



FEBRUARY, 2021



Happy New Year to all of our Tiger bowlers. Looking forward to a Cracker Jack year on the Green in 2021.

MESSAGE

We have had a busy start to the year with the TIGER HEAD CHALLENGE versus Mackay club, the ROLL FOR RECOVERY fundraiser day, the AUSTRALIA DAY MIXED event and the MARLIN CUP versus Northern Beaches. They were all terrific days and it's great to see a full green on all four days. Thanks to President Carol and the Ladies for a great day.

The Roll for Recovery day was the brainchild of Scott Wilson, a member of Northern Beaches, who suggested a bowls fundraiser to help with some out-of-pocket expenses after our recent damage to the club. Scott, Dave Pinkard & myself did a ring around and got teams from all over the district. Scott & Kingsley spoke with and got some great sponsorship for prizes and raffles throughout the day.

The latest update on our replacement surface is due the week straight after our Tigers Fours tournament (mid Feb). Once the date is confirmed we will advise all of our members regarding the dates of the temporary closure, which we hope to be only 4-5 days. See you at the club.

#### **SCOTT GRAYSON**

Happy New Year everyone!! Firstly I'd like to welcome all our new Members for 2021: Carol Macinnes, Sue Grayson, Denise MacCullough, Marie Toohey, Esther Wilson and Linda Brownsey - Welcome to Wests!!

Our Games Director, Helen Markovic, is now collecting nominations for Club Championship Events as games will commence soon after our Official Opening on Tuesday 9th February.

The Ladies division hosted Australia Day bowls which was very successful. Thank you to everyone who attended and congratualtions to the winners!

Helen Markovic and Myself will be attending City Ladies Opening day on 3rd February. We have entered a team in the Sarina Ladies Fours Carnival on Tuesday 16th February. City Club Ladies PAH on Wednesday 24th February, will be attended by Myself, Helen Markovic and Margaret Hoare. The next Ladies General Meeting will be at the Club on Saturday, 13th February, 2021 at 10.00am

We have had a great start to the year 2021, good bowling everyone!



G'day Bowlers,

We have a SKILLS and BOWLING ARM TRAINING COURSE at our club on Monday 9th of March, from 9am - 2pm. The day will be run by Alan Thorpe (Bowls Qld) and Felix Purcell (MMDBA). This course is aimed at all bowlers, whether new to the sport, an experienced bowler, a bowling arm user or members thinking of trying a bowling arm. The four hour session will cover the fundamentals of bowls, along with the technical, tactical and mental skills that help make up the complete bowler.

This is a fantastic opportunity for all bowlers to take advantage of having Thorpy and Felix sharing their skills and knowledge. Please try to make it. This skills day is open to all Mackay District clubs, so please register ASAP.

Don't hesitate to contact me if you would like to know more about the day. The following day all of our coaches will be attending a training session with Thorpy & Felix, to ensure we have the right skills & tools to help our members and their individual coaching needs.

See you on the green!!

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#### Skills & Bowling Arm **Training Course**

Location: Wests Tigers Bowls Club

54 Branscombe Road WALKERSTON QLD 4571

Phone: 4959 2480

Date: Monday 8th March 2021

Time: 9 am to 2 pm

Ideally suited for all coaches and players in the following:

fundamentals of bowls technical Skills tactical Skills mental Skills

(course will be four hours at no cost) Register your name at the Club bowls@weststigersmackay.com.au

#### WHAT'S ON

### **MEN'S JACKPOT**

Every Thursday from 1pm Winner/s \$30 Runner Up/s \$10 \$200 Jackpot (Club Selected)

### **LADIES OPENING DAY**

Tuesday 9th February Wests Tigers Bowls Club Box Draw, 1pm start Afternoon Tea provided

#### INVITATIONAL FOURS

Saturday 13th & Sunday 14th Feb Wests Tigers Bowls Club Total prize pool of \$5,000 (nominations closed)

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## WOMEN'S

Wednesday 3rd February, 2021 Memorial & Opening Day City Club

Tuesday 9th February, 2021 **Opening Day** Wests Tigers Mackay

Saturday 13th February Wests Tigers Ladies Bowls Club Monthly General Meeting

> Tuesday 16th February Sarina Bowls Club Ladies Fours Carnival

Wednesday 24th February Mackay City Club P.A.H

Sat 9th & Sun 10th February Wests Tigers Bowls Club Individual Fours Carnival

Sat 16th & Sun 17th February North Mackay Under the Shed

Sat 27th & Sun 28th February **District Mix Pairs** City, SS







#### **2021 MEMBERSHIP NOW DUE**

**FULL YEAR MEMBERSHIP \$100** 

DUAL MEMBERSHIP \$25 (MUST HAVE CLEARANCE)

President
Carol Cocking
Vice President
Annette Hansen
Secretary
Fay Lette
Treasurer
Doris Vassallo





2021 has started like a full-blooded drive to remove Stevo's bowl after he wicked onto the kitty, fast and furious. (Sorry Stevo).

Firstly, Saturday's Social and Men's Jackpot day have been well attended with a few new faces which is great to see. So, we had a visit from Mackay Club to contest the Tiger head trophy which after a confusing start, stupid games dir...er.... computer, Wests tiger retain the trophy. Thanks Mackay once again for very enjoyable day.

Next, we had Roll for Recovery. Seventy odd players from Sarina, Goosies, St Helen, Marian, Seaforth, and Wests competed in a very social two round

Wests Tigers Bowls Club President Scott Grayson with Mackay Club President Tony Gibson

competition. Teams from Sarina taking out first and third place, Marian placed 2nd. Thank you to those who supported the event.

We had the return match of the Marlin Cup with Northern Beaches making the trip out to the country. Unfortunately, West Tigers were not able to hold to Cup aloft. Great day once again and great comradery and sportsmanship on display. Congratulations Northern Beaches.

What is coming up? Well, I am glad you asked!!

Men's Club Competition is starting on the 6/7th February. Rinks is what we a rolling with first up, so skips start giving you teams mates a tune up ready to begin this years' championship. Invitational 4's is being play on the 13/14th February, the tournament is full. Teams from all over the district and North Queensland we contest for \$5000. Members are invited to come to the club that weekend to see what the tournament is all about and watch some of the top bowlers compete. Nominations are still available for the District mixed pairs. Nominations close with the District Secretary at 6.00pm on Sunday 21 FEBRUARY 2021.

Remember keep the small circle to the inside.













## MARLIN CUP





















# WESTS TIGERS BOWLS CLUB

Monday Night Warehouse Bowls 6.00pm

**Tuesday** 

**Ladies Day** 

1.00pm

**Thursday** 

Men's Jackpot

1.00pm

Saturday

**Social Bowls** 

1.00pm

Call Reception on 49592 480 to confirm your attendance. For Bowls enquiries please call games director Dave Pinkard on 0418 775 358

