

Hi \*IFName!\*, welcome to the 14th edition of 'One Up/One Down' the newsletter of the Melbourne Bowling Club for the 2018-19 season, keeping you up to date with what is happening around the club.

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One Up ...



... One Down

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## Pick My Project - State Government initiative

**Success** of the projects depends on getting as many votes as possible.

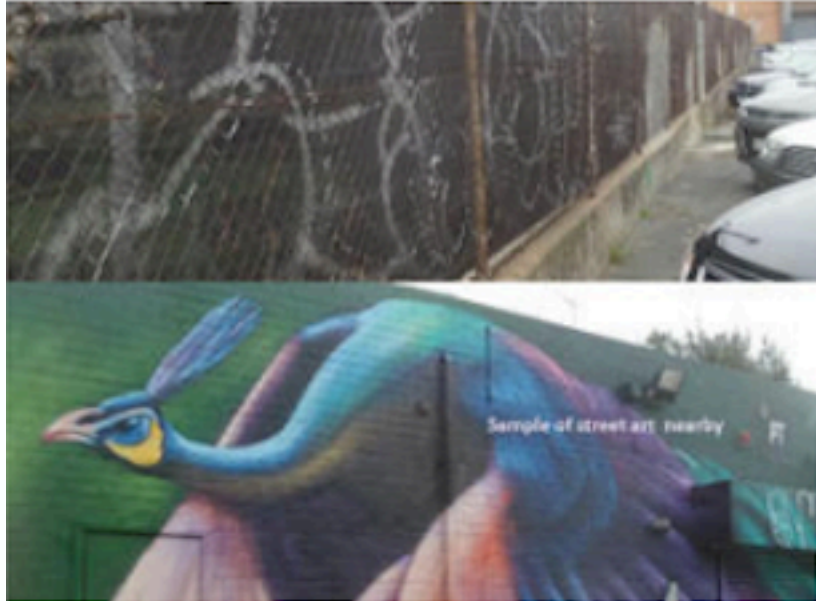
**Success** would mean our practice greens would be updated to carpet.

**Success** means spreading the net as far as possible

**How to vote:**

1. **Go to website:** [pickmyproject.vic.gov.au](http://pickmyproject.vic.gov.au)
2. **Register**
3. **Enter Windsor 3181 as your location**
4. **VOTE!** The first two projects listed are ours. A total of three projects must be selected

Our projects are:



**Artist's Lane Extension  
down Bowling Green  
Street!**

Bringing more community  
street art to the people of  
Windsor



**Weekly community bowling  
day all year**

Free bowling for  
community one day each  
week

**SUCCESS** depends on the number of votes our projects receive.  
**SPREAD THE WORD**  
just over a week to go. Voting closes **Monday 17 September 5pm**  
**MAKE IT HAPPEN**

**Helensvale 5 a side ----- MAGNIFICENT RESULT!!!!!!**

With 2 games to go **Shane Fordham, Curtis Hanley, Bryce Young, Dane McKinnon** and **Matty Ellul** were sitting in third having had enormous results in rounds 9 & 10. The last 2 games were big ones. Playing the teams immediately below them. The result was a draw and a loss then 2 wins in the last round. Finally so close to the top 4. Missed the playoffs by 1 point. Picked up 6th place prize money. Fantastic effort. Shows the quality of their bowling when you see the calibre of the other 19 sides. **Absolutely brilliant, well done guys! The club is proud of you.**

Position	Team	Points	Margin	Prop
1	Helensvale	48	80	1.2807
2	Eastbourne	48	12	1.03896
3	Cabramatta	46	101	1.33667
4	Broadbeach	45	83	1.25938
5	Adelaide	45	43	1.14286
6	Melbourne	45	14	1.04268
7	Essendon	43	25	1.10700

Singles: **Shane Fordham**

Fours: **Curtis Hanley, Bryce Young, Dane McKinnon, Matty Ellul**

Pairs: [Bryce Young](#), [Dane McKinnon](#)

Triples: [Curtis Hanley](#), [Shane Fordham](#), [Matty Ellul](#)

Even numbered rounds played singles & fours and odd rounds played pairs & triples.

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## Practice Matches Saturday 8 September

20 head off to St Kilda for a 11am start. Those going will be notified.

All other bowlers to start at 1pm at Windsor. Also against St Kilda.

**\*\*\* Practice on Tuesday and Thursdays \*\*\***

**Meals being served on Thursday from 6-8pm a-la-carte menu**

### Practice game schedule

**Sept 15th** - Queenecliff at Queenscliff or scratch match at Melbourne for those not wishing to travel

**Sept 22nd** - Moonee Valley at Melbourne ( premier only?) Possible game at Elsternwick Park against Elsternwick Park

Sept 29th - AFL Grand Final

**Sept 30th - Sunday** social game at Melbourne

**Note** (i)- Queenscliff is **open to anyone** who wants to come down and stay Friday & Saturday night. All costs are at player's expense. Accomodation available on Friday and Saturday night.

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## Bowls promotion and fundraising day

The image shows a website banner for 'Garage Sale Trail'. At the top left is a red arrow-shaped logo with 'Garage Sale Trail' written inside. To the right are two navigation links: 'ABOUT' and 'GET INVOLVED'. The main banner has a teal background with the text 'SHOP ROCK AND BOWL' in large white letters. Below the banner is a row of palm trees. On the left side, there is a location pin icon and text: 'Sale Host - Melbourne', 'Bowls club', '137 Union Street', 'Windsor VIC', 'Australia'. Below that is a clock icon and text: 'Sunday 21 October', '10:30 am - 4:30 pm'. In the center, there is a text block: 'Shopping ,bopping ,bowling and of course recycling all our unwanted goods.' Below this text are several rounded rectangular buttons with the following labels: 'homewares', 'books & zines', 'vintage clothes', 'out there unusual', 'sporting', 'collectables', 'games', and 'furniture'.

The club is going out to the public on **21 October**. Last time we had an open day a couple of hundred came along. This day will be a fundraiser where members can donate goods for a gigantic garage sale (state wide organisation) and a free try bowls day as part of BV Bowls Month.

**FOR it to be SUCCESSFUL** we will need volunteers to help set up on Saturday after

pennant and sell and help out on the greens the next day. **When asked the answer should be yes glad to help the club!** Also we will be looking for donations of "stuff" to sell on the day. **Kini** is in charge of the overall organisation and **Jacko** is looking after all the recycled and unwanted goods being donated.

**It's a day for members to get behind and contribute  
show the heart and spirit of THE CLUB**

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## **Around the club**

### **Need uniforms**

**Kini Meadows** will be at the club on **Tuesdays from 5pm to 7pm** for anyone who wants to buy any uniform items. New members receive a Melbourne shirt as part of their coming to the club.

### **New roof**

The scaffolding is in place to replace the roof. Start was delayed. Started today 6 September.

### **Solar panels**

The solar panels are scheduled to be installed starting Monday 10 September.

### **Repairs to windows on first floor**

**Alan Burness** is organising the repair of the window frames and glass of three windows on the first floor. Two are in a particularly poor state.

### **Upcoming events**

Put the following dates in your Diary

#### **1. Sat 29 Sept - AFL grand final day at the club**

Watch the grand final on the big screen at the club on 29 Sept

#### **2. Thurs 4 Oct - Calling of the sides & New Pennant members night**

#### **3. Sun 14 Oct - Club ladies and mens club singles round 1 and 2**

#### **4. Sun 21 Oct - Garage Trail & Try Bowls Day -**

This is an annual event held throughout the Australia in October, this event actually runs the same weekend as the Try Bowl Day. We have entered the Garage Trail as an individual and so will be holding a Garage sale with our Try bowls day

The garage sale allows the club and our members to let go of anything they no longer need by selling it on the day and making a few \$\$ for the club. Details on the delivery of items by members will be published closer to the day. Any questions please speak to **Kini**.

#### **5. 70's Night - Mon 5 Nov**

70's night to be run on the eve of Melbourne cup. The night will be a stand up not a sit down event. Traditional 70s inspired canapés will be served. Either a DJ or a band will be playing appropriate 70s tunes. Everyone is encouraged to dress up for the evening. More details closer to the date.

### **Umpires and measurers required**

The club is still looking for members to take on the umpires role for the club. Spread the load become an umpire or measurer. Contact club secretary **Byron** or **Ewen** for the registration form. The club pays the expenses for doing the course.

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## Ladies & Mens over 60's singles

Entries close at the club on Saturday 7/9 for Sandbelt region Ladies and men's over 60's singles. See Byron &/or the notice board.

## Vic Open 16 -23 November

Entries for the Victorian open are now open. It is being held in the Greater Shepparton Region. Over \$50,000 in prize money. Entries close 5:00 PM on Wednesday, October 10, 2018

[Register Here](#)

For general website information click here [www.vicopen.com.au](http://www.vicopen.com.au)

[Still to renew your membership Click here!](#)

## Approaching birthdays

Date	Member	Date	Member
6 Sep	Gary Brown	17 Sep	Carmel Jackson
9 Sep	Liam Pickering	17 Sep	Paul Loomes
11 Sep	Luke Grogan	21 Sep	Barry McGreggor
13 Sep	Jocelyn Cannington	22 Sep	Grahame Fraser



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