



2017 - October

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Official Newsletter of the Gaythorne Bowls, Sports & Community Club Inc.

To Visitors and Club Members

Function Hall is available for hire – Consider the Club's facilities for all your special occasions and/or business functions. For further information and booking arrangements **Ph. 3355 2048**

Barefoot Bowls - Play on a lazy Sunday afternoon – take off your shoes and give bowls a go. Have a great afternoon (or evening by special arrangement) for your next birthday or work event. Vacancies are available, but bookings are essential – so call now on **Ph. 3355 2048**

WELCOME, WELCOME AND HAPPY READING

The weather records are now continually being tested with more ongoing hot sunny days here in Queensland. I hope everyone was enjoying their hot days playing bowls through September. Summer doesn't officially start til December, but I think higher temperatures are being more regularly forecast from now til December.

It's getting close to that time of year (November / December) when Graham wants to rejuvenate our bowling greens. I know that seems a long way off still, but all club members need to be aware of this and to talk to Graham to express your interest in assisting him with this labour intensive work. The exact day is dependant upon when the greens will be available, as at this time of year, our club facilities are very heavily booked for barefoot bowls / Christmas parties. Visitors and club members enjoy bowling on the greens prepared by Graham and this can continue as long as the greens are rejuvenated on a yearly basis, enabling the grass to flourish and be more easily maintained throughout the year.

Gaythorne Bowls Club will be hosting The Veterans Fours on Monday 16th October. This group of bowlers are always welcome at our club and their support to our club on the day is also greatly appreciated. Club members volunteering their help to sell raffle tickets or to help out on the day in the kitchen, etc. will again be needed. Can you help out on the day??

The outdoor floodlights will again be on every Tuesday evening during October from 6pm to 8pm. Gaythorne Bowls Club will again be hosting **FREE Learn to Bowl Under Lights** as part of The Brisbane City Council's GOLD (Growing Older and Living Dangerously) Program. This will be the 4th time, our club has held these learn to bowl sessions for members of our local community. Many thanks again to the North West News for their support to our club by including details of this event in their newspaper. It would be great to see some club members come along and have a roll up on the greens, separate to the GOLD Program participants. When club members came along on a previous time, I am sure that they all enjoyed bowling in the cool of the evenings and then having a short catch up with the participants at the end of the night. **Practice roll ups are FREE to club members, so instead of practicing on your own, come along any or every Tuesday night in October – the lights will be on, so make the most of it.**

Christmas is coming – do you know someone you dislike?

Do you want to turn them into a friend, then perhaps offer them:-

GIFT VOUCHERS - \$20.00 Purchase Price but provides \$40.00 VALUE for voucher holder

Do you have a family member or friend with a birthday or other special occasion coming up and you are having difficulty thinking of what to give them as a present. Now the answer is easy – give that special person a **Gaythorne Bowls Club \$40.00 GIFT VOUCHER** - valued at \$40.00, **but with only a \$20.00 purchase price.** The voucher entitles the holder to an afternoon or evening of barefoot bowls for 4 people (\$8.00 per person) and drinks of their choice to the value of \$8.00. The gift voucher/s can be purchased at Gaythorne Bowls Club upon request and will be current for approximately 6 months.

Upcoming Bowls Events

Check the noticeboard for the latest scheduled days and times for the club's competitions

Veterans Fours – play every Monday at different venues Starts at 10am and finishing 3.15pm.

Cost - \$20.00 and includes morning tea and lunch.

Wednesday Morning Social Mixed Bowls – All bowlers are welcome Starts at 9.30am and finishing 12noon

Cost - \$12.00

Friday Afternoon Social Mixed Bowls – All bowlers are welcome Cost - \$12.00 Starts at 1pm

Upcoming Activities

16th Oct - Veterans Fours to be held at Gaythorne

13th Nov - Plum Pudding Day

15th Dec - Club Xmas Breakup and Presentations

It's Celebration Time

Happy Birthday to:

04 October - Norm McCormick

07 October - Ross Walsh

11 October - Stewart Gordon

12 October - Tom Peake

16 October - Thea Biesheuvel

Want to keep in shape for bowls – then come along to the following weekly activities at our clubhouse

- **Wednesday 8.30am – 9.15am** Zumba Entry by donation Ph. 0402 135 364
- **Friday 10am – 12.30pm** Line Dancing \$7.00 / person Ph. 3351 5297

Community Sporting Clubs Also Utilising Clubhouse

Darts Wednesday Nights 7pm til 10pm

8 Ball Wednesday Nights 7pm til 10pm, also every 2nd Tuesday night

New members and first time tryers are always welcome

If you are looking for a venue to hold your next club or business activity, either as a one-off or on a more regular basis, please contact the club on:

Ph. No. (07) 3355 2048 or email gbscc@bigpond.com

Club Contact Details:

Address: 18 Prospect Road

Gaythorne, Brisbane, QLD. 4051

Phone No.: **3355 2048** for hall hire and barefoot bowls

3855 2725 for members advising to attend social and club bowls games

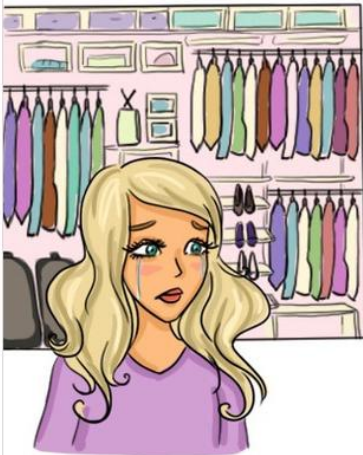
Website: www.gaythornebowlsclub.com.au

Please remove attached GOLD Program Flyer and request to display locally near you on a shop window or community noticeboard

Differences between Men and Women

DRESS

WOMEN



I'VE GOT NOTHING TO WEAR... AGAIN!

MEN



WELL, THAT'LL DO ME FOR A WEEK!

SHARING A BED



SEE THEMSELVES IN THE MIRROR

