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BAIRNSDALE GOLF-BOWLS CLUB NEWSLETTER - FEBRUARY 2026

2025/2026 **Championships Season** 2025/2026



LADIES' CLUB SINGLES CHAMPIONSHIP

The final of the ladies' event was played this month with Joy Ryan being our new Champion. This is Joy's first Club Singles win. Congratulations to Judi Hogan for once again making a final. Well done Joy and Judi!



MEN'S CLUB SINGLES CHAMPIONSHIP

Congratulations to Steve Beggs, this season's Men's Club Champion. Going back-to-back on last year Steve bowled very well against runner-up Eric Yeates. Well done Steve and Eric!



LADIES' CLUB PAIRS CHAMPIONSHIP

This season's Ladies' Pairs Champions are Bev Yeates and Judi Hogan. Runners-up Angela Boyd and Pat Elliott.



MEN'S CLUB PAIRS CHAMPIONSHIP

Back-to-back wins to Steve Beggs and Paul Sampson won a close game against runners-up Lui Mosele and Mike Manning

2025/2026 Championships Season 2025/2026



CLUB MIXED PAIRS CHAMPIONSHIP

The winners this year are Angela Boyd and Paul Sampson. They were very convincing winners against runners-up Eric and Bev Yeates. Congratulations Angela and Paul!



LADIES' NOVICE SINGLES

Congratulations to Meg Sutton for winning the Novice Singles Event against runner-up Cathie Morris. Well done to both and we hope to see Cathie, with a bit more experience, again next season.



Club Champion Joy Ryan receiving her 'Champion' badge from Bowls President John Crawford.

Joy also received her 'Smartest of the Smarties' cup from John. This cup was made by Mick Blackwood and it returns every season full of smarties from the previous winner.



Ross Tucker in his semi-final against Steve.



Judi and Eric competing in their respective matches.

PRESIDENT'S REPORT—FEBRUARY 2026

Stephen Mann



Hello to all members,

February has been an extremely busy time for our Club hosting the Men's Championships for 2026 and preparing for the 2026 Seniors Pro Am held on 2nd March 2026.

MEN'S CHAMPIONSHIPS

- The Men's Championships concluded with the 3rd round played on 21st February 2026 and presentations were held on Saturday 28th February 2026.
- I congratulate all winners and thank all members who participated. Presentation night was a great success with past winners presenting trophies to the 2026 winners.

SENIOR PRO AM 2026

- Although this annual event was held on 2nd March 26, it is worth commenting in the February newsletter.
- The weather was not kind to us this year and at one stage we thought we may have to complete the event on Tuesday, however the rain reduced in the afternoon allowing the event to be completed.
- Huge thanks to The Big Garage for being the naming rights sponsor for approximately the 15th year.
- Thanks to all other sponsors who made the day another successful one.

Special thanks to all the male and female volunteers who assisted before during and after the Pro Am. This event could not be run without the great team of volunteers we have. You make me feel extremely proud of you all.

The next Major Event is the **2026 CORPORATE CUP** to be held on Friday 20th March 2026 and once again I will be calling on volunteers to assist before, during and after this terrific event.

Bowlers have struggled with weather impacting some events, however they persevered. Lining has been completed in the bowls shelter to hopefully stop birds making a mess inside.

Enjoy your Golf and Bowls.

Regards

STEPHEN MANN (President)

BOWLING GREENS - FEBRUARY 2026

Craig Rimington Course Superintendent



Both greens have been Verti cut, groomed and we are following the nutrition and fungicide application programs.

Currently we look to have the BF1 and Fairway Patch Disease under control.

We will needle tine aerate greens when time permits and follow up with Hydro Cottle weed control on the bottom green.

Craig.

BOWLS PRESIDENT'S REPORT - FEBRUARY 2026

John Crawford



'Jack Attack' is over for another year.

Thanks go to our sponsor The Paynesville Community Bank; Jeff for his work in advertising and coordinating, and most importantly our fabulous cooks led by Jenny.

Every one enjoyed the event and it goes without saying it will be a yearly event.

Of course congratulations to the winners who did a 'Bradbury' on the last night.

Well, what can you say about the Golf/Bowls Challenge Day, only a huge thank you to Jo and Jenny for their organisational skills in once again making the day run so smoothly. I am sure everyone will be back next year.

A special thanks to Palm Lakes Resort for their continued sponsorship.

Pennant season is over and although we did not enjoy success, we benefited from the experience. Well done to the Selection Committee.

With newer players coming on it is evident that our Club needs more Coaches.

Apparently most of it can be done on-line so please give it some thought and talk to Steve. This is an urgent plea!

In the mean time enjoy autumn bowling.

**GREAT EXERCISE!
GREAT ATMOSPHERE!
GREAT FRIENDS!**

John C.

TREASURER'S REPORT - FEBRUARY 2026

David Pollard



Hello fellow members

A simple question from me, where has this year gone?

I'm sure I was just buying Christmas presents!

Any time you would like to chat about the figures, let me know.

The reporting period is 01.07.25 to 3.01.26

RESULTS V BUDGET

Income is over by \$15,300 (good)

- Collectively our Retail areas are up \$4,000, Bar, Golf Shop and Café.
- Green Fees and Major events are up as well as Bowls operations and our Catering activities.
- Our Subscriptions are down at present, but this is a 'timing issue' (secret Accountant's talk .. Chris Savige will be delighted to field any questions on that lol).

Simply put, what we have received so far is under what we expected, but by the end of the year, we believe it will match what we budgeted for.

Expenses are over by \$16,300 (not so good).

Our compliance costs, HR consultants engaged but not budgeted for, Course costs, again a timing issue that will resolve itself and unexpected costs/repairs to the Clubhouse and surrounds (Jeffrey Graham will be delighted to field that area) are all over.

Net Profit (Before Depreciation) is under by \$1,000 (Not good, not bad).

Considering the unexpected expenses we have incurred this year, it's comforting that our Trading has increased and has covered the additional costs).

David.



Jack Attack season comes to an end.

This year our Jack Attack season has, once again, been very successful. With 18 teams competing each week it has been fantastic to see so many players enjoying their evenings. Thank you to them all for participating! Bowls President John, along with Manager Jeff, for their work in running the event. It has been a great effort from Jenny, Joy, Jan and Lyn providing meals for so many each week. Terrific work thank you all!!

Angela Dunkley, representing the Paynesville & District Community Bank, was on hand to present the winners shield to 'The Mercs'. John Crawford, Dorothy and David Slater.



2nd. Place getters were 'The God Squad'.



4th. Place went to 'No Bias'.



3rd. Place went to 'Jessabells'.



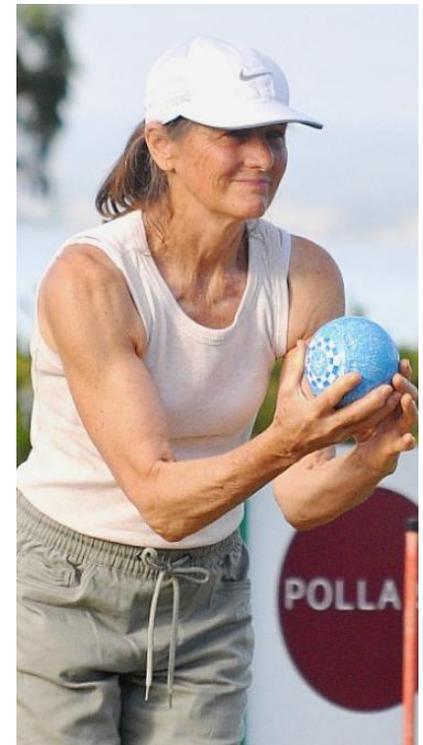
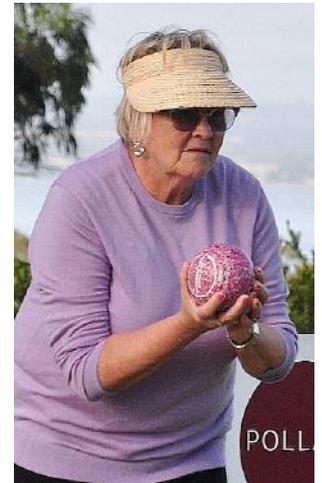
5th. Place were 'The Likely Lads'.

Jack Attack season comes to an end.



A presentation was made to Jan Dodson, Lyn Baldwin, Jenny Holter and Joy Ryan in recognition for the fine job they did catering for dinner every week.

A big commitment appreciated by all our Club members.



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GREENS DIRECTOR - FEBRUARY 2026

Steve Beggs



A surprise for me today, I went to the Club to cut the edges and mow all the surrounds all the while hoping it would be dry enough after the rain.

To my surprise Craig and one of his men had cut all the edges with our edge trimmer then with a club whipper snipper resulting in a great job, much better job than just the Atom edger. They then mowed around both greens then cleaned the mower, so the greens look great and mower ready for the next mow, so how good is that?

Line marking is the next job to do. The line marking frame made by Bob Long has served us well for many years but required some serious rework. With the assistance of David Slater we reworked it at no cost so it will do another term marking lines, thanks David, good job.

I will be away for March, so could members please monitor both lines and mowing to keep the place looking good for all to enjoy.

Time has come to remove the north side shades on the bottom green to prevent them shading the bottom green causing moss to form, sunshine is the best remedy.

Good bowling,

Beggs'y.



Bairnsdale Golf v Lakes Entrance RSL Annual Challenge



2026 was the 21st year of our Annual Challenge. There are only a couple of times when the event was not played with Lakes Entrance have won the majority of matches. Played under Pennant format, this year it was our turn winning 94/81.



Best Lakes Entrance RSL Team for the day Margo and Stan Short, Lynton Rathjen and Chris Piatek.



Lesley Clare representing Lakes Entrance RSL presenting the perpetual plaque to our Bowls Club President John Crawford.



The Best Team for Bairnsdale Golf was Rose Watkins, Joy Ryan, Jan Dodson and David Slater.



Thank you to Helen and her helpers for the lovely lunch and afternoon tea, along with our Match Committee led by Jan and Lesley Clare for organising the day.

BOWLS CO-ORDINATOR REPORT - FEBRUARY 2026

Jan Dodson



Pennant has now ended for our club. Congratulations to Div 3 for making it to the finals, sadly though we didn't make it past the first round but a **HUGE THANKYOU** to everyone who came to Metung to cheer us on.

Club Singles Championship was played on Friday, Feb. 13th.

Congratulations to our winners:

Ladies' **Joy Ryan**; Runner-up **Judi Hogan**.

Men's **Steve Beggs**; Runner-up **Eric Yeates**.

Club Mixed Pairs Championship final was played on Wednesday, Feb. 18th.

Congratulations to our winners:

Angela Boyd and Paul Sampson. Runners - up **Eric Yeates and Bev Yeates**.

Our Annual Lakes Entrance RSL v Bairnsdale Golf Challenge on Thursday, Feb. 19th was a great success with 40 players on the green. This year GOLF won the shield - **YAHOO!** Once engraved it will be hung on the wall with pride for all to admire

Best games on the day were:

Lakes Entrance team Margo Short, Stan Short, Lynton Rathjen and Chris Piatek

Golf team Ross Tucker, Jan Dodson, Joy Ryan and Rose Watkins.

Each player was presented with a bowls cloth from the opposing club.

A huge thankyou to the ladies in the kitchen for a lovely lunch and afternoon tea, the boys for rolling and preparing the green, our umpire and the many others who helped on the day.

Club Ladies' and Men's Pairs Championships finals were played on Sunday, March 1st. (due to inclement weather on Friday 27th).

Congratulations to: Ladies' **Bev Yeates and Judi Hogan**. Runners - up Angela Boyd and Pat Elliott.

Men **Steve Beggs and Paul Sampson**. Runners - up Lui Mosele and Mike Manning.

Club Men's Novice Singles was played on Wednesday, March 4th.

Congratulations to: **Rod Bridgborn**. Runner - up Tony Dodson.

Upcoming events are:

Club Fours Championships (1&2) on Friday, March 20th.

Club 100 Up Events (1&2) on Tuesday, April 7th. with (3&4) on Friday, April 10th.

So keep those bowls polished as there are plenty more days of fun and competition to go before the cold weather sets in.

Good bowling to all.

Cheers,

Jan



Weekend Pennant Semi-finals Time !

Our Saturday Division 3 side was the only one to make finals this season. They had to play Metung at Metung in the semi-final and unfortunately Metung was way too good, particularly on their home synthetic green.



Back: Pam Boucher, Sue Plowman, Joy Ryan and Rose Watkins.
Front: Graeme White, Jenny Holter, Jan Dodson and John Crawford.



Weekend Pennant Semi-finals Time !

There was a good turn-up from our Club to support them.

Well done everyone, we are very proud of you!

Congratulations to Metung who went on to win the Gippsland Bowls Region title.



Midweek Pennant Prelim. Finals

We were pleased to host the Midweek Pennant Divisions 2 and 3 Preliminary Finals on Tuesday 17th. both between Bairnsdale and Lakes Entrance clubs. In Division 2 Bairnsdale had a very exciting win over Lakes Entrance by only two shots! Division 3 was also close with Bairnsdale once again victorious with a five shots win. In the Grand Final Division 2 Paynesville had a comfortable win against Bairnsdale, whilst in Division 3 Paynesville also won with a five shots margin.



Brian, Mark, Alan and Rod getting the greens and surrounds in top shape for the finals.



Midweek Pennant Prelim. Finals



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Thursday Bowls



Our Thursday bowls continues to be very popular, particularly amongst our newer players, where they are continuing to gain lots of experience.



LOOKING BACK ON THE HISTORY OF OUR BAINSDALE GOLF-BOWLS CLUB. PART 12... OUR BEGINNING

Here is some items of interest from previous Committee and Annual Meetings:

- **17/2/82** Query was raised re what, if any, decision had been made re cooling for the clubhouse by the Golf Committee. Overhead fans will be installed in both sections, plus the kitchen in the very near future.
- **11/12/92** Greens: E. Harrap reported that the green is soft and full of algae, and to help drainage, a working bee is being arranged to help with tyning. The rules concerning bowlers who damage the green will be strictly adhered to. Managers are to be instructed to advise opposing managers that players who are asked to improve their delivery and do not do so, will be asked to leave the green.
- **7/4/92** “That the prizes for winners of Club events for 1993-94, shall be as follows Club Singles \$100; Club Pairs \$50 each; Club Fours \$50 each; Mixed Pairs \$35 each; Minor Singles \$35 and 100 Up \$25. Carried.
- **22/11/94** K. Gidley asked that a letter be sent to the RVBA registering the club colours and that the shirt be the same as the jacket. Coloured rings on bowls be chequered navy and sky blue.
- **17/1/95** Letter from RVBA—Club jackets and shirts have been approved for colour and design.
- Moved K. Gidley, seconded D. Bennett that delegates vote yes to playing Pennant straight through. *(Yes even 30+ years ago it was a bone of contention).*
- Golf Club have approved the position of the new green.
- M. Wigg suggested that the Club strike a Fred Bishop Memorial Shield for a member who has given long and outstanding service to the Club, be it male or female, and this would be decided by a combined meeting of both ladies and men’s committees. Carried.
- **22/8/95** A. Archibald reported on a meeting with the General Committee and had asked that our proposal for another green be treated as a matter of urgency.
- After much discussion about coloured clothing for the forthcoming Pennant season it was moved P. McNamara and seconded K. Waite, “That all intending Pennant players be asked if they would mind purchasing a coloured shirt as it was the aim of the Committee to play in Club colours.” Carried.
- **24/10/95** A. Archibald had investigated the possibility of a rock retaining wall being built. A. McPherson can have rocks delivered for \$10 per tonne.
- **19/12/95** Twilight Bowls. D. Bennett reported that Wednesday nights was well received with 58 names down for tomorrow. If raining will still have tea at 6 p.m.
- **June 2008** New Terminology for Bowls Officers (President, Vice-President etc.) (Prior to this we were only permitted to have Chairman and Chairwoman).



DELEGATES INFORMATION SESSION NOTES

The Gippsland Region Board held an information session for club delegates and observers at Maffra Bowls Club on Monday 23 February 2026.

Present

Board members Bronwyn Thwaites (Secretary), Colin Smith (Treasurer), Graeme Hemming, Shane Higgins.

Delegates and observers Alison Harrower (Bruthen); Jeff Amos (Yarram); Nev Irish and Bruce Hughes (Sale); Chris Sherrin and Maureen Kelly Heyfield); Jeff Amos (Yarram); Nannette Hamilton and Suzanne York (Bairnsdale); Helen Everitt (Bairnsdale Golf); Marg Brandhoj (Lakes Entrance); Maureen Petty and Rhonda Hall (Stratford); Kieran Casey (Metung); Alan McDonald (Loch Sport); Nigel Plunkett (Lindenow); Jim Castles (Maffra), Mark Henry and Kerry Binotto (West Sale); Barry Sauer (Rosedale).

Apologies Dave Butterworth (Vice President), John Crawford (Bairnsdale Golf), John Budge (Paynesville), Karen Cheney (Orbost), Mark Coleman (BV).

Business

Pennant update

JM advised delegates there may be significant changes to weekend pennant in 2026/27 including the introduction of live scoring for Division 1 Weekend Pennant – a 'year of learning' then mandatory in season 2027/28.

The Competitions Committee will meet after the Weekend Pennant grand finals and clubs will be advised of changes in a timely manner.

Region Sides

Region Sides Managers Bronwyn Thwaites (BT) and Colin Smith (CS) reported on the 2026 championships highlighting:

- games on day 1 were cancelled because of the catastrophic fire declaration
- three games of 15 ends each were rescheduled for the following day
- the women's and men's sides played at different venues – women at Midlands Golf and men at Ballarat Memorial Sports – impacting on the teams' ability to support each other
- the men won two out of 3 games and were unlucky to miss the final – the team's best performance in many years
- the women won one out of three matches against tough opposition
- top junior Ayla Romanin, a member of the women's team for the past two years, was farewelled at a team dinner. Ayla has moved to Melbourne to join the Deer Park Youth Bowls Academy.

Umpiring

Coordinator Chris Sherrin reported that:

- the assessment team finalised assessments for three new national umpires and one new marker in February from Stratford, Howitt Park and Metung clubs
- along with assessments, the day incorporated discussion on incidents assessor and participants may have witnessed, how to manage difficult situations and interpretation of rules
- bowlers are encouraged to discuss rules with their club umpires who have the latest information
- thanks to all umpires who have made themselves available for pennant finals.

Disciplinary procedures

CS reported on new disciplinary guidelines provided by Bowls Victoria (BV) which enable Regions to support clubs where an incident occurs, and the line of responsibility is blurred or occurs in an event or competition where the Region is the controlling body.

He said the Region had already established a panel and processes similar to those advised by BV to deal with two very serious disciplinary matters in the past couple of years.

Nigel Plunkett (Lindenow) questioned whether the new guidelines covered a situation where disciplinary action may impact negatively on the relationship between a Region and a club.



In response, Colin said that in the recent cases, while the Board worked very closely with clubs involved, the disciplinary panel established to hear the matters was completely independent and decisions made were final.

The updated guidelines can be found in the Club Management section of Club Assist on the BV website, click [Club Assist - Bowls Victoria](#)

Women in Bowls

BT provided information on the GBR Women in Bowls Challenge, a new event being proposed by the Women in Bowls Committee established by the Board to address the decreasing number of women playing bowls in the Region.

The committee, chaired by BT, comprises Chris Sherrin (Heyfield), Nannette Hamilton and Wendy Campbell (Bairnsdale), Anne Renahan (Stratford), and Angela Boyd (Bairnsdale Golf), has met three times and made considerable progress.

An initial task was a review of participation in pennant which revealed:

Midweek – 372 players, 39% women

Weekend – 544 players, 25% women.

BT reported on the women in bowls survey undertaken to find out valuable information from former, current, and potential bowlers – mainly Crackerjack/corporate.

The survey attracted more than 200 responses either online through the GBR website or via a hard copy.

Key highlights:

- most respondents are aged 60+ and retired
- the key reasons they play bowls are for fitness, fun, friendship and socialising, competition
- some commented that they stopped playing Midweek Pennant 'after the men took over', not a widely held view among respondents
- existing women-only tournaments including club invitation and gala days remain popular
- only a few crackerjack/barefoot bowlers showed interest in joining a bowls club
- there is strong support for a new 'women' only Region event.

Based on the survey results, the committee now proposes to establish an annual GBR Women in Bowls Challenge (working title) to launch the 2026/27 and following seasons.

- Clubs with two greens invited to host the event - north/east playing areas to alternate.
- One or two nominated teams of four from participating clubs, including at least one member with less than 5 years' bowls experience
- Aiming for a total of 28 teams to be entered, players representing their clubs not themselves. Club uniform to be worn.
- Medley structure preferred
- A perpetual cup to be awarded to the winning club
- Generous prize money, subject to sponsorship.

BT said that subject to Board approval, the event will be promoted to eligible clubs which may wish to consider submitting an Expression of Interest to host the inaugural Challenge.

This will be at the conclusion of the pennant season.

Board election timetable

BT outlined the timeline/tasks leading up to the 2026 Annual General Meeting (AGM):

- 15 March, call for notices of motion for inclusion as special business
- 29 March
 - ✕ closing date for notices of motion ✕ call for nominations for Board director and committee positions
- 12 April ✕ closing date for nominations ✕ business notice for the AGM distributed
- 3 May (Sunday), AGM 10am, Bairnsdale BC.

Other business *Peter Leslie* JM paid tribute to Peter Leslie, who has resigned from the Board and Competitions Committee to deal with serious health issues. Best wishes to Peter for a full recovery.



Shoes

JM reported she was seeking more information on a medical certificate being required for the wearing of non-conforming shoes from 2026/27.

Statement from the President

JM made a statement about a comment made on the FB page of Lawn Bowlers Australia, a group with nearly 32,000 members. The comment reads:

'This uniform crap is getting out of hand. Cost a local club a finals spot last year, yet the same region allows a club to wear Bunnings hats with no threat of losing any points.'

While not naming the person nor the clubs, JM said the post was incorrect, contained lies and brought the Region into disrepute. She stated:

- The club referred to did not lose a finals spot, in fact the Board gave them kudos for fighting their way back after being penalised 14 points for continued failure by some of their members to comply with uniform requirements.
- The Bunnings hats were worn at a final at Bairnsdale BC; after the issue was raised by a Board member, the club was contacted and action taken immediately.

JM gave a rundown of the communication, over more than a year on the non-compliance matter:

- 17 October 2023 - BV's John Roberts advised a player at the club in question that a straw hat was not suitable headwear for pennant.
- 25 February 2024 - an email went to all club presidents reminding them of their responsibility in ensuring pennant players wore appropriate attire.
- 27 October - there was an incident at the said Club where she was aggressively approached while taking photos for the GBR FB page. Several players were wearing non-compliant headwear, and they took offence to photos being taken. A photograph of a player wearing non-compliant headwear was later posted on the Club's FB page.
- 28 October - another email sent to Club presidents about attire.
- 2 November - a photo of a player wearing a non-compliant straw hat during Pennant was posted on the Orbost FB page.
- 7 November - after flagrant breaches of Rules of Attire at Pennant and the State Fours, another email was sent to Presidents about attire, warning that non-compliance would result in a penalty.
- 19 November - the Club in question was asked to 'please explain' why a penalty should not be imposed following further breaches in the previous weekend pennant game against Stratford.
- 25 November after numerous warnings, the Board imposed the 14 points penalty.

In relation to the complaint about the Bunnings hats, JM said the club involved was contacted on 12 February about the non-compliant headwear. On 18 February, the club reported that the issue had been rectified; it was noted the players turned up at their pennant final wearing compliant attire. Describing the post as 'very disappointing,' JM said she did not want to hear that the Board targeted a club and that it cost them a finals spot when they worked hard to get that finals spot back. She took no questions.

Matters raised from the floor

Coaching: Nigel Plunkett has appealed for applications from bowlers wanting to become a club coach. He is prepared to do a course for 2-3 people. Interested bowlers must first apply online via the BV [website](#).

CFA volunteers: In response to a question about what happens when CFA volunteers get called out during a pennant game, Alan McDonald (Loch Sport) was advised to wait an hour, play short or forfeit the game.

Close of meeting

JM closed the meeting at 11.15am, thanking everyone for attending and inviting them to stay for morning tea. Next meeting is the AGM on 3 May.

Bronwyn Thwaites

GBR Secretary

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The World Bowls Laws Advisory Group, in conjunction with World Bowls Member National Authorities undertakes a comprehensive review of the Laws of the Sport on the same 4-yearly cycle as the Commonwealth Games.

The last review was in 2022 so there should be another coming up this year.

If a player is genuinely trying to draw, come in heavy, or drive into the head and the bowl goes through a gap, without touching any other bowl, then that bowl can be sent back to the player to try again. This may only happen for a maximum of three times in an end and only if there are at least three people who witness the delivery and say ‘Ooooooh’ as it just misses.

If there are no ‘oooooh’s’ then the gap was too wide in the first instance and they will be deemed to be a c**p player and their bowl will be removed from the rink.

If they get sufficient ‘oooooh’s’ but then miss again on the fourth attempt, they will also be deemed to be a c**p player and their bowl will be removed from the rink.

The ‘ooooers’ will be deemed to not know what they’re talking about and will be told to shut up.

WHERE'S WALLY?

Can you find Wally?
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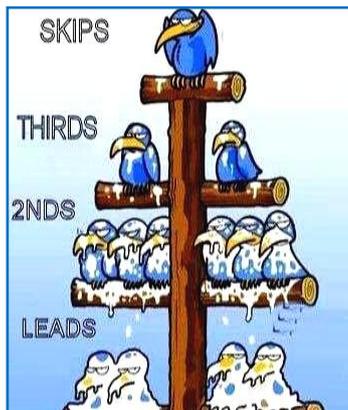
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JUST FOR KICKS

A one-time Australian Rules forward whose football prowess was nowhere near as great as his mouth, struck up a conversation with a bowler in the bar.

The bowler, having a quiet sip on his way to a game, suggested that if Mr. Football was such a good sportsman he should try his hand on the green.

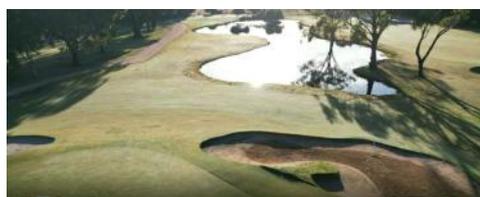
“No mate, too easy that game. No challenge – I’m a perfectionist. When I was playing football, I could do anything with the ball. Anything mate, anything.”

The bowler reached into his bag, took out a bowl and said: “Then, let’s see you dropkick this.”

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