Newsletter for Week Ending March 29, 2024

Yes, it's true all good things do come to an end. The Bowls season is now over. However, after the summer we've all been through I bet there is not a Bowler in WA that is sorry to see the season come to an end.

Now just because the pennant season has ended it does not mean the YDBC has stopped operating.

Soon T0P operators Barry Gartell & Terry Needs will commence Friday MEN only 2x4x2 pairs.

This is always popular with members & friends so please keep your eyes on the N0TICE B0ARD for the date it cranks up again?

In addition to that Saturday 2x4x2 mixed pairs will recommence!

Men's club captain Jeff 'TBFA' West will conduct the popular event.

Make sure you check the N0TICE B0ARD for a starting time and date.

YDBC LADIES CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP RESULTS 2023 - 2024

Although very few ladies were able to participate we did manage 100 up.

 Winner        Julie Cooper.
              Runner up      Barbara Robertson
Triples.   Winners.       Julie Cooper, Marlene Ellis, Susan Reid
            Runners up     Barbara Lorencs,Viv Wood, Judy Freedman
Mixed pairs. Winners.       Grace Wright & Paul Hunter
                Plate winners  Jan Needs & Terry Needs
Pairs.        Winners.       Julie Cooper & Marlene Ellis
                Runners up.    Barbara Lorencs & Gail Richardson
Singles.    Winner.        Julie Cooper
               Runner up.     Marlene Ellis
Well done to all concerned.

 \*\*\*  L0TT0 ($$$) everyone is invited. \*\*\*

All ladies are invited to join in each & every Tuesday 2 for 2:30pm start in the YDBC weekly L0TT0 ($$$) Bowls.

There is a nomination list on the YDBC N0TICE Board please enter & join in a fun afternoon. After the game you are invited to enjoy a drink of your choice. There is a presentation of great awards >>> Chocolates!

It's a nice way to hone your Bowling skills, have fun & maybe join in the BIG L0TT0 ($$$) win that is coming our way!

The costs are $5:00 per player and it's drawn 2x4x2 mixed pairs.

$3:00 goes to the for Green fees & $2:00 towards our future BIG L0TT0 ($$$) win . Well you have got to dream!

        \*\*\* Tuesday (L0TT0 $$$) Bowls results: \*\*\*

Last Tuesday 16 bowlers turned up for our weekly (L0TT0 $$$) Bowls game. It was good to see members & friends having a fun afternoon

Yokine Districts Bowling Club Tuesday (L0TT0) ($$$) Bowls mixed gender 2/4/2 1st  Pauline Graham - IPP Col Guelfi.

2nd  PP Con Migro - Lisa Auerbach. It was nice to see Lisa back after 3 years away from Bowls. She bowled very well & I'm sure Gail Richardson will be turning up to have a look soon.

3rd  Steve "TAXI" Richards - VP Phil Whitehead.

Yes it's true that winners are grinners! Even if it is a chocolate Freddo Haah! Regards, Richard 'The 0rganiser' Heslop

BBQ INVITATION

A special BBQ is to be conducted @ the Yokine Districts Bowling Club on Tuesday April 16 after our weekly game. The invitation is extended to all who have played since we commenced L0TT0 ($$$) Bowls.

Richard 'The 0rganiser' has put a list on the club N0TICE B0ARD so we can cater for the function.

Club stalwart Margret Rigali has volunteered to assist with the catering.

So jump to it put the date in your diary then turn up and help celebrate a fun time. You all might play a game before the BBQ.

Who knows we might even announce a BIG L0TT0 win.

Don't laugh, one has got to have dreams.

FOOD FOR THOUGHT ~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~ ( 1% ) ~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~

Let Us Be Glad - We Are The One (1%) Percenters

The One Percenters. Your perspective on this piece may change based on your actual age…… 99% of people born between 1930 and 1946 (GLOBALLY) are now deceased… If you were born in this time span, your ages range between 77 and 93 years old (a 16-year-age span) and you are one of the rare surviving one-percenters.

You are the smallest group of children born since the early 1900s. You are the last generation, climbing out of the depression, who can remember the winds of war and the impact of a world at war that rattled the structure of our daily lives for years. You are the last to remember ration books for everything from tea to sugar to shoes.

You saved tin foil and poured fried meat fat into cans.

You can remember milk being delivered to your house early in the morning and placed in the "milk box" at the front door.

Discipline was enforced by parents and teachers.

You are the last generation who spent childhood without television and instead, you “imagined” what you heard on the radio. With no TV, you spent your childhood "playing outside".

There was no city playground for kids.

The lack of television in your early years meant that you had little real understanding of what the world was like. We got “black-and-white” TV in the late 50s that had 3 stations and no remote. Telephones (if you had one) were one to a house and hung on the wall in the kitchen (who cares about privacy). Computers were called calculators; they were hand-cranked.

Typewriters were driven by pounding fingers, throwing the carriage, and changing the ribbon.

INTERNET and GOOGLE were words that did not exist.

Newspapers and magazines were written for adults and your dad would give you the comic pages after he read the news.

The news was broadcast on your radio in the evening.

The radio network gradually expanded from 3 stations to thousands. New highways would bring jobs and mobility. Most highways were 2 lanes and there were no Motorways.

You went downtown to shop. You walked to school.

Your parents were suddenly free from the confines of the depression and the war, and they threw themselves into working hard to make a living for their families.

You were not neglected, but you weren't today's all-consuming family focus.

They were glad you played by yourselves.

They were busy discovering the post-war world. You entered a world of overflowing plenty and opportunity; a world where you were welcomed, enjoyed yourselves. You felt secure in your future, although the depression and poverty were deeply remembered. Polio was still a crippler. Everyone knew someone who had it.

You are the last generation to experience an interlude when there were no threats to our country.

World War 2 was over and the cold war, terrorism, global warming, and perpetual economic insecurity had yet to haunt life. Only your generation can remember a time after WW2 when our world was secure and full of bright promise and plenty. You grew up at the best possible time, a time when the world was getting better.

More than 99% of you are retired now, and you should feel privileged to have "lived in the best of times!"

If you have already reached the age of 77-years-old, you have outlived 99% of all the other people on this planet. You are a 1% 'er!

YDBC MEN IN THE 2023 - 2024 GRAND FINALS

THANKS T0 All YDBC Members - 0ur club had two teams in the playoffs last week.

Mid week 2 Blue played last Thursday at Ellenbrook at 1pm.

Unfortunately, our team just fell short being defeated by Ellenbrook @ windy hollow.

We went down YDBC 52 to E/B 56. 0ur team made us proud. They can hold their heads up because we are proud of them!

Then 1 Blue  challenge on last Saturday was played @ Gosnells.

Our men were defeated by cross town rivals North Perth 4 points YDBC 2 points.

The final score was YDBC 64 to North Perth 84.

C0Ngratulations to North Perth on their hard fought win.

In the second promotion game on the day North Perth  63 were defeated by Gosnells 86.

It was good for morale for our fellow members who turned up to support their fellow club mates.

Rumour has it that East Perth (The R0YALS)  WAFL team is rumoured to be moving to a multimillion Dollar 0val @ Ellenbrook 'Watch this space'!

A BIG thank you to all who turned out last Sunday and helped with the club's annual Car boot sale. Judging by the number of people in attendance it was a HUGE success! See the photo’s attached!

( YDBC )

You know! The downside of any club is the loss of members through ill health, loss of interest or those passing away.

The club relies on members' participation @ meetings and organised events in order to maintain the club's funds through sale of drinks, food etc. and the all-important raffles.

Regards

PP Con "Mr Speedway" Migro  MENORA WESTERN AUSTRALIA

PS      Did you know running 2nd is first of the losers!

PPS     If you try hard enough long enough you'll succeed.

PPPS Gratitude makes sense of our past, brings peace for today and creates vision for the future - - - Melody Beattie.