<u>CAMDEN BOWLING CLUB – NEWSLETTER</u> WEEK ENDING 10/04/2022

TRIFFIC TUESDAY 05/04/22

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Div 2: +12 (countback) Glen Foxwell, Morry Smith, Norris Dwyer.

Resting Toucher - not won.

<u>WEDNESDAY</u> we got the call that SES has informed Sporties that they may be threatened by floodwaters as the Nepean rises. Volunteers were called for and up to 40 people carried all the newly donated furniture to the upper floor of the club. The heavier items were stood on kegs but later it was decided to take the sofas and ornate partitions up there too so the young and the fit (read Kevin Harris and Danny Beebar) took on the task and ensured all furniture was safe by 3.30 in the afternoon.

By 7.30 that night a meter of water was running through the club. Highest level was 1.2 metres at around 11pm. By 4 am the level was going down. Dawn saw the greens still under water but receding steadily. The water went but left mud behind.

Steve Urquhart called his fire brigade mates and the cleanup began. They washed the club out. Washed out the bowls office and locker room and began pumping out the greens. Once that was completed they began washing the greens. Sincere thanks to Camden Volunteer Fire Brigade and all the volunteers who turned up for a days hard work.

We were visited by Channel 9, Channel 10 and Skynews UK for interviews as well as Ben Fordham on 2GB radio. Exactly a month since the last flood. As Steve Urquhart so eloquently said "tears came with the rain."

FRIDAY CONSISTENCY SINGLES 8/04/22 Greens Closed.

SATURDAY 9/04/22 Greens still closed.

<u>SUNDAY 10/04/2022</u> BUSY BEE TO FINISH CLEAN UP OF CLUBHOUSE AND SURROUNDS was well attended with much work being done. We are almost back to 'normal'. Thank you to all who attended.

NOTES: Trific Tuesday will still go ahead but at the RSL. 9.00 am for a 9.30 start. Ladies the same on Wednesday – at RSL.

Nominations for Thursday on our board or via website or direct to Dave on 0448 137 138 Champion of Club Champion Pairs and Singles put back to end of the month.

Easter Six-A-Side has been cancelled.

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<u>BOWLS LAW:</u> At the completion of a round in a Zone competition the skip wishes the third and second to change position. Is this permitted?

Answer Yes. Prior to the start of any subsequent game in the same competition the playing positions of the constituted personnel can be altered. Law 11.2.3