



# Sports REPORTS

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| BOWLS – LADIES INDOOR         | Joy Dalton            | 9792 8097    |
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U17B (Club Captain) who won the gold medal in all three events contested in (800m, 1500m & 3km), congratulations on this amazing achievement. Also, congratulations to Ashleigh Mooney who placed 3rd in U17G high jump with both athletes qualifying to compete at the State Championships.

State Champions was held 17th to 19th March 2017 and we are pleased to report that James placed third in both 1500m & 3km events and 4th in 800m; an outstanding athlete! It is a great way to round off his Little Athletics career.

In the off season the Committee members will be planning for the 2017 / 2018 season and we are always appreciative of any volunteers who wish to join us on the Committee. Our AGM is scheduled on Monday, 8th May 2017 7:30 pm which will be held at Revesby Workers' Club.

**Mara Basic**  
Publicity Officer

**BASKETBALL**  
Liaison Director: **Christine Benham**

RWC Basketball Club has teams playing in senior men's, women's and unisex competition as RWC Panthers & RWC Challengers; and in junior boy's and girl's competition as RWC Saints.

Congratulations to our senior women's Division 1 RWC Panthers team who won their recent Grand Final. We had 14 junior teams entered in the summer competition of the Primary Schools Basketball Competition played at Bankstown Basketball Stadium, Condell Park.

With over 90 children from Years 2-6 representing RWC Saints it was an outstanding effort to have 12 of our teams making the final series with 6 winning their Grand Finals. Congratulations to all our players and thank you to our coaches, managers and parents for your support.

As always, a huge thank you to Revesby Workers Club for their support and for helping us with our new playing singlets.

**Phil Hudson**  
RWBC President

### ATHLETICS (JUNIOR)

Liaison Director: **John Rodwell**

Revesby Workers' Little Athletics 2016 / 2017 season has completed with our final night held on Friday, 10th March 2017.

It was another successful season and this could not have been achieved without our dedicated committee members, volunteers and parents assisting

throughout the season, A BIG THANK YOU to all involved for your continued support and assistance.

We had 22 athletes compete in the Region Championships, not only did our athletes perform well with a lot of PB's they also conducted themselves in a terrific sportsman like manner and supported each other on and off the track, wearing the RWLAC uniform with pride. A special mention to James Bottrill

**BOWLS – INDOOR (LADIES)**

Liaison Director: Ian Stromborg

**Results of Annual General Meeting  
22nd February, 2017. Those nominated  
and instated are as follows:**

**President:** Joy Dalton

**Vice President:** Val Rochford

**Secretary:** Marjorie Clarke

**Treasurer:** Shirley Glenday

**Publicity Officers:** Val Rochford &  
Shirley Glenday

**Committee Members:**

June Ryan

Phyllis Merrell

Lyn Rolls

Marie Rogers

Judy Moon

We would like to acknowledge the passing of Jean Larney in December, 2016. Jean was one of our long time members and will be sadly missed.

Fond "farewell" wishes to another of our long time members, Dulcie Kenny, who is moving with her family to Queensland. We wish you much happiness in your new home Dulcie.

**Game results:****11 January, 2017**

- 1st. Marie Rogers, Shirley Glenday, Lorraine Seckold and Roma Stiles  
2nd. Judy Moon, Marjorie Clarke, Olive Swan and Frances Rochecouste.

**18 January, 2017**

- 1st. Lyn Rolls, Shirley Glenday, May Noonan and Marjorie Clarke  
2nd. Shanta Narayan, Dulcie Kenny and Carolyn Adam.

**25th January, 2017**

- 1st. Marie Rogers, Dulcie Kenny and Joy Dalton  
2nd. Jean Reichart, Marjorie Clarke and Cheryl McDonald.

**1st February, 2017**

- 1st. Marie Rogers, Joy Dalton and Shanta Narayan.  
2nd. Dulcie Kenny, Shirley Glenday, Lyn Rolls and Lois McCallum.

**8th February, 2017**

- 1st. Lyn Rolls, Olive Swan, Phyllis Merrell and Connie Sorrenti  
2nd. Judy Moon, Shirley Glenday and Edna Roberts.

**15th February, 2017**

- 1st. Carolyn Adam, Marie Rogers and Joy Dalton  
2nd. Shanta Narayan, Lyn Rolls, Edna Roberts and May Noonan.

**22nd February, 2017**

- 1st. Marie Rogers, Marjorie Clarke, Dulcie Kenny and Olive Swan  
2nd. Lorraine Seckold, Joy Dalton and May Noonan.

**1st March, 2017**

- 1st. Marie Rogers, Lyn Rolls and Cheryl McDonald  
2nd. Val Rochford, Shirley Glenday, Roma Stiles and Edna Roberts.

**8th March, 2017**

- 1st. Lorraine Seckold, Marie Rogers and Lyn Rolls  
2nd. Joy Dalton, Val Rochford, Cheryl McDonald, Roma Stiles and May Noonan.

**15th March, 2017**

- 1st. Dulcie Kenny, Marie Rogers and Lorraine Seckold  
2nd. Cheryl McDonald, Frances Rochecouste and Phyllis Merrell.

We would like to extend an invitation to all lady members to join us for a fun day of indoor bowls each Wednesday. Experience is not required and you would be made to feel most welcome. If interested please call our President Joy Dalton on 9792 8097.

**Shirley Glenday  
Assistant Publicity Officer**

**BOWLS – INDOOR (MIXED)**

Liaison Director: Ian Stromborg

**Game results:****10 January 2017**

- 1st Val Austen, John Rolls  
2nd Muriel Baikie, Ken Sayers  
3rd Helen Tran, David Lewis  
Ldp Doris Dare, Jack Medbury

**17 January 2017**

- 1st Lyn Rolls, Mario Fabiani  
2nd Val Austen, Frank Dare  
3rd Doris Dare, David Lewies  
Ldp Anna Fabiani, John Gibbs

**24 January 2017**

- 1st Lyn Rolls, David Lewis  
2nd Marie Rogers, John Rolls  
3rd Doris Dare, Ken Sayers  
Lpd Muriel Baikie, Van Tran

**31 January 2017**

- 1st Val Austen, David Lewis  
2nd Lyn Rolls, Mario Fabiani  
3rd Marie Rogers, Helen Tran  
Ldp Doris Dare, John Rolls

**7 February 2017**

- 1st Marie Rogers, Frank Dare  
2nd Val Austen, Mario Fabiani  
3rd Doris Dare, David Lewis  
Ldp Lyn Rolls, Jean Reichart

**14 February 2017**

- 1st Val Austen, David Lewis  
2nd Helen Tran, Jim Tetlow  
3rd Brenda Excell, Anna Fabiani  
Ldp Shanta Narayan, Mario Fabiani

**21 February 2017**

- 1st David Lewis  
2nd Doris Dare, Mario Fabiani  
3rd Marie Rogers, John Rolls  
Ldp Shanta Narayan

**28 February 2017**

- 1st Val Austen  
2nd Helen Tran  
3rd Lyn Rolls, Jack Medbury  
Ldp Jean Reichart, David Lewis

**7 March 2017**

- 1st Brenda Excell, Van Tran  
2nd Shanta Narayan, David Lewis  
3rd Jean Reichart, Helen Tran  
Ldp Jim Tetlow

**14 March 2017**

- 1st Helen Tran, David Lewis  
2nd Jean Reichart, Ken Sayers  
3rd Lyn Rolls, John Rolls  
Ldp Marie Rogers, Jack Medbury

**21 March 2017**

- 1st Helen Tran, Van Tran  
2nd Shanta Narayan, Jack Medbury  
3rd Lyn Rolls, Jim Tetlow  
Ldp Muriel Baikie, Jean Reichart

On the 21/02/2017 we held the AGM Mario Fabiani was elected as the new president, with John Gibbs becoming the new vice president, after Tom Ferguson retired from the vice president role. Jean Reichart again is the secretary and treasurer, and Marie Rogers is a new committee member. Mario Fabiani continues his role as the publicity officer. We'd like to thank Jean Reichart for all her hard work, which at times we all take for granted. Thanks Jean.

And remember; we're always looking to welcome new members - professional or amateur!

For more information contact  
Jean Reichart on 9771 6923.

**Mario Fabiani  
Publicity Officer**

**BOWLS – LAWN (LADIES)**

Liaison Director: Ian Stromborg

As January was in the holiday season there isn't a lot to report. However, activities in our club are now in full swing.

**26th January:** We held our annual Australia Day, a day of fun and bowls. The club was decorated with the spirit of Australia Day. We were thrilled to have so many players. The day started with billy tea, damper golden syrup and Anzac biscuits and then after game of bowls lunch was our usual meat pies followed by lamingtons. As we hold this event each year we can say it was again a great success.

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**2nd March:** The final of our Club Championship Major Singles Final was held. This is the prestige event of the year for bowls and an honour to win it. Congratulations to Raylee Cottingham on this occasion with the runner up being Janice O'Brien.

**14th March:** We commenced the Georges Rivers District Pennants (at State Lever). We have entered a team in each Grades 3 and 4. As this goes to press Pennants is still continuing.

### Forth coming events for our Club:

#### 18th May

Club Championship Pairs commence  
Biggest Morning Tea for Cancer Council

#### 15th June

President's Day

#### 29th June

Officers, Delegates and Friends Day

#### End July

Christmas in July bowls.

Any ladies wishes to take up Lawn Bowls are most welcomed and should contact our Secretary Pat Tate on 97310957

**Margaret Pullen**  
**Publicity Officer.**

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### BOWLS – LAWN (LADIES) SPENCE ST

Liaison Director: Ian Stromborg

#### Dates for your diary:

##### Bowl for Others AGM – 17 July

11.00am at Women' Bowls NSW, 309 Pitt Street Sydney, visitors very welcome.

##### Bowl for Others Luncheon - 6 October

12.30pm at the Masonic Club, Sydney

##### Past Presidents Association Luncheon –

**17 November** – Venue and price details in next report.

#### Past Presidents Visitations are being arranged:-

- Revesby Workers' Women's Bowling Club – Spence Street
- Cabramatta Women's Bowling Club
- Towradgi Women's Bowling Club – January 2018

Full details will be in the next Report.

Memorabilia and trophies temporarily stored in small store room at Spence Street were removed – no notice given. Storage and cartage was arranged for removal but prior all was thrown onto the stage near the entrance of the Club. An imaginary neon sign read "Help Yourself".

Items taken:- 1 extremely wide roll of Chux material, 1 box of long fine stem glasses, a commemorative silver tray, commemorative teaspoons, 1 large brass bell (the property of Revesby

Bowling Recreation Club 1957) wonderful memories of occasions when this was rung. Please return, I will personally give a reward.

**Hint of the day:** Wash hands, don't have sticky fingers.

I would like to wish our girls success in the Pennants.

Hope you all enjoyed a great Easter and to the ladies a Happy Mother's Day.

**Beryl Harmer**

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### BOWLS – LAWN (MENS)

Liaison Director: Ian Stromborg

#### Class of 07'

While the year 2017 will see the closure of our beloved FIBRO, on a more cheerful note the year also marks the 10th anniversary for a bunch of knockabout/rascals who joined the Fibro in 2007 and since then have been known as "the class of 07". They came from the Milperra area and they made their mark in our club instantly, setting about fixing and cleaning things that needed fixing and cleaning, as well as quietly changing and updating things that also needed changing and updating. Not that our club was in any bad state of repair or not being run properly, it was a proud and well respected club with a very good and popular committee, but new members bring new ideas and these guys had plenty and just by sheer weight of their efforts our members could see that they were right fit for the Fibro. Most of them were ex- East Hills Golf club members previously and were now looking for some where to land after almost retiring from golf with the closure of East Hills golf club. Those of us who knew them and knew of their plight were determined not to let them slip our grasp.

The class of 07 were originally 12 in number but for their own various reasons several decided that the fibro/ bowls or whatever, was not for them and left for greener pastures. These were; John Donkin, John Miles, Gary Nicol, Terry Ryan and Rob Sadler.

Those who remained and stayed for the long haul were: Russ Benson, Tom Cottingham, Denis Gallant, John Larson, Denis Martin, and Max Pavey. Bruce Taylor and Mick Singleton were late starters but were welcomed to the team. Denis (Rocky) was generally regarded as the leader of this group with deputy Max Pavey riding shotgun, keeping the other foot soldiers occupied. One of the first jobs they carried out was on the men's locker room.

I said before that we had a well run, respectable club, that probably didn't include the mens locker room. It was – well—er—a men's locker room.

Max and his men quietly got into it and in quick time transformed it and made it fit for human habitation once more. Other jobs that were carried out by Rocky and his men were ; New flag pole and weather vane, repairing concrete garden surrounds, installation of ice cold water fountain and concrete surrounds, there was lots of painting jobs etc. and many other varied jobs that needed to be done, all of which made the Fibro the beautiful oasis that we are about to leave. They were men of innovation and determination. Sadly in that decade we have lost a couple of their number, rather suddenly, good men who will be long remembered.

Voluntary work is now a thing of the past what with insurance risks etc. so we were lucky to achieve what we did and we are very grateful for their efforts. Well now, these guys are upright citizens and are blood donors and give regularly to this noble cause but their noble motives are a little mysterious , for instance generally it only takes an hour or two to donate blood, yet for our 07 heroes it takes up the whole day, I guess it's cause they evidently give so much blood, . It must really take it out of them as they come home late with dishevelled attire, hair unkempt, unsteady of foot, speech impaired and uncontrolled giggling all the time etc. They are probably delirious! Do you think they give too much blood? Perhaps they should stop donating. Never the less we are mighty glad they chose to join our club. So Happy Anniversary boys and thanks for your efforts.

We add here that there were no shortage of volunteers who came from the membership itself who also made themselves available for these jobs. We thank them too. The final of the men's fours championship was played at the Fibro on 25th/Feb, between the team of Shane Matakaiongo/John Banes/Dean Semlitzky, skipped by Peter Chown versus Ross Graham/Adam Whalan/James Clifton skipped by Rod Clifton. Sadly after so many years and so many championships, this was to be the last championship to be played at THE FIBRO, due to its coming closure in July. The winners will make history as the last of our champs, but unfortunately, will not have the honour of having their names inscribed on the honour boards in the club as they have already been removed in preparation for our departure. All this did not stop these two teams from going hammer and tongs at each other in what was to be a real cliffhanger of a finish, an absolute classic, with only one point separating them at the end.

Once the game got underway, Peter's team seemed to be having a nice stroll in the park, cruising to lead 14-6 after 12 ends, but that quickly changed after Rod's team

picked up a nice fat FIVE shots on the 13th, hmm, it's now 14-11. Only three the diff. Pete's team got one shot on 14 to steady the ship. Then wham! Another 5 to Rod, and now it's new leaders at 16-15, and then, its 18-15 to Rod after 16 ends. Then 19-18 to Peter, after 19 ends, and 19 ALL after 20 ends. All tied up with ONE end to go, Whew! Ya gotta love this game. Last end coming up. Pressure. Who's gonna blink? Well, after the Thirds had played their last shots and the skips changed ends it was Rod who was holding THREE shots, with just four bowls to play, two each. Rods 1st shot didn't change the head then Pete was away and his first was a cracker, shifted the cake so little but looked like he had shot, a measure. Rods last shot just missed and it was all over. Peter didn't need his last bowl, 20-19. What a game! A GRAND Final to farewell THE FIBRO. Congratulations to both teams.

### Merv Elder Publicity Officer

## CRICKET

### Liaison Director: Christine Benham

The 2016-17 summer season recently came to an end but, regrettably, wet weather played havoc with the finals series.

The semi-finals could not be played due to ground closures over the weekend of 4 & 5 March, following heavy rain during the week. This meant that the teams that finished 4th on their respective ladders dropped out. *(Our U13s was in this category!)*

The following weekend, the Preliminary Finals were played between the teams that finished 2nd and 3rd, with the minor premiers proceeding through to the grand Finals. Both the A Grade 1 and C Res 1 *(who finished 3rd in their respective competitions)* won their matches.

With further downpours during the week leading up to the Grand Finals, the matches were again disrupted. Bankstown Council was wonderful in preparing/mowing the grounds on the Friday, when there was some respite, and strong winds assisted the drying process. The Bankstown District Cricket Association was permitted to "make the call" on using grounds, as our sport is "low impact". Unfortunately, overnight on the Friday/Saturday we had the heaviest rainfall of the week. The grounds were saturated and play was not possible on the Saturday. After further rain during Saturday and early Sunday, the grounds were again saturated in the morning, and, unfortunately, play could not take place. The 4 senior grand finals were able to be played on Sunday, albeit with some ground changes and significantly reduced total overs.

With no play for juniors, the Minor Premiers

in each age division were awarded the Premiership shields. This meant that RWCC took out the premierships in U12s and U14s (Maroon team).

I am delighted to advise that our A Grade 1 team (who finished 3rd on the ladder) took out their premiership – our only victorious senior side! Congratulations to the A Grade 1, Under 14 Maroons and Under 12s – our club is proud of you.

In February, the C Grade 1-day shield was won by Revesby Workers, who played well all season, taking out the overall Minor Premiership, but lost their Grand Final

We have been following with pride the cricket career of one of our former juniors, Ashleigh Gardner. Ashleigh played well for the Sydney Sixes, the women's T20 Big Bash victors. She then was selected for the Australian One Day and T20 squads, and played all 3 One Day matches for The Southern Stars against the NZ Pink Ferns – a wonderful achievement at the young age of 19. Last year Ashleigh captained the Australian Women's indigenous team that toured India. Congratulations, Ashleigh.

We now have the 2017 Masters Cup (Over 35s Super 8s) keeping us busy through the winter and it won't be long before we start signing on for the next summer comp! See you on Sundays in August!

### Chris Benham Secretary

## DARTS CLUB

### Liaison Director: Terry Semlitzky

**Contacts for the Darts are President Dean Semlitzky, Secretary Terry Semlitzky, Captains Brian Smith/ Andrew Gregory.**

The Bankstown Districts Darts Association have started their new competition on Monday nights.

At the 2017 AGM, held in February, the following were elected as office bearers for the ensuing year. **President:** Dean Semlitzky, **Vice President:** Trevor Bligh, **Secretary:** Terry Semlitzky, **Assist Secretary:** Paul Sillato, **Treasurer:** Sue Semlitzky, **Assist Treasurer:** Terry Semlitzky, **Dart Captains:** Andrew Gregory & Brian Smith, **Vice Cpts:** Tony Martire, Paul Sillato, Alan Woods, Dorothy Gonsalves, **Returning Officer:** Terry Semlitzky.

The first leg of the Masters Tournament was held recently, at The Ettalong Bowling Club, in February, in March 25th & 26th Mortdale RSL and Mt Druitt in May.

The next Darts Quarterly Meeting will be held Thursday 18th May, 7pm.

The first of the Dart Club Championships will be the singles on Sunday 16th July.

The Dart Club conduct a game of Drawn Doubles every Thursday night in the Sports Bar. This open to members & visitors and you don't have to be a champion. There are meat trays for 1st, 2nd, 3rd, there is mens & ladies highest score and a lucky door prize. This is raffle night and members badge draw, so amble down to The Sports Bar and have your name submitted prior to 8pm.

**The following are the results:** 12/1 P Larkins, Koni, M/hs 140 Brian Smith, L/hs 119 Margaret McKone, 19/1 A Ferriolo, Kohi, M/hs 180 C Woodroffe, L/hs 130 Sue Whittaker, 2/2 Y Yon, A Ferriolo, M/hs 140 Shad, L/hs 152 Sue Whittaker, 9/2 M McKone, C Woodroffe, M/hs 140 Phil Larkins, L/hs 127 Margaret McKone, 16/2 T Martire, T Bligh, M/hs 189 Craig Woodroffe, L/hs 98 Sue Whittaker, 23/1 B Smith, Kohi, M/hs 140 Dylan Yon, L/hs 117 Margaret McKone, 2/3 D Yon, C Woodroffe, M/hs 140 John Taylor, L/hs 97 Kana, 9/3 C Woodroffe, LTJ, M/hs 180 Yorick Yon, L/hs Janelle, 16/3 A Ferriolo, D Yon, M/hs 140 Craig Woodroffe, L/hs 95 Janelle, 23/3.

There is a game of drawn doubles at The Sport & Recreation Club for members & visitors, this is held the first Friday in the month, names in by 6pm. The last game at The Fibro will be Friday, 2nd June, but will continue at The Revesby Sports Club, under the same family friendly format.

### "X Topps" Terry Semlitzky

## DOMINO CLUB

### Liaison Director: Terry Semlitzky

Contact Colin Suttle.

The Domino's play every Sunday morning in the Sports Bar, 10.30 am start and is open to members and visitors, who are most welcome.

### The following are the results:

6/11 Norman Glover

The Club Championship was won by Daryl Heaton with Norman Glover runner-up

15/1 Robert Murray, 22/1 Robert Murray, Greg Bryce, Louis Laurent, 29/1 Robert Murray, 5/2 Col Suttle. 12/2 Norm Glover, 19/2 Louis Laurent, 26/2 Louis Laurent, 5/3 Norm Glover, 12/3 Daryl Heaton, 19/3 Daryl Heaton, Louis Laurent.

The Dominos play every Sunday Morning in the Sports Bar 10.30am, new players are most welcome.

### "Double Blank" Terry Semlitzky

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**FISHING CLUBS**

**Liaison Director: Terry Semlitzky**

**There are 3 fishing clubs under the Workers banner.**

**Charter Boat contact Dean Semlitzky  
0413 292 337**

**Small Boats contact Col Purdy 9773 6752**

**Mooney Mooney contact Bruce Breese  
0429 987 549**

Fishing Club contacts: President Dean Semlitzky, Secretary/Treasurer Terry Semlitzky, Reef Capt Ron Davis, Dep Reef Capt Jack Innis.

At the AGM of the Fishing Club held 20th November 2016, the following were elected for the ensuing year; President Dean Semlitzky, Vice President Barry Eyears, Jr Vice President Brian Rivers, Secretary/Treasurer Terry Semlitzky, Reef Captain Ron Davis, Dep Reef Captain Jack Innis, Publicity Officer Terry Semlitzky. Returning Officer/Liaison Terry Semlitzky, Sinker Maker Brian Rivers.

The Charter Boat outings have restarted and we are fishing with Cronulla Charters, aboard the Romanda, leaving from Cronulla Wharf, there is a list on the noticeboard, in the Sports Bar, for members wishing to participate.

The Presentation Day was held 20th November, at the Fibro (Sport & Rec) in conjunction with the Darties, this was the last one at this venue and thanks to life member Jack Innis for his work in the kitchen along with Col Suttle, from The Dominos.

**"Ben Took's"  
Terry Semlitzky**

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**GOLF (LADIES)**

**Liaison Director: John Rodwell**

Our golfing ladies would love you to come and join us. These are the places we are playing in the next 3 months

7.30 am May 6th at Woodville  
8.00 am May 20th at Woodville  
8.30 am June 3rd at Sefton  
8.40 am June 17th at Sefton  
8.30am July 1st at Sefton  
8.30 am July 15th at Hudson Park  
8.30 am July 29th at Sefton

Come and join us.

**Jan McNaughton  
Publicity Officer**

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**GOLF (MENS)**

**Liaison Director: John Rodwell**

The winners are too numerous to mention in this short article, so readers are invited

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to visit our informative web site at [rwcmenegolf.org](http://rwcmenegolf.org) for detailed information about our Club, news, upcoming events schedule and weekly event summary with winner's photos and results.

With great golf courses like Bankstown, Liverpool, Links Shell Cove, Antill Park, Hurstville and Campbelltown on offer, interest and attendance has been very high for the games played during the first three months of 2017.

The main event during this period was the Singles Matchplay Championship, with the final between Shane Thorn and Frank Saify yet to be concluded.

The Club Championship has just started and was expected to finish by the end of March, but the non-stop rain in Sydney during March has pushed the last round to the end of April.

The next couple of months will be busy with games played at Camden, Campbelltown, Bankstown and Hurstville and the highlight will be the trip away for three days to Cypress Lakes in May.

Some events will be high profile (Merv Pell and 2BBB Championship in May/June), the annual Bowls challenge in June between Revesby Golfers and Revesby Bowlers, and don't forget there will be the Goulburn Workers visit to Campbelltown Golf Course in April to challenge Revesby Workers for the dreaded Pigs Arse Trophy (the loser keeps the dreaded trophy for one year) :-)

The schedule of remaining courses for 2017 is quite varied, with numerous rounds at our home course Bankstown, multiple games at Campbelltown, Rosnay, Camden and Antill Park and a game each at the very challenging courses, The Ridge (Bangor), Liverpool and Mollymook (Hilltop).

So if you like to play as a visitor or join the club, please refer to the "Contact Us" page on our web site at [rwcmenegolf.org/contact-us](http://rwcmenegolf.org/contact-us).

Social golf, how good is it? :-)

**Ken Little  
Publicity Officer**

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**GOLF (SENIORS)**

**Liaison Director: John Rodwell**

Stableford Champions 2017

**A GRADE - R. HART  
B GRADE - JOINT WINNERS  
B. TORR R. HUNT**

WE HAVE HAD GOOD ROLLUP OF PLAYERS OVER THE SUMMER MONTHS. NEW PLAYERS WELCOME.

PETER MCLACHLAN

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**LADIES GROUP**

**Liaison Director: Christine Butters**

The Ladies Group resumed meetings in early February for the 2017 year. The Group meets every Wednesday morning from 9.30am – 11.30am in the MacArthur Room at Revesby Workers' Club and new members would be most welcome.

On the first Wednesday of each month we go on a full day coach trip and every other week we have Guest Speakers, social interaction and friendship opportunities at our meetings.

Our March trip took us to Bowral in the Southern Highlands where we had a free day to browse the shops and parks and enjoy lunch at our leisure. There were lots of shopping bags on board for the return trip!

We have had some very interesting Guest Speakers already this year including a very informative insight into Aboriginal Culture, the many and varied services offered by Bankstown Library and an NRMA Older Driver Education presentation.

Our sincere best wishes go to long term member Doris Behrend who has relocated to Toowoomba in Queensland with her family. Doris was a member of our Group for 19 years and we will miss her very much. Good luck for the future to Doris and her family.

**Sandra Bickle  
Assistant Co-ordinator**

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**MARINE RESCUE**

**Liaison Director: Dennis Hayward**

**Statistics:**

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|-------------------------------|---------------|
| <i>Year to March</i>          | <b>2017</b>   |
| <i>Vessels assisted</i>       | <b>36</b>     |
| <i>People moved to safety</i> | <b>89</b>     |
| <i>Recorded Duty Hours</i>    | <b>2565</b>   |
| <i>Fuel Consumed</i>          | <b>\$2861</b> |

Over the Christmas/New Year holiday period the unit was involved with 4 local medical emergencies and 52 vessel assists. The most dramatic was when both our rescue vessels Hawkesbury 21 and 22 were tasked to assist in a search for an elderly man who jumped off the road bridge. Fortunately, he was located some 3 hours later off Little Wobby, and was transported to North Shore Hospital.

One of the most important aspects of our Marine Safety is emergency planning. A meeting has been held with Ambulance NSW management and we have a defined procedure and pick up locations for medical evacuations. These locations are for up river, Kangaroo Point, Derubben Reserve, down river Parsley Bay and Brooklyn Central. The "Find Me on the River" project is proceeding and we have now identified suitable wharves at Bar

Point, Little Wobby and Milsons Passage.

On the 1st and 2nd April, Volunteer Marine Rescue Hawkesbury took part in a multi emergency rescue organisation SAREX (search and rescue exercise) with both vessels being tasked for off shore search and rescue scenarios. On the 30th as part of the Hornsby/Ku-ring-gai Emergency Management Committee, we attended the Hornsby Shire Council's "What to do in an Emergency" EXPO. Besides our display trailers and information packs, we gave demonstrations of the "Correct Use of Marine Flares".

Easter has again seen recreational boating at its peak. However, May sees us back to intensive training. Besides our regular seamanship, navigation, radio operator, advanced first aid, sea survival and firefighting courses, disaster prevention and management will be high on our agenda.

At the base at the Mooney Mooney Club funding has been obtained to remove the last of the fibro from the base buildings. Methods of lifting the rescue vessels out of the water, when not in use, are being investigated. While the project will be expensive, it has been proved at other units that this action would result in a significant reduction in maintenance cost and life expectancy of vessels.

Need a boat licence? Contact Ken Edwards 0412 320 116

We have recently taken on 9 new recruits, why don't you join them? New members are always welcome. No experience is required, membership and training are free and uniforms are supplied after a qualifying period. Contact Ken Edwards on 0412 320 116.

**Ken Edwards**  
**Unit Commander**

**NETBALL CLUB**  
**Liaison Director: Dennis Hayward**

[www.workersnetball.com.au](http://www.workersnetball.com.au)

Our 2017 season is underway, welcome back to all our returning members and a huge welcome to our new players. Our club has a total of 19 teams altogether which is wonderful.

A special thankyou to all the children who marched in the Anzac Day March for the club on Anzac Day.

**Upcoming dates:**  
**28th May**

Round 7 - Crazy Hair & Sock Day

**1st June**  
Photo Night (TBC)

**12th August**  
Semi Finals

**19th August**  
Finals

**26th August**  
Grand Finals

**22nd October**  
Junior Presentation

**22nd October**  
RWNC AGM

**10th November**  
Senior Presentation

The club is unable to function without volunteers, so a big Thankyou to all those who have put their hands up to help. The committee would like to wish all the teams for 2017 a successful season.

**Goal Ring**  
**Kellie McFarlane**

**PHYSIE AND DANCE**  
**Liaison Director: Dennis Hayward**

Revesby Workers Physie and Dance started the year off with a bang, celebrating their 20 years. An exciting dinner was held at the Revesby Workers Club, with many past and present members attending to help celebrate. The night was filled speeches of memories, physie trivia and a lot of Dancing to finish the night.

The physie year is now well underway and all our girls and ladies have enjoyed learning the 2017 Australian Physie and Dance Associations Syllabus. With Competitions around the corner, everyone is working hard to prepare their routines to perform on stage in early August.

We have welcomed many new faces into a fun and friendly club this year, and its still not to late to give physie a go! First lesson is free for all new members, so why not come and join us at Revesby Workers Physie and Dance.

**Lara**  
**Publicity Officer**

**REVESBY WRITERS**  
**Liaison Director: John Rodwell**

Welcome back to our members, including our new members. Many of the members have been attending the monthly meetings for more than a decade. Writing is a solitary activity, our meetings are a place where you can read your work to people who share your passion for words or your desire just to write about a person or event for your family, your grandchildren. Like several members of

our group, I had always wanted to write a book or have my stories published, several members have achieved this goal. The basic structure of our meetings will remain the same this year. A number of topics for the year have been selected. The majority of our time each meeting is devoted to the members reading their work and/or discussing their reading or their ideas for a new poem, story or book with the group. There is a limit of 750 to 1,000 words for each reading.

At the last meeting an extended period of time was allocated to a topic presented by one of the members and then discussed by all members in depth. It was an interesting variation to our usual ten minute writing task.

The Group meets in the Macarthur Room, 20 Dixon Lane, Revesby, 1pm to 4pm, the first Saturday of each month.

**Neridah Tyler-Perry**  
**President**

**SNOOKER CLUB**  
**Liaison Director: Terry Semlitzky**

**Contacts for Snooker are Kevin Bowerman Sec. Alan McCarthy Pres, Brian Mooney Vice Pres.**

At the Annual General Meeting held in February, the following were elected for the ensuing year: President Michael Smith, Vice President Brian Mooney. Treasurer Kevin Bowerman, Secretary Lisa Brown, Club Captain Jack Garland, Tournament Committee Hamish Woudsma, Stephen Lloyd, Graham Saunders

The club conducts a social game of drawn doubles every Monday in the Sports Bar, names to be submitted by 5.30pm, with prizes for the winners and runners up.

**The following are the results:**  
**30 January**

1st Graeme Saunders, Dewan Chand,  
2nd Hamish Woudsma, George Liu,

**16 January**

1st Iner Boskovski, Bill Tugyi,  
2nd Michael Smith, Paul Katsiolulos.

**23 January**

1st Dewan Chand, Sam Masri,  
2nd Sonny Chan, Joshua Smith

**6 February**

1st Brian Mills, Hamish Woudsma,  
2nd Kin Kwan, Sam Masri

**13 February**

1st Hamish Woudsma, Sam Masri,  
2nd Paul Katsioulos, Peter Baines

**20 February**

1st Malcolm Winter, Peter Macaluso,  
2nd Peter Kallas, Ingrid Winter

## Sports Reports

### 27 February

1st Michael Smith, Sonny Chan,  
2nd Stephen Lloyd, Paul Katsioulos

### 6 March

1st Joe Tugyi, Saad Hanna,  
2nd Brian Mills, Peter Macaluso

### 13 March

1st Paul Katsioulos, Brian Mills,  
2nd Joe Tugyi, Bill Tugyi

**20 March** 1st Sam Masri, Bill Tugyi, 2nd  
Ling Shen, Sonny Chan.

The next meeting will be Thursday 20th  
April, 6pm and 15th June.

There are a number of snooker/billiard  
cues in the snooker cupboard, that are  
not being used. Some of these belong  
to deceased players or players who no  
longer need them. If any relatives wish  
to claim them, they should contact Club  
Secretary, Kevin Bowerman. If they are  
unclaimed they will be auctioned with the  
proceeds going to the Club charity.

### "Screwball"

Terry Semlitzky

### SPEARFISHING CLUB

Liaison Director: Christine Butters

After along time between drinks we have  
finally won the Taylor Shield, defeating the  
South Coast Barracudas. It was a great  
effort to be the groom for a change. Well  
we have had a lot of change this year that  
some old divers are getting confused with  
what's going on. New rules, new ideas,  
new Peak bodies what a dynamic world  
we live in.

The South Coast champs were run,  
unfortunately bad weather before the  
comp turned a lot of people away, there  
was 25 divers down from the 56 from  
last year. Oly and Troy went well coming  
first and runner up in the Veterans, Steve  
Cotteril came third in the Masters and  
Eddie Sherry and Ric Cummings took out  
the Grand Masters. Young Josh Friend  
and his Dad James fished their first comp  
together out of their own boat. First  
comp in the demanding conditions and  
gained a lot of experience.

The first comp of the year was the new  
team boat comp went off well with all  
the divers enjoyed the new concept of  
diving as a team. For those that hung  
around the presso was a great exuberant  
and colourful night, with GC doing the  
best impersonation of Gene Simmons and  
Keith Moon not seen since the 70's.

Next comp will be the combined Taylor  
Shield and FSCC on Sat 22nd April at  
Naroma. Eden follows on the Queens  
Birthday weekend in June.

Keep diving down there

**Brad Montague**  
Publicity Officer RWSC

### SPORT AND REC CENTRE

Liaison Directors:  
Terry Semlitzky / Chris Benham

Sadly, The Fibro will close on Friday, 30th  
June 2917.

The last Darts Game will be held Friday,  
2nd June, but will continue at Revesby  
Sports Club, under the same family  
friendly, format.

The netball courts and cricket nets at  
Panania will be available for use until the  
end of the lease in September 2017.

### "Fibro Fanatics"

### TOASTMASTERS

Liaison Director: Christine Butters

The year is moving quickly again with  
positive results at Revesby Toastmasters,  
we have 5 new members and a positive  
outlook for our future.

The renovations at Revesby Workers' Club  
have transformed the club into an exciting  
and fun place to be. Well done!

Revesby Toastmasters help people  
improve their self-confidence and  
leadership skills, if you find yourself  
speaking more at work or in social groups  
we can help you improve your self-  
confidence. So come and join us

Our club had the honour of hosting the  
International Speech competition on 9th  
April 2017. Thank you to Revesby Workers'  
for your continued support.

We meet every 2nd and 4th Thursday  
of each month. For further information  
please contact Debra Murphy on 0408  
437 624 or via our website:  
[revesby.toastmastersclubs.org](http://revesby.toastmastersclubs.org)

**Martin Stralow**  
President Revesby Toastmasters

# BANKSTOWN STROKE SUPPORT GROUP MEETING

*Have you, or someone you  
care about, had a Stroke?*

**At the meeting you'll have a  
chance to:**

- Meet with others with similar  
experiences
- Participate in group activities,
- Listen to a presentation on  
topics relevant to stroke survivors

**When** Wednesday 24 May  
*Black Dog Institute*

Wednesday 28 June  
*Art Therapy*

**Where** Revesby Workers' Club,  
Waratah Room

**Time** 10.30am - 12.30pm

**Parking** Disabled parking  
available through Tarro  
Avenue Entrance. Drop  
off zone also available.

*Carers and family members  
welcome to attend. Hope to  
see you there!*

**For queries please contact:**  
*Post Acute Rehab Service*  
*Bankstown Hospital*  
**Phone: (02) 9722 8026**



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# Sub Club Snaps

See what some of our Sub Clubs have been up to.

