

## **CAMDEN BOWLING CLUB – NEWSLETTER**

### **WEEK ENDING 27/03/2022**

Well - both scheduled social days at Camden were washed out this week. Usual play next week with sheets on the notice board or nominations to Alex or Dave or via the website.

Camden Sixes Winning Pennant Side played at Maitland this last weekend in the State Pennant Finals.

Thursday was washed out with all Lorn Park greens under water only beginning to drain as night crept on.

Friday was a late start with Lorn Park volunteers sweeping and rolling water into the ditches. Play commenced two hours late on a very heavy green with Camden taking two rinks from Nelson Bay but losing overall:

Rick Staats 15/14, Barry Smith 15/14, Allen Wood 13/32. Camden 43/60 (2/8)

Afternoon saw a green change and a faster surface. Camden came out against Braidwood with all guns blazing.

Rick Staats 24/11, Barry Smith 29/17, Allen Wood 18/9. Camden 71/37 (10/0)

Saturday morning was another late start with rain looming and games reduced to 18 ends.

Camden had a bye so enjoyed beef rolls and watched the powerful Cabra Vale side destroy their opposition.

Afternoon and Camdens good win took them to second place and a spot in the Quarter Finals against undefeated Cabra Vale. The weather cleared and games were extended to the regulation 21 ends. Cabra commenced cock-a-hoop with high fives and confident cries but Camden stuck to the task, pegged them back and the second half was a silent grind neither side giving quarter.

Unfortunately the fairy tale did not come true and Cabra Vale took the chocolates.

Rick Staats 20/21, Barry Smith 15/15 (undefeated for the carnival) Allan Wood 18/22  
Camden 53/58 (9.5/.5)

Cabra Vale Diggers went on to play in the final against Gresford.

Congratulations to all Camden players and supporters. They represented your club very well.

**NOTES:** Nomination sheets on the notice board.

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**BOWLS LAW:** During a game the thirds notice that the mat and jack have been centered on the wrong chalk line. One skip says they both must stay as they are but the other wants to move both jack and mat to the correct center line. What is correct?

Answer: The mat may be moved to the center line but as bowls have already been played the jack stays where it is. Law 6.2.3 & 9.7