



Calendar

Club AGM (rescheduled) September 22nd

Club Bowls Meeting: September 24th

Club Mixed Pairs: September 28th (start date)

ACT BPL Finals: September 28th

2025 WEEKEND PENNANT

It seems like such a long way off but planning and organisation for next year's pennant season is now underway. The two ways that you can become involved at this stage is to:

A) Consider nominating as a selector and

B) Put your name forward to play, even if it is only as a reserve.

Nomination sheets for both selectors and players have been placed on the noticeboard near the Bowls' Office. It would be wonderful to be able to continue and build on the success from the 2024 pennant season.

CLUB CHAMPIONSHIPS

Don't forget that the 2024 Club Championship Calendar can be found on the noticeboard near the Bowls Office as well as on the bowls' website: <https://qrslm.bowls.com.au>

Upcoming:

Club Mixed Pairs: Nominations are closing soon for the Club's Mixed Pairs. The nomination sheet is on the noticeboard. If you are interested in playing in the mixed pairs but have not yet found a partner please don't hesitate to add your name to the nomination list so that others know that you are looking for a partner. We can all work together to help find playing partners for those who don't yet have a partner.

Please keep an eye on the board and check out the website for any Club Championship information.

A reminder that a link to current and past draws and results can be found at:

<https://qrslm.bowls.com.au/club-championships>

ON THE GREEN

What happens if a bowl is played out of turn?

The resulting actions can vary depending on the situation. Firstly, the **opposing** skip can stop the bowl and return it to the player to play it in the proper order. If the bowl has not been stopped and comes to rest without disturbing the head, the **opposing** skip has two choices. They can choose to either return the bowl and get back to the correct order of play or leave the bowl where it has finished and have their team play two bowls one after the other to get back to the proper order. If the bowl disturbs the head then the **opposing** skip has three choices. They can leave the disturbed head as it is, have their team play two bowls one after the other to get back to correct order or play; replace the head to its former position, return the bowl and go back to the correct order of play or declare the end dead.

In a singles game though, if a bowl has been played by each player before it is realised that one of them has played out of turn, play in that end must continue in that order.

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BOWLERS' MEETING

Please don't forget that a bowlers' meeting has been set for Tuesday 24th September following Tuesday Social Bowls (4:00pm). This meeting will be a time where all our bowling members can come together and discuss issues related to bowls at the club. It will also be the time where members will be given an opportunity to nominate/volunteer for various roles to help with all things bowls at the club as we move forward into 2025.

Fund raising raffles are presently being run on Tuesdays and Saturdays at the club to help support our representative players. Thank you to Wayne for initiating these along with Darren and Cherrie for helping with the organisation of the raffles. A big thank you as well to those who are supporting this initiative, through either giving up their time to collect the raffle prizes, selling or buying the tickets. It is very much appreciated and shows what a great club spirit we have.

ACHIEVEMENTS

Congratulations to the following members on their recent outstanding achievements.

Spruso: 6th place to Phil Crowe and Graeme,

7th place Brock with H McAllister,

8th Dave Cave with D Page,

Saturday winner Bill Brown with P Nicholls

Braidwood Triples: 3rd place to Cherrie, Sue M and Lyle

Invitational Open Singles: Well done to Cherrie, Ruth and Telara on their great effort in this event.

BACT

Mid week pennant has begun. Thank you to those who have put their name forward to play. There is a list for your unavailable dates on the Bowls notice board. Please ensure that you have indicated your availability ASAP.

Upcoming Events:

ACT BPL Finals will be held on Saturday 28th September at Bungendore Bowling Club. Good luck in the finals to our team of **Cherrie, Sue M and Ruth**. **Lyle** will also be playing in a team from Bungendore in the finals.

SPRUSO

Thank you to all our member bowlers who entered the "Spruso" Tournament and to those wonderful volunteers who freely gave up their time over the weekend to help make the event so successful. It was fantastic to see a full complement of 42 teams entered and great to see quite a few of our members making the winners list.

Results:

1st: S Murton and M Lee 2nd: A Wallace and D Essex

3rd: M McLean and D Jeffery 4th: M Sergeant and J Hogan

5th: J Beaumont and C Southwell 6th: **P Crowe** and **G Read**

7th: H McAllister and **B Edwards** 8th: **D Cave** and D Page

Saturday Day winners: P Nicholls and **B Brown**

Sunday Day Winners: S Foster & V Meiksha