

# NEWS FROM THE BEACH HUT HOME OF THE BREAKERS C.B.B.C. A GREAT PLACE TO BE



## Message from our President

The winter seems to have been colder than usual. However, it hasn't deterred enthusiastic bowlers from playing social bowls. Bowlers from other clubs have also enjoyed our hospitality over the winter and the same people return week after week with lots of compliments. Pennant season is nearly upon us and George Chapman and Muriel Hill are working tirelessly organising trial games. A few prospective members have dropped into the Club and I have welcomed them and passed them on to John Taputu who has a great programme for assessing new members, ably assisted by Alison. Congratulations John!

Recently we hosted a celebration in memory of Peter Downham, a much loved member of our Club. His family have donated a bench in his memory and members of the Club joined them enjoying stories and kind words about Peter. Thanks to all members who made the day special for the family, especially his wife Rita. Special thanks to Kevin who organised the bench, Allyn & Brian for the lovely words and all the other members who served drinks and refreshments. RIP Peter

Chris Ashton

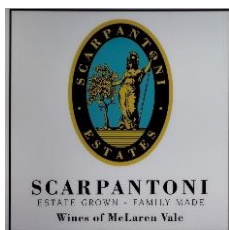
## Uniforms

Pennant shirts have been ordered from our new supplier and will be available ready for the new season. The cost is \$39 and a deposit of \$20 is required. If you haven't paid this yet, please pay Philippa after the game on any Tuesday. The price does not include the cost of embroidery which will be sorted out once the shirts have arrived, checked and embroidery costed by our local supplier, Workwear. A small stock of shirts will be available for any new player.



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Social shirts are also available, embroidered, at reasonably short notice at \$39. Again, see Philippa. Please be aware that in these uncertain times, prices may change.



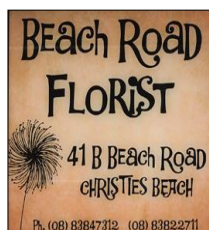
## Sponsors

John Vernon has been working extremely hard and has recently attracted three new sponsors – **South Adelaide Electrical & Air, Tailored Barbers and Champion Takeaway.**

Jack Croudace is the owner of South Adelaide Electrical & Air. Contact Jack for a smarter electrical solution. Jack offers Club members and seniors discounts.

We also welcome **Tailored Barbers** – pay Emma a visit and, as with all our sponsors, please let her know you are from CBBC. Ladies can get their hair cut on Wednesdays.

If any Club member knows of any business big or small they think may wish to sponsor our fine club, please pass that information to John. Our Club has a sponsorship opportunities folder that we can present to prospective sponsors.



## Yoga

Lyn is very happy with the support and attendance of the Wednesday evening yoga sessions and she is happy to expand the group if other members would like to join. Wednesdays at 7.00 pm - cost \$5.00. Her words of wisdom for this month are "If we do not take time for our wellness, life will force us to make time for our illness". Contact Lyn on **0418858644.**

## August Newsletter

### Last Person Standing – Darren Jarman will be attending

This is a **GREAT** initiative from Jamie McDonald and Steve Routledge. **Save the date of Saturday 26 November 2022 7.00 to 11.00 pm.** This will be an Annual Event and will be a major fundraiser for our Club.

The aim is to sell 200 individually numbered tickets, at \$25.00 per ticket. Each ticket will be drawn out over a three-hour time frame. The final ticket drawn will receive the grand prize of \$1,500.00 while the rest of the last ten tickets drawn will also win prize money on an upscaling case.

Tickets will be available shortly and Peter Saxon will be the man to go to for tickets.

There will be other prizes on the night - Sponsor Donations/Door Prize/Raffle Prizes. A food truck will provide food that patrons can purchase.

Volunteers will be needed for the evening in areas like the bar, raffle ticket sales, handing out prizes as they are drawn. It is essential that we all chip in to do our part to make this a successful event.



### Confucius Say

There are times in most men's lives that they lose control: others remain single!

Bachelor is a man who never makes the same mistake once!

Divorce usually involves two people who were crazy to get married.

A kiss is a pleasant reminder that two heads are better than one.

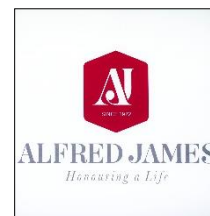
Women not only hide their age, they often forget where they hid it!

### The Oracle

Dear Oracle

Before I go out fishing in my boat early in the morning, I check to see what side my wife is laying on in bed. If she is on her left side I fish from the left side of the boat. If she is on her right, I fish from the right side of the boat. What should I do if she is on her back?

Oracle's answer – Go back to bed!



### Precis from Board Meeting & Social Meetings

Two Men's teams, two Ladies teams and 3 OG teams have been entered for pennants.

**Smart TV** will be purchased shortly

**New glass washer** for the bar authorized and renovations to the sink area.

**Club Championships** will include Mixed Fours – 2 men 2 ladies instead of Men's and Ladies Fours

**Christies Beach has Talent** – Bazza to organise **28 October 2022** – Happy Hour from 6.30 – 7.30 followed by the talent show.

**Carol Night** – suggestion is 18 December after Ladies Xmas lunch. Bazza to organise.

**Virginia Nursery** – Eileen to investigate cost of bus.

**High Tea** – Sylvia to organise later in the year.

**Xmas Dinner – 9 December**

Help required for clearing and washing up. Jean Hopwood & Bazza will organise some entertainment. **Peter Smith** will provide music to dance by.

**Games Night** – poorly supported but will continue and the Club will provide nibbles if sufficient people attend.

**Bowls Committee** meet regularly and welcome ideas for events. They have been busy over on the winter months with the 75 up game. Sadly, Sundays were not successful.

**Sponsor Day** – The Bowls Committee have organised this for 18 September and will require help



### Opening of the Pennant Season – 10 September 2022 at 10.30 am

Please come along to the Opening of the Greens before the start of the Pennant Season. The Ceremony of opening will commence at 10.30 am. This will be followed by refreshments of beef burgers. Later, the Open Gender teams will be having a trial against Yankalilla Bowls Club who have been invited to share refreshments. We haven't had an Opening Greens Day for a number of years so please come and support your Club even if you don't play pennants. Members and friends welcome. The match against Yankalilla will be an annual event and played for a trophy.

## August Newsletter

### THE SELECTION COMMITTEE



3 Bowlers stood at the Pearly Gates, their faces were sad and old. They humbly asked the man at the gate admission to the fold. What have you done St Peter said to gain admission here. Selectors Sir, we have been for many a weary year. The gates of Heaven flew open wide as St Peter pressed the bell. Come in at once and take a harp, you've already had enough of Hell!



### HUGO WINES



#### Help around the Club

##### Lip on the Green – A Super Foursome helped Kevin & Eddie

John Taputu, Hodgy, Kevin Johnson and George Chapman did a magnificent job and it was a pleasure for Kevin & Eddie to work with them. Eddie provided a home-made cake for morning tea which was enjoyed by all.

##### Books

Jean Hopwood does an excellent job looking after the books, although some books are taken without the 50c donation which is a little disappointing. Jean uses the proceeds from the books to send cards, chocolates or flowers to sick members.

##### Photographer

Where would we be without Philippa. She does a fantastic job taking photos of all our events, sponsors, etc. These all add to our history for future members. Thanks Philippa.

##### Outside Tables

Dianne has the thankless task of cleaning the tables which she does regularly – too cold for the rest of us but Dianne likes the cold – thanks Dianne.

##### Laundry

I know Muriel takes the tea towels home to wash them – if anybody else does – please let me know and I will add thanks in the next newsletter.

##### RSA Volunteers

The Club wouldn't survive without the takings from the bar. Thanks to Gary and his staff – Mick Sands, George Exton, Chris Ashton, Betty, Sylvia, Philippa, Peter, Allyn, Kelly, Jan, Lyn, Allan Crosse, Muriel, Michael Hughes.

**Peter** has been extremely busy collecting membership fees.

**Kirsty** – keeps the Club extremely clean and tidy.

#### Meetings

##### Pre-Pennant for OG & Wednesdays

**Wednesday 17 August at 10.30 am**

Please make every effort to attend.

##### Ladies

##### Pre-Pennant Meeting and Lunch

**Thursday 8 September 10.30 am –**

Please put your name on the list on the board.



#### We are all proud of our Club

Chris and I recently met Micheal Sorrensen, Senior Regional Bowls Manager who introduced us to Daniel Cocks, Regional Manager for the Metropolitan Area who replaced James Wilson. They were extremely impressed with all aspects of our Club and said we all should be so proud. They said they felt instantly that the Club has a great feel to it. I wanted to share this with you all as this is down to the great volunteers who share the load in many ways. There's always room for more volunteers! Thanks to you all as members who help the Club have a friendly atmosphere.

Sylvia Exton.