

Mordialloc Bowls Club Inc.

CLUB NEWS, July, 2008



GREAT NEWS

As was stated in the last newsletter "It's all happening at Mordialloc Bowls Club"

We have great news to pass on to all.

When we pay \$38,925 we have \$45,181 left in V2 account.

We have paid \$4874.89 deposit on the water tank thus we have \$43,874 still to pay, we have already paid \$6250 for concrete work, plus \$10,000 for shades and seats,

So we are still in favour with the bank and don't need to withdraw from the available overdraft.

GREAT EFFORT BY EVERYBODY

particularly Reg for getting grants, Jimmy and his team in the Bar, Treasurer Brian for managing the finances and our generous Donors, that is money not blood.

PUBLICITY

The leading photograph from our last newsletter features in the latest edition of the Kingston News, they got the size of the green wrong but who cares, any bowling publicity is good publicity.

WINTER BOWLS

President Alex and his team deserve a big thank you for the increased revenue coming to the Club from the Winter Bowls program.

SYLLABUS

A number of members have been meeting over the past few weeks organizing the 2008/2009 syllabus. We should be going to the printer within the next couple of weeks.

HOLIDAYS

To those Members who are going on Holiday, have a great time, good weather and return safe to continue bowling and socializing with us.

PETANQUE

A very warm welcome from Mordialloc Bowls Club to the Members of the Long Beach Petanque, Ten players have joined us and we hope they have an enjoyable time at Mordialloc.



To the interested, but unknowing, Petanque is a Game played on a gravel or grass surface. The object of the game is to throw Boules (Balls) as close as possible to a wooden Jack. The game evolved early this century from an old French bowls game (La boule Provencale), when an old Champion, suffering from arthritis and mourning his heydays, (we have a few of those in our Club) suggested there should be no more running and jumping. Everyone should throw the Boules standing still, feet together in a small starting circle. The old Champ got back into the Game!!!

JOKE WITH A MORAL.

An attractive Irish Blond went into the Casino to bet 20,000 pounds on the roll of the dice. She said I hope you don't mind, but I feel a lot luckier when I bet completely in the nude.

With that she stripped off, rolled the dice and yelled "Come on, Baby, I Need New Clothes."

As the dice came to a stop She jumped up and down and squealed, YES, YES, I WON, I WON,

She hugged each of the Dealers collected her winnings and her clothes and quickly departed. One of the Dealers asked, "What did she roll?" The other answered, "I don't know — I thought you were watching.

MORAL OF THE STORY

Not all Irish are stupid and not all blondes are dumb.

But all men are Men