

BOWLED OVER



MOUNT WAVERLEY BOWLING CLUB INC.

'The friendly bowls club'

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PRESIDENT'S REPORT (in leu of)

Hi Club Members,

Our president Barrie Epstein is currently on holidays with his wife Connie. This is a trip that has been postponed at least 3 times over the last few years. We wish them a wonderful trip. Be great to hear some of their holiday adventures when they return.

To all other club members who have also managed to go away – have a wonderful holiday. We look forward to seeing you back around the club in the coming months.

What's been happening around the Club?

Our editor of Bowled Over is currently out of action. We wish him a speedy recovery. We also wish all those members who are facing health challenges a full recovery.

Club Presentation night:

The presentation night was a wonderful evening for club members to come together and celebrate the success of our club champions.

The amazing social committee did a fantastic job of providing such wonderful food. The work they put in was incredible. We salute the team for their efforts.

See some of the photos below:















Annual General Meeting:

The AGM was held on the 12th April. We thank all the club members who attended the meeting.

Your committee for 2022 to 2023 is:

President: Barrie Epstein

Vice President Robyn Beard

Treasurer Peter McDonald

Secretary David Beard

General Committee Members:

2022 to May 2024:

Kaye O'Hara

Howard Rose

Richard Sluggett

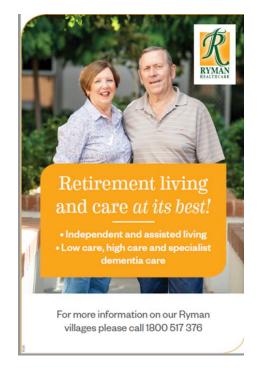
Continuing to May 2023:

Jill Anderson

Ian McLean

Celia Ware

After the formal part of the meeting there was an opportunity for discussion about the bowling season completed.



Ladies Day:

What a success. On a sunny Tuesday we had 17 ladies come to play bowls or to have lunch with us on our first Ladies Day. Celia Ware did the draw and we played a six end game before lunch. Lovely to see past members Joan Fary join us for bowls and Clare Musat join us for lunch. The day allowed new bowlers to experience a game with no pressure and to get help from experienced bowlers in the etiquette of the game.

Due to popular demand, we will run the next Ladies Day on Tuesday 17th May.

The outdoor table and chairs pictured here have been bought with a grant from the State Government. This grant was designated by the State Government to assist business to provide outside tables and chairs for more Covid safe places to eat, drink and socialise. We were able to buy four sets which will be lovely to use outside next season.

Welcome to new member:

Lyndal Rosengarten

Meet a Member

One of our newest members is Shirley Melissas. Before she retired she was Teacher Librarian and Humanities teacher at Mentone Girls Secondary College. She was and continues to be involved in educational publishing.

It was after Covid when she was looking for something to do that she joined U3A and from there ended up at our Club on Friday mornings with the U3A bowling class.

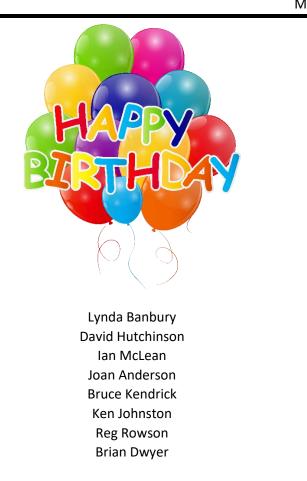
Seeing it could be fun, she joined as a Bowling Member and now has coaching with Jim Fary. Shirley joined in our first Ladies Day and looks forward to playing Social bowls in the future.

Her hobbies are painting, (she attends art classes) gardening and a regular book group meeting.

Welcome Shirley



Shirley Melissas





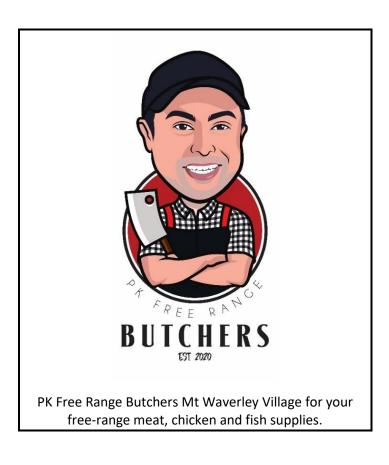
Former Members

It is with great sadness that the Club has been informed of the recent passing of:

Enid Kelly - Life Member

Val Currie.

The Club passes their condolences their families and friends.



Where in our garden can you see this famous lady?





She is, of course, Dame Darcey Bussell (1969 -), famous English (Australian father) ballerina who danced with all top ballet companies, Kirov, Royal Ballet, Australian Ballet etc. When she retired from top level dancing she was, for a while, a judge on Strictly Come Dancing.(portrait by Allen Jones 1994, National Portrait Gallery, UK).

In 2006, the rose grower, David Austin, named a red rose after her and we have two specimens in the rose garden which were donations from the Canterbury Community Garden



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