



Bowlers in Payne(sville)



APRIL - 2018

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A part from the lack of good rain.... we certainly can't complain about the beautiful weather we've all enjoyed this past month. Certainly great for bowls and just about everything else you can do outdoors... and what a crowd we had in Paynesville over Easter and the markets!!could hardly find a parking spot!.... and that injection of a 'bit of life' in the town has certainly been good for everyone and particularly our local businesses.

SOCIAL COMMITTEE:

Now, don't forget to come along to our next fun movie afternoon coming up shortly on **Sunday, 6th May at 1.30 p.m.** **Cost: \$3** - afternoon tea is supplied.

"The World's Fastest Indian" starring Anthony Hopkins....is a top movie all round. So names please on the attendance sheet.

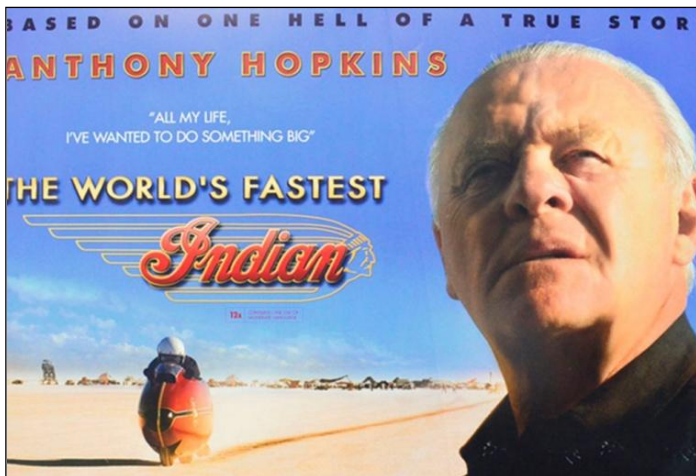
BAIRNSDALE
TRAVEL CRUISE

SPONSORED MIXED PAIRS:

The Bairnsdale Travel & Cruise sponsored

Mixed Pairs will be on **Sunday, 13th May at 10 a.m.**

Cost: \$8 pp BYO Lunch and Uniform please. The entry sheet is now out.... so put your names down for this popular event ...and let your bowling friends in other clubs know as well. Enquiries: David McGrath



SATURDAY SPONSORED 2 x BOWL TRIPLES

(Drawn teams, single entries) Commences on **Saturday, 5th May at 10.30 a.m.** **Dress: Mufti.** Names down by Friday lunchtime please.

Yes, it's that time of year again when we start our popular winter comp. which runs every Saturday morning, from May up to and including August. There are weekly winners, monthly winners.... and then the overall winners at the conclusion of the comp. Each player is scored individually, so the more times you participate, the more you increase your chances of being in the winners' circle! The sponsors for each month are:

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and we thank them all sincerely for their great support.



..... our next

"Trivia With a Difference"

We had a lot of fun last time, and I know Jan Philp will certainly be doing her best to make sure our 'grey matter' is challenged yet again. The attendance sheet is now out and it would be good if you could form up into teams of 4-5 people. No team??...No probs: Single entrants please contact Jan and she will allocate you to a team. **\$7 pp - incl. finger food.**

**Also, make it a
date for :
SUNDAY, 27TH
MAY AT 6 P.M.**

FROM YOUR PRESIDENTS:

Ladies' Section - President Val Hardy:

This month, Jo Martin and Judy Beesley represented East Gippsland in the Regional Championship at Murray Downs. Gippsland fought hard but the strong opposition kept them to only a few wins. Nevertheless, we are proud of our ladies' involvement. I encourage all our ladies to think about trying out to play in this competition as new blood is needed to keep our region competitive.

Our Invitation Day was a success and enjoyed by all who attended. Unfortunately, I was away on the high seas and missed the day. My many thanks to Joan and everyone involved in the running of this event.

Unfortunately our Ladies' Friendship Day was cancelled due to lack of entries. Hopefully, we will be able to hold this event next season, so, make lots of friends in the meantime to invite to play!

Presentation Night is on Friday, May 4. Please add your name to the list if attending as we need numbers for catering.

Our Ladies AGM is on Monday, May 7 at 10am followed by a Forum. We have lots to discuss so be there!

On Monday, May 21 is the Club AGM.

My best wishes to all those members who are unwell at the moment and those undergoing operations, or recuperating.

.....Cheers Pres. Val

Men's Section - President Ray Holland:

Hope you all had a pleasant Easter and not too much chocolate. I attended a Delegates Meeting last week and nothing has changed for Pennant next year. David McGrath is to attend a Competitions Committee on Tuesday 17th and hope something can come out of it....we can only hope.

The Autumn Triples is to go ahead, with at least two greens to be filled. As I will be away at a nephew's 21st B/Day, I do hope you all have a good day bowling.

Presentation Night is now on Friday, 4th May commencing at 6.30 pm, so please come along and support the Club and those members who are to receive awards.

Nominations for Committees are closing, so if you are not attending the AGM's - please put in an Absentee Vote where required.

We'll shortly be starting our Winter programme...so names on sheets when available.

As most of you know, I will not be standing as Men's President again next Season and I wish to thank you all for the support you gave me; to those on Committees with me - thank you and keep up the good work. I will be nominating for the Social & Match Committee. To those who nominate for various positions on Committees - I wish you well, and if you don't put your hand up...then don't WHINGE!! All the best for the Club in the coming Season. GO PAYNESVILLE...

..... Ray Holland..

AGM NOMINATIONS & MEETINGS:

Ladies' & Men's Committees:

Several nominations have been received for our Committees, but we'd like more members to put their hands up especially for our sub-committees. All nominations received to-date can be viewed on the noticeboards at the Club.

Ladies' AGM: Monday, May 7th at 10 a.m.

Men's AGM: " " at 1 p.m

Presentation Night: A reminder, Presentation Night will now be held on Friday 4th May.... at 6.15 p.m.... & includes a 2 x course meal.



State Regional Ladies' Sides Championship:

The Gippsland Region team unfortunately came up against some stiff opposition at Murray Downs recently, winning only two matches to come 7th in their 8-team pool. The rink of Maureen Cooney (Orbost), Judy Beesley (P'ville), Karen Cheney (Orbost) and Jo Martin (s) (P'ville) managed to win three of their seven games. ---



"We often take for granted the very things that most deserve our gratitude."

APRIL 25TH - the day we remember and recognise the sacrifice made by all Australia's Serving Men and Women - past and present.

COMMONWEALTH GAMES:

What footage I managed to catch of the various events taking place.....particularly the ones I love... like the gymnastics, diving and track events.... has been brilliant and I'm sure, like me, you're totally in awe of these wonderful, young people not only for their supreme athleticism, but their dedication to their sport. (As for the Opening and Closing Ceremonies.... hmmm....I think the less said the better !) Australia's overall medal tally (198) - finishing top of the ladder this time around - was a brilliant result and great to see our lawn bowlers up there on the podium eg... our Gold medal Women's Fours, Women's Triples, and Aaron Wilson who won the Men's Singles. Our Men's Fours gained Silver against Scotland in the final, as did Barry Lester's team in the Men's Triples..... and good on the Australian para open triples team of Ken Hanson, Josh Thornton and Tony Bonnell who also won Gold..... too many to cite overall....but well done all ! ... and what an inspiration wheelchair-bound para-athlete Kurt Fearnley (opposite) is.....being disabled from birth has not been a barrier to that wonderful spirit of his and the desire to compete. A real 'champion' in the true sense of the word.



The Australian women's triples lawn bowls team of Rebecca van Asch, Natasha Scott and Carla Krizanic



Aaron Wilson



Australian C'wealth Games Bowls Women's Team:

Kelsey Cottrell (27, St Johns Park, NSW)
Carla Krizanic (27, Sunbury, VIC)
Karen Murphy (42, Cabramatta, NSW)
Natasha Scott (27, Raymond Terrace, NSW)
Rebecca Van Asch (29, Invermay, TAS)*

Australian Commonwealth Games Bowls Men's Team:

Barrie Lester (35, Mulgrave Country Club, VIC)
Nathan Rice (38, Club Helensvale, QLD)
Aron Sherriff (32, Club Helensvale, QLD)
Brett Wilkie (44, Club Helensvale, QLD)
Aaron Wilson (26, Cabramatta, NSW)*

Australian C'wealth Games Bowls Para-sport Team:

Athletes with a disability triples:
Tony Bonnell (50, Brighton, QLD)
Ken Hanson (68, City Colac, VIC)*
Joshua Thornton (36, East Shepparton, VIC)*

Vision-impaired pairs:

Jake Fehlberg (23, Burleigh Heads, QLD, Director: Grant Fehlberg)*
Lynne Seymour (67, Thuringowa, QLD, Director: Robert Seymour)*

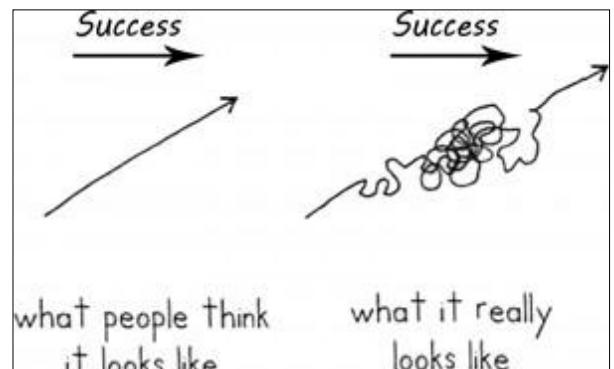
Australian Commonwealth Games Bowls Officials:

Peter Brown – Team Leader
Steve Glasson OAM – Head Coach
Kelvin Kerkow OAM – Coach
Faye Luke – Team Manager
Mark McMahon – Sport Psychologist
Gary Willis – Coach
* = C'wealth Games debutant



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PAYNESVILLE MEN'S & WOMEN'S AUTUMN TRIPLES

In the past, April has always been a very hard month to get bowlers to participate in events we've tried to put on... and up until a week or so ago, it was seriously doubtful that we would have enough entries to go ahead with this new event on our bowls' calendar - despite the great prizemoney on offer - but miracles do happen !!!...and thankfully things turned around dramatically at the last and we had a class field of men and women keen to compete on the day.....and what a beautiful day it turned out to be. Just perfect bowling conditions. However, we did have one 'fly in the ointment'.... with one women's team pulling out at the last minute, which 'threw a spanner in the works' and the only option was to have a 'bye' so thank you to those ladies who drew a 'bye' and took it in good spirit.

On the food side of things, our ladies again excelled themselves by providing a beautiful range of salads for lunch and we received lots of very appreciative comments from the bowlers. With a big crowd to deal with, Maz and her catering team did a brilliant job as well. On the scoring side, top marks to Lori and Gerry and of course what could we do without our friendly bar staff (welcome Ros!) and hard-working greenkeepers.

So let's hope we can build this tournament up next season to become a really prestigious event for the Club. Our sincere thanks especially to all our sponsors whose generosity made this day possible:

- * The Paynesville Football Netball Club
- * Megals
- * DM Pro Turf
- * Coopers Travel and
- * Alliance Pharmacy Paynesville

It was also nice to have two of our sponsors present on the day to make the presentations: Wayne Barnes, both competing and as President of the Footy Club - and Jo Martin (competing) and standing in for hubby Darren, for DM Pro Turf Thankyou.
(Apologies received from Coopers, Alliance and Megals.)



RESULTS:

Men:

Congratulations to the

Winners: Peter Fiske (S) (P'ville),
Neil Watts (Bairnsdale) & Kevin
Hume (Heyfield) - 4 wins + 46

Runners-Up: M. Higgins, R. Kennedy & P. Gould (Sale) - 4 wins + 15

3rd Place: Jason McCloy (S), Simon Kiss & Graeme McCloy (Paynesville) - 3 wins + 28

Best 1st Game: Calvin Connell (S), Trevor Martin & Laurie Etherton (Paynesville) +22

Best 2nd Game: Colin Smith (S), Bruce Andrews & Ivan Thompson (Paynesville) +23

Best 3rd Game: A. Kanavan, M. Marrison & A Keane +19

Best 4th Game: Peter Hardy (S), Dean Dwyer (Golf) & David Seaborne (Paynesville) +17

Women:

Congratulations to the

Winners: Jo Martin (S), Val Hardy & Colleen Such (Paynesville) - 4 wins + 60

Runners-Up: Lorraine Clarkson (S), Shirley Etherton & Wilma Fowden (Paynesville) - 4 wins + 36

3rd Place: Di Wells (S), Chris Roberts & Helen Seaborne (Paynesville) - 3 wins +30

Best 1st Game: Jan Dalzell (S), Pat Smith & Lyn Wellington (Paynesville) +15

Best 2nd Game: Jan Philp (S), Faye Thompson & Georgina White (Paynesville) +12

Best 3rd Game: Marge Nathan, Pam McCloy & Sandy McDonald (Paynesville) +6

Best 4th Game: Doris Allen (S), Jean Oram & Carol Leggett +15



"....& don't forget to come and support the Footy Club's next big game coming up OK !!"

DM

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Jo Martin (above left) out on the Members Green..... Jo's team went on to win the day.

....and lovely to see two old bowling chums - Geoff & Pat visiting up from Traralgon....



Too Many Zucchini !!!!!

Zucchini and Leek Soup

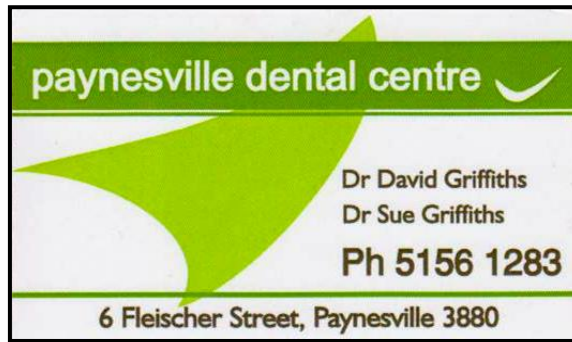
2 Leeks
Approx. 725 Grams Zucchini
1 Carrot
1 Potato
2 Stalks of Celery or 1 Onion
2 Tablespoons of chopped Parsley
1/2 Cup of Cream
Salt and Pepper
60 Grams Butter
1 Litre Stock

Method:

Heat butter in saucepan add prepared chopped vegies and cover pan. Cook approx. 8 minutes on medium heat add stock and simmer until soft, add parsley. Put through sieve or blender. To Serve—reheat, add cream and do not boil..

Zucchini Cake

16 oz Grated Zucchini
1 1/2 Cups of Sugar
3 beaten Eggs
Mix in a bowl
Soak 1 cup Sultanas in 1 cup of boiling water for 30 minutes then drain.
Add to bowl
Sift 2 1/2 Cups Plain flour
1 teaspoon Bi Carb Soda
1 1/2 teaspoons Baking Powder
1 teaspoon of Nutmeg
1 1/2 teaspoons Cinnamon
1/2 teaspoon Salt
Mix well together and bake in 2 loaf tins or 8"square tin in moderate (180 degree) oven until cooked
Will freeze well.



Costigan from Cork was marooned on a desert island where he was

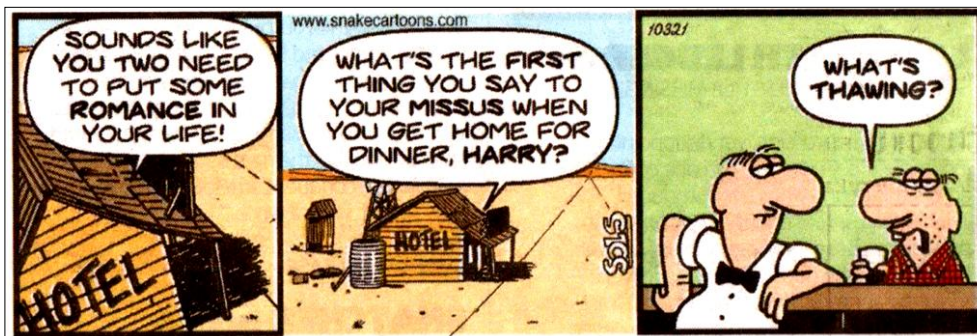
looked after by a beautiful native girl. On the first night she gave him exotic drinks. On the second night she gave him the most delicious



food. On the third night she said to him coyly..."Would you like to play a little game with me?". "Don't tell me!" he says "ya have da hurling here as well?!"

Eight Words with two Meanings....

- 1. THINGY** (thing-ee) n.
Female..... Any part under a car's hood.
Male..... The strap fastener on a woman's bra.
- 2. VULNERABLE** (vul-ne-ra-bel) adj.
F: Fully opening up one's self emotionally to another.
M: Playing football without a cup.
- 3. COMMUNICATION** (ko-myoo-ni-kay-shon) n.
F: The open sharing of thoughts and feelings with one's partner.
M: Leaving a note before taking off on a fishing trip with the boys.
- 4. COMMITMENT** (ko-mit-ment) n.
F: A desire to get married and raise a family.
M: Trying not to hit on other women while out with this one.
- 5. ENTERTAINMENT** (en-ter-tayn-ment) n.
F: A good movie, concert, play or book.
M: Anything that can be done while drinking beer.
- 6. FLATULENCE** (flach-u-lens) n.
F: An embarrassing by-product of indigestion.
M: A source of entertainment, self-expression, male bonding.
- 7 MAKING LOVE** (may-king luv) n.
F: The greatest expression of intimacy a couple can achieve.
M: Call it whatever you want, just as long as we do it.
- 8. REMOTE CONTROL** (ri-moht kon-trohl) n.



F: A device for changing from one TV channel to another.
M: A device for scanning through every available channel every 5 minutes.

Why Ethel changed motels.....

Ethel checked into a Motel on her 60th Birthday, she was lonely, and a little bit depressed at her advancing age so she decided to risk an adventure : "I'll call one of those men you see advertised in phone books for escorts and sensual massages."

She looked through the phone book, found a full page ad for a guy calling himself Tender Tonya very handsome man with assorted physical skills flexing in the photo. He had all the right muscles in all the right places, thick wavy hair, long powerful legs, dazzling smile, six pack abs and she felt quite certain she could bounce a dime off his well-oiled bunsShe figured, what the heck, nobody will ever know. I'll give him a call. "Good evening, ma'am, how may I help you?" Afraid she would lose her nerve if she hesitated, Ethel rushed right in, "I hear you give a great massage. I'd like you to come to my motel room and give me one. No, wait !! ... I should be straight with you.... I'm in town all alone and what I really want is 'the works'. I want it hot, and I want it now. Bring implements, toys, everything you've got in your bag of tricks. We'll go at it all night - tie me up, cover me in chocolate syrup and whipped cream, anything and everything, I'm ready! Now how does that sound?"(silence and a long pause...) A male voice then replied: "That sounds absolutely fantastic ma'am, but first you need to press 9 if you want an outside line."



THINGS TO PLANT IN APRIL:

VEGETABLES : Beetroot, Broccoli, Brussel Sprouts, Burdock, Cabbage, Cauliflower, Carrots, Endive, Garlic, Kale, Leek, Lettuce, Mustard, Onion, Peas, Radish, Silver beet, Spinach, Swede, Turnip
HERBS: Cress, Burnet, Calendula, Caraway, Chervil, Coriander, Rosemary, Sorrel, Wormwood
FLOWERS: Alyssum, Calendula, Candy Tuff, Canterbury Bells, Carnations, Dianthus, Fox Glove, Godetia, Hollyhocks, Honesty, Impatiens, Larkspur, Lunarian, Livingston Daisy, Lobelia, Nigella, Pansies, Poppy, Snap Dragon, Status, Stock, Sweet Peas, Violas, Wall Flower,

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HAPPY HOUR Congrats Di Wells !...a recent very 'worthy' winner of the jackpotparticularly as Di often helps out with catering on Friday evenings... so well done Di !.and remember, if you want to win it, you've got to be there on the night.



BIRTHDAYS & SPECIAL CELEBRATIONS: To all those celebrating a birthday....congratulations on reaching an age where you wake up at the time you used to go to sleep on a Saturday....have a good one!



A few of our members have had serious health issues of late and our best wishes go out particularly to Jenny Easton, Ken Perkins and Ros Bird... we offer our every support and hope they all have the best recovery possible. David McG. will certainly keep you all informed on their status via his email news. It's also time people that you thought about booking in for your flu shots OK... particularly after the terrible infection rates last winter.



The Club's sincere condolences go to member, Marge Nathan, and her family on the recent loss of her mother, Lucy De Moel. Lucy had been a resident at Opal Specialist Aged Care for the past few years and passed away at the great age of 97 on April 12th.



.... and to all our Mums.... have a lovely Mother's Day coming up soon...



I know this newsletter is a week or so early, but I'm heading off to have some surgery done to my old foot...so will be hopping around slowly for the next couple of weeksI won't be "putting the pedal to the metal" around Payneville for a bit.... so you can all rest easyit's safe to go out !!

.... Cheers !

