who have indicated they can play as reserves.

Our coaching members are organising clinics for pennants players. See David Hunt's announcement page 11. I wish all Club Members a very happy Christmas and a prosperous and healthy 2013.

*Tony*

A TOUGH OLD COWBOY FROM SOUTH TEXAS COUNSELED HIS GRANDDAUGHTER THAT IF SHE WANTED TO LIVE A LONG LIFE, THE SECRET WAS TO SPRINKLE A PINCH OF GUN POWDER ON HER OATMEAL EVERY MORNING.

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A fellow has been shot in the head with a starting pistol; police say it's definitely race related...

Due to a water shortage in Ireland, Dublin swimming baths have announced they are closing lanes 7 and 8....

Murphy is doing some roofing work for Paddy. He nears the top of the ladder

and starts shaking and going dizzy. He calls down to Paddy and says "I tink I will ave to go home, I've come all over giddy and feel sick."

Paddy asks "Ave yer got vertigo?". Murphy replies "No I only live round the corner." • After 100 years lying on the sea bed, Irish divers were amazed to find that the Titanic's swimming pool was still full.

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### Foundation Day Dinner

The Foundation Dinner marking our 96th year was held on 21 September and was attended by 45 very happy members and friends who enjoyed delicious hors d'oeuvres and bubbles in what used to be the poker machine area before moving to their tables for dinner. A short talk was given by **Sue O'Keefe** on the make up of our zone in relation to K.B.C.



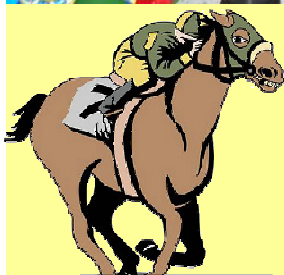
**John Muirhead** was a most gracious M.C. and wound the evening up after coffee and mints but the noise level indicated no-one was in a hurry to leave.

### Melbourne Cup 2012

The first Tuesday in November and members and friends who attended for bowls, lunch and the race really enjoyed the day. Times change and this year mufti was an option so we had a "Fashion on the Field" competition. I was pleasantly surprised how many members made an effort to have FUN and the winners were difficult to choose but the outright stand-outs were **Tony Hodgson** and **Yvonne Taylor** who won the top prizes.



AS ALWAYS, DECORATIONS WERE DELIGHTFUL



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A BLUES BROTHER MEETS BARBERSHOP BARITONE





**Assistant Bowls Secretary  
Don Buddee Reports**

Another year of Competition closes with interesting results. The year began with **Brian**

**Shirvington** winning the Gissing Consistency. From thereon it was **Goff Bowles** year. Not only was Goff our Club Singles Champion but also he paired with **Alan Vine** to win the Club Pairs; and with **Arthur Krust** to win the Major Pairs. Other winners were **James Thomas** (Minor Singles) **Harvey Cooper** and **Don Reade** (Minor Pairs) and **Dale McBean, Ken Howard** and **Warwick Druce** (Triples). The fours went to **David Hunt, Peter Baume, Dale McBean** and **Lloyd Sommerlad**. **Lloyd, you are irrepresible!**

Hearty congratulations to all our winners but in particular to Goff who had such a successful year. Enjoy the Festive Season.

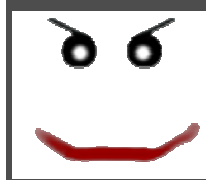
Yours in Bowling

*Don*

On a train travelling from London to Manchester , an American is berating the Englishman sitting across from him.

"You English are too stuffy. You set yourselves apart too much. You think your stiff upper lips make you above the rest of us. Look at me... I'm ME. I have Italian blood, French blood, a little Indian blood, and some Swedish blood. What do you say to that?"

The Englishman replies: "Awfully sporting of your mother, old chap!"



*The wife left a note on the fridge....."It's not working!! I can't take it anymore, I've gone to stay at Mothers!"*

*I opened the fridge, the light came on and the beer was cold.....  
God only knows what she was talking about!!*

The Grim Reaper came for me last night , and I beat him off with a vacuum cleaner. Talk about Dyson with death . . . .

A mate of mine recently admitted to being addicted to brake fluid. When I quizzed him, he reckoned he could stop any time....

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## Treasurer Don Reade on seeking Grants

Looking at our accounts for the year ended 30 June 2012, members will see that whilst our Total Income for that year amounted to \$162,461 our repairs and maintenance expenses reduced that amount by \$35,035. In other words our repairs and maintenance bill reduced our gross profit by 21.6% and was to a large extent responsible for our net loss of \$41,401 for the year.

The 2012 year was a bad year for repairs and maintenance and hopefully will not be repeated. Nevertheless, the Board feels it advisable to look for grants to assist it in running an ongoing club. **Ian Calder** has joined me in the task of searching for appropriate grant makers, monitoring their grants seasons and requirements, registering the club for their attention, and applying for grants.

We have made a number of registrations to date and have already made a grant application with one source in connection with the need to replace the sun blinds attaching to the club house. We have also made a registration with the **Australian Sports Foundation** to obtain tax deductibility for donations from individuals in connection with major projects. There is very strong competition for grant monies and not many applications succeed. Ian and I would welcome any member with experience in grant making applications to give us their advice and/or assistance. Merry Christmas and Happy New Year!



Don

## SHORT AND SWEET?

-Paddy says "Mick, I'm thinking of buying a Labrador." "Bugger that" says Mick "have you seen how many of their owners go blind?"

=Statistically, 6 out of 7 dwarves are not Happy.

-Local Police hunting the 'knitting needle nutter', who has stabbed six people in the backside in the last 48 hours, believe the attacker could be following some kind of pattern.

=Just got back from my mate's funeral. He died after being hit on the head with a tennis ball. It was a lovely service.

-I went to the cemetery yesterday to lay some flowers on a grave. As I was standing there I noticed 4 grave diggers walking about with a coffin, 3 hours later and they're still walking about with it. I thought to myself, they've lost the plot!!

=My girlfriend thinks that I'm a stalker. Well, she's not exactly my girlfriend yet.

-Sat opposite an Indian lady on the train today, she shut her eyes and stopped breathing. I thought she was dead, until I saw the red spot on her forehead and realised she was just on standby.



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## GARDEN MAKEOVER THERAPY



Now that the weather is improving, more people are venturing outdoors to enjoy the warmth and sunshine.

**PHIL AND NOELENE JOHNSON**, Principals of **LJ HOOKER ST IVES** said "Our lifestyles have changed through the years and outdoor living is important to Australians. Balconies, courtyards and gardens are therapeutic when you are surrounded by plants, sunlight and other nature elements."

"To make the most of the fresh air, it's easy to do a mini makeover around your garden which can also add value to your home.

"And spring is a great time to do it," he/she added," especially if the property is being offered to the market to take advantage of the extra buyer activity.

"This can be an important season for home buyers if they are trying to settle into a new home for the start of summer."

To appreciate flowers, plants and trees to the fullest, **PHIL AND NOELENE** advise to cut back the overgrowth to expose more trees, shrubs and great vistas.

"Get rid of the junk and plant some beautiful greenery or colourful blooms. If you have an artistic flair, paint and decorate some pots and place to brighten up the scenery even more."

Other suggestions include

- A veggie garden built with railway sleepers with high and secure edges can be turned into comfy seating with colourful cushions scattered about.
- If you're lucky enough to have the old Hills Hoist, wind it up to the highest point and cover it with attractive, heavy duty material to keep the sun off so family and friends can sit under its welcoming shade.
- Placing decking or paving around the garden can also give it a lift and some additional exterior lighting will enhance the night atmosphere. Take advantage of the outdoor electrical plugs and put in a water feature to suit the mood of tranquility and relaxation.

"One of those things that can make buyers' eyes light up is French folding doors opening from the house into the garden and connecting the two.

"Quality time with family and friends in your own home is important, and a simple barbeque in a practical, pleasant entertainment area goes a long way to attract buyers, along with countless other ideas that make outdoor living so good, nobody wants to go back inside," he/she said.

**To find out more about this spring's property market activity – with buyers and sellers – contact PHIL OR NOELENE JOHNSON on 0410 588 833.**

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*KEN HOWARD*



**Highlights – Men's Club  
2012 Mid-Week Pennants Competition Results**

Our "C" Grade Team came third and our "D" Grade Team came last. Disappointing results but the teams are aiming to improve in the 2013 Competitions.

**Killara Golf Club v Killara Bowling Club (Stedman Cup)**

The second leg of this tournament was played at Killara Bowling Club

on 14 August. The Bowling Club was successful winning 4 rinks to 2 (124 to 119) a margin of 5 shots.

The overall results of the 2 matches played this year is that Killara had won overall aggregate by 7 shots.

**2012 Jack Harkness Memorial 6's & 7's Invitation Tournament – Mosman Bowling Club**

Killara accepted an Invitation to field a fours team in subject tournament on Saturday 25 August 2012. It was a knock-out competition with winners progressing through 4 rounds culminating in the final to be held on Saturday 15 September. Our representatives were **Ben Lau** (lead), **Rod Henriks** (second), **Warwick Druce** (Third), **Gof Bowles** (skip). Our team was competitive although knocked out in the first round by Seaforth after drawing the match and having to play an extra end to decide the winner.

**Ku-ring-gai Shield (Top 10) – Warrawee – 22 September 2012**

Killara fielded teams in this tournament and the following players chosen.

**SINGLES:** Gof Bowles **PAIRS:** Arthur Krust, Rod Henriks **TRIPLES:** Rick Edwards, Ken Howard, Warwick Druce **FOURS:** John Rayner, David Warren, John Orton, John Crocker

Overall results: Lindfield 1<sup>st</sup>. Turrumurra 2<sup>nd</sup>. Warrawee 3<sup>rd</sup>. St Ives 4<sup>th</sup>. West Pymble 5<sup>th</sup>. Killara & Gordon equal 6<sup>th</sup>. Roseville 7<sup>th</sup>. Only one Killara team won and that was the triples team.

**Salisbury Shield (Painting Trophy) – Killara v Lindfield**

The match, played 31 October, was won by Killara by 2 shots 120 to 118. Overall Killara won 4 out of the 6 matches. This meant that Killara had defended the Trophy won earlier in the year.

**Men's Coaching Clinic**

In light of our disappointing results in Pennants this year our coaches have organised a bowling clinic. See announcement following.



**Long Standing Umpire Retires**

After 10 years of service as an umpire, **John Orton** has decided not to re-accredit. We thank John for his effort over those years. He has always been willing to help out with umpiring duties and he will be particularly missed by our

Ladies Club who he has helped out many times even when he was not a member of this club. Umpiring is a necessary element of lawn bowls and we encourage new members to qualify. It is the ideal way to learn the rules and also make a contribution to the Club.

*Compliments of the Season to you all! Ken*

**A CALL TO ARMS!**

*David Hunt*



We must do better in Pennants next year! Your coaches **Rick Edwards, Gof Bowles, Rod Henriks** and **I** have developed an interesting training programme commencing Saturday 1 December. **Ed O'Donnell** has kindly offered to give a talk on team tactics to all players, which is a much needed requirement. Trial matches will follow.

All members who have nominated for Pennants in 2013 are encouraged to attend and with everybody's participation we will move up the ladder next year. Please watch the Noticeboard for announcements.

*David*



A lesson in irony...applies here in Australia, too...!!

The Food Bank Program, administered by Social Welfare Canada, is actually proud of the fact it is distributing the greatest amount of free meals and food vouchers ever!

Meanwhile, the National Park Service, administered by Canada Parks and Natural Resources, asks us to "Please Do Not Feed the Animals." Their stated reason for the policy is because the animals will grow dependent on handouts and will not learn to take care of themselves.



**St.Andrews Day Dinner**

The annual St Andrews Dinner was well attended by a happy crowd of 47 members and their wives.

To the sound of the bagpipe played by **Lachlan Garnett** as guests arrived guests were greeted with a complimentary Athol Brose..

**Arthur Krust** carried in the haggis accompanied by the piper. Arthur then addressed the Haggis with all the conviction of a true highlander.

The Haggis as an entrée preceded **Sue's** traditional St Andrews dinner of roast lamb, baked ham with a celtic glaze, spiced fruit, baked pumpkin (with a difference), pomme noisettes



and peti pois peas.

A spontaneous group of choristers sang a couple of Scottish songs led by **Cyril Vahtrick** with **Joan Young** on the piano - we certainly have a number of members who like to sing so it was nice give them the opportunity to entertain those of us who do not have a 'voice'.

We also had a very well chosen M.C. for the evening in our one and only **James Drysdale McBean** otherwise known as Dale McBean who told us of his ancestry which included three clans namely, Wardlaw, Drysdale and McBean so for a function such as St Andrews he was the real McCoy!

And we had **Scotch Thistle** on the tables as well for decoration!! As always, for every single function I've been involved in at the club I could not have done it without the expertise and helpfulness of "Our Sue Cleary". She is a one off.

As well, I have had many many helpers who have shared my responsibilities and given me strength when needed so thank you all very much and to those who have faithfully attended social functions.

I hope you all enjoy the holiday season and I'll look forward to seeing you all in the New Year.

**Judy**



**The Lindfield Larks\***

*A rapturous melding of musical magnificence ably led by Choir Master Cyril Vahtrick.*

Hidden from view (top right), but in fine voice, is Don Hodges, on the mend from a nasty fall which smashed his left wrist . . . needing plate screws and grafts!

Hopefully on the green soon Don!

\*I thought 'Killara Chorus' more appropriate! ED.







# BAREFOOT BOWLS

Saturday 3rd November (Patron's Day) saw much activity on No.2 Green when 44 barefoot bowlers took the field on the occasion of neighbour **Brad Wicks** (opposite) 44th birthday. *Hey Brad! That's one bowler for each year of your life!* Speaking to Brad and his friends, they had a good time. Brad also mentioned he would like to come over for more!

Barefoot Bowls is an important and growing activity and we are seeing repeat customers . . . **Lady Davidson Staff** will again have their Christmas function with us when some 30 turn up for fun on the green 14th December.



As usual, Michael Tsolakis was there.



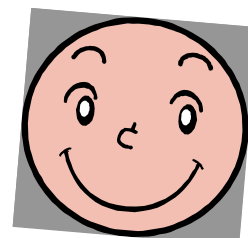
This guy's must be a Plumber



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