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NEWSLETTER OF THE
CAMDEN BOWLING CLUB

Looking Glass

CAMPBELLS ON ARGYLE

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Go Camden!





Challenge Pairs Winners For 2026

Congratulations to Mark Donehue and Pat Phibbs on their win in the Challenge Pairs Friday evening. Also, to Sam, a good crowd was on hand to watch a great game going to a tie break to decide the winners.



Grade 3 Pennants

For the first time in a good number of years Camden isn't sending anyone off to the State pennant finals but we had a closely contested final. Well done to all the players and a big shout out to our great supporters. It meant a lot to

CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS PAIRS DRAW



ROUND 1

ROUND 2

ROUND 3

2025/26 Men's Champion of Club Champions Pairs
SECTION 33 | ROUND 1

Local: Mon, May 25, 2026 12:30 PM

MERRYLANDS BOWLING CLUB - GREEN 2, RINK 11

Terry Olsen & Cameron Gibbs
(Valentine)

VS

Guy Wilton & Gary Clark
(Camden)

ROUND 1

ROUND 2

ROUND 3

2025/26 Women's Champion of Club Champions
Pairs
SECTION 27 | ROUND 2

Local: Tue, May 26, 2026 9:00 AM

CABRAVALE CLUB RESORT - GREEN 1, RINK 1

Gloria Murray & Sandra Rimmer
(Camden)

VS

Loser of TBD

[Champion of Club Champion Men's Pairs](#)

[Champion of Club Champion Ladies Pairs](#)



Congratulations to our 200 Club Winners for May

\$1500 won by Lincon McLaren, Ticket No. 168

\$300 won by Kevin Harris, Ticket No. 109

\$200 won by Alan Webb, Ticket No. 36

\$100 won by Mattia, Ticket No. 92

\$50 won by Jurgen Abshagen, Ticket No. 7

\$50 won by Doug Wilson, Ticket No. 59

Next draw is on the 26th of June. If you don't have a ticket, please see Rhonda.



Terrific Tuesday

Washed out this week. Hope to see you all again on Tuesday

Wednesday Ladies Results

No club results submitted this week.

Thursday Social

Div 1: J McLafferty, S Cronshaw, M Booth, S Tajsic

Div 2: R Jones, N Mulley, G Wilton, K Phegan, D Price, S Laker

Jackpot was drawn by: A Webb, M Ryles, M Fanning, A Cotterill

No Luck this week. Next week's jackpot is \$350

The two Lucky Number winners this week are;

\$30 cash won by M Everingham

Meat voucher won by E Klaassen

Saturday Social

Div 1: H Pandoleon, D Price, J Bugden, S Newell, S Laker, S Lyons

Div 2: B Wareham, G Reynolds, R Newport, M Rae

Jackpot was drawn by K Morrell, M Ryles, A Webb, M Everingham

No Luck this week. Next week's jackpot is \$250

The Lucky Number winner this week for \$30 cash won by J Bugden

Latest Club Draws and Results - Click on the links below

[Challenge Pairs Results](#)

[Graded Fours Draw](#)

What's Happening This Week?



Tuesday

26th May 9:30 am - Tuesday social

Wednesday

27th May 9:30 am - Ladies social

27th May 2:00pm - Super Vete

Thursday

28th May 1 pm - Thursday Social Pairs

Friday

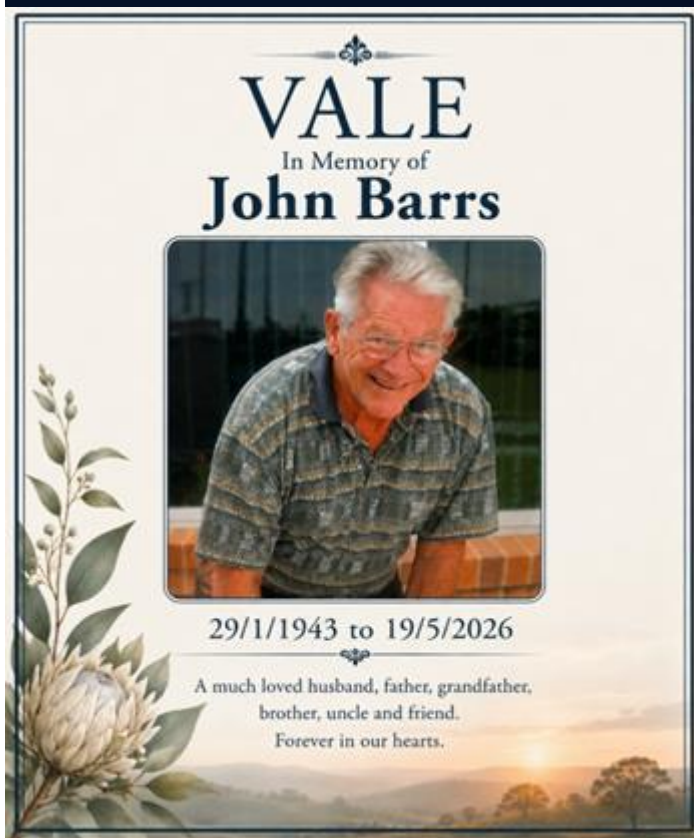
Ralph Coppock Mixed Pairs Cards drawn 8:45am

Sponsored by WICKLOW BO

Saturday

30th May 1 pm - Graded Fours Round One - Skips arrive early to select team card

30th May 1pm - Social

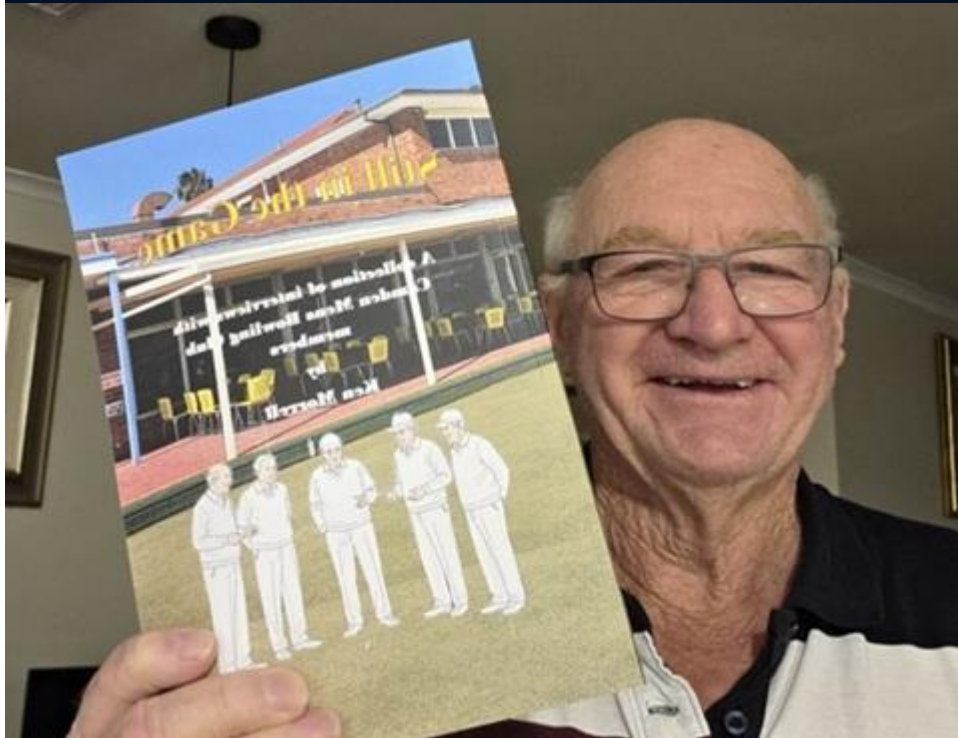


Life Member Passes Away

John passed away last Tuesday after a long health battle.

John was an integral part of the club being Treasurer for thirteen years. He came on board when the club was in a

Rest in Peace John



We have an Author in our Midst

All those interviews you enjoyed reading in the Rambler have now been collated into book form. 'Still In The Game' can contact the author, Ken Morrel, and buy one for just \$20.

\$5 from every sale is being donated to prostate cancer. Well done, Ken.

ENTRIES NOW OPEN FOR 2026 STATE OVER 40'S PAIRS

BY [ADMIN](#)

Entries are now open for the 2026 State Over 40's Pairs, with teams across NSW encouraged to get involved in this exciting event.

The Over 40's Pairs is open to men's, women's and mixed teams, giving players the opportunity to compete alongside a clubmate in a strong and competitive format. From qualifying, 32 teams will progress through to the State Finals.

Qualifying rounds will be held on 12–13 September 2026, with the State Finals to be played on 14–15 November 2026.

Matches will be played in the three-bowl pairs format, with each match played over 17 ends.

Qualifying will commence as sectional play, followed by knockout rounds. Exact qualifying draws will be determined once entries have closed. Qualifying will take place at venues across all 16 Regions, with venues to be announced at the same time as the event draw.

To be eligible, teams must consist of two players from the same club. Players from separate Men's and Women's sub-clubs of the same Bowling Club are also eligible to enter together.

Players must be aged 40 years and over on 1 July 2026 and 59 years or under at the scheduled completion of the Championship on 15 November 2026.

Members are encouraged to enter now and take part in what promises to be another fantastic State event.

[2026 Bowls NSW Over 40's Pairs](#)

Why You Bowl Better in Practice Than in Games (And How to Fix It)



From The Coach

Be honest...

How often have you walked off the green after a game thinking:

"I was bowling so much better in practice than that."

It's one of the most common frustrations in bowls and it's not a coincidence.

The reality is...

practice and game environments are completely different.

And unless you understand *why*, you'll keep experiencing the same gap between the two.

Let's break it down....

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