

# ARMADALE BOWLS CLUB @ SOUTH CAULFIELD

CLUB



NEWS

**WEEK ENDING FRIDAY 15TH. APRIL.2016**

## TOURNAMENT & CHAMPIONSHIP REPORTS

### BETTY COLLINS DAY.

Leila Levy, Karen Wilson and Desiree Macauley joined with Lorraine Burke(Clayton) and Ann McCarthy(Caulfield Park Alma) to win this tournament at the beginning of April. The team played singles,pairs,triples and fours on both days and were one of the few teams to go thru with only one loss, managing to win on a count back.

It was a fantastic day,North Balwyn runs this annual event in honour of their member Betty Collins who was a past president of the VLBA as well as being a life member.

She was honoured with the Order of Australia Medal and was president of World Bowls for two terms. She also been inducted into Bowls Australia Hall of Fame.

### VICTORIAN LADIES REGIONAL SIDES CHAMPIONSHIP.

The above five players were also selected to represent the Sandbelt Region at the state championships. There were 198 women bowlers from 16 regions of the state competing for the title held at Swan Hill.

The team managed to defeat the previous 3 time winners, Northern Gateway which comprised players from Glenroy,Lalor,Bundoora etc- many of whom were state players. The team went on to win their section but unfortunately in the play-offs next day were defeated by Bendigo Campaspe Region who were the ultimate winners, defeating Metro West. To finish fourth in this huge competition was quite an achievement.

See the following photos





### **CLUB TRIPLES FINALS**

The finals will be played this coming Saturday with the semi finals in the morning with the final in the afternoon.

### **SPECIAL WEDNESDAY BOWLS AND PHOTO SHOOT.**

This coming Wednesday 19th April will be a special afternoon as we will be taking photos of the players.

The reason for this special photo shoot is the club will be redesigning the advertising boards that are situated at the front and rear of the club.

Following changes to the club's lease arrangement with the local council, the club can now advertise the hiring of the club hall for various functions.

The new boards will feature photos not only the club room etc but many of our players, so if you want to be one of the faces on the board please roll up this Wednesday in uniform.

The camera shoot will take place prior to the games and don't forget a special afternoon tea will be provided by our wonderful catering committee.

### **COACHING.**

Alan Faigen has been doing a great job each morning at the club and a reminder that he will be available next week up to Friday. So far many members have utilised his services. You are welcome any time between 9-11am.

### **ALMONER'S NEWS.**

Trevor Battersby is in the Alfred Hospital and should be going to the Alfred Rehab, Kooyong Road on Friday 15th April. For a few days. He hopes to be back bowling soon.

Ilan Ben-Danan is in Epworth Rehab. Camberwell. He hopes to be going home on Sunday 17th April.

### **BIRTHDAYS.**

A list of club members birthdays will feature each week, hopefully starting from next week. One's age will not be disclosed unless permission is given.

### **ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING.**

The club's AGM will be held on Monday 23rd. May. Nominations forms for the various positions are now available at the club or thru the club secretary Les Newman.

## **SUBSCRIPTIONS.**

Annual subs are now due. Remember if you pay before the AGM on 23rd.May, a discount is available and you will be entitled to vote at the meeting.

## **SIMCHA'S**

This is for you the members to provide me with all the good news/photos to be published. Births, Bar/Batmitzvah's, engagements, weddings etc, etc.

Please forward any formation to me by email [bernieg27@gmail.com](mailto:bernieg27@gmail.com) or text to 0402428456.

## **WHAT'S UP**

SUNDAY 1ST. MAY    CLOSING AND PRESENTATION NIGHT- 7.30PM AT THE CLUB  
MONDAY 23RD MAY    ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING- 7.30PM AT THE CLUB