

Newsletter 12 November 2023

On Tuesday, Glenda and Athol Ward continued the success of Emu Point bowlers away from home, winning the Mt Barker Bethany Melbourne Cup Mixed Pairs. Len Brown also walked away quite happy after winning their Melbourne Cup Sweep.

Success also at the Ladies' Gnowangerup Classic with a team which included our Gwen Anning and Sue Franey finishing third. Round 2 winners were a Kojonup team which included Helen McFarlane and Round 4 winners were our Emu Point team with Izzy Mason, Di Buxton, Helen Penny and skippered by Kaye Blight.



3rd placed team of Leila Mann, Sue Franey, Gwen Anning & Karen Miller

On Tuesday, Ken Luff and Louwrens Smit continued their hot Scroungers form scoring 81 and 78 points respectively, reduced to 77 and 74 after their handicaps were applied. Di Buxton finished third with 71 points.

No team won both games on Thursday, and Wally Mycock and Mike O'Meara combined to have the best score of the day with their 4 + 10. John Stone, Tod Blight and Glen Macaulay finished second with 3 + 7 and Richard Sounness, Gib Trethowan and Max Hawley were third, scoring 3 + 6.

In the Ladies' 1st Division Pennants, EP Red 0/30 lost to Middleton White 4/42 and EP Purple 4/50 defeated Middleton Green 0/37. In 2nd Division, EP Blue came agonisingly close to defeating the unbeaten Cranbrook team, losing by one point on aggregate, 1/39 to 3/40.

The Men's Pennant teams had a day to forget with the 1st and 2nd Division teams all being defeated. EP Red 1/56 lost to the strong Middleton Gold 5/66, EP Purple 0/40 lost to Denmark 6/61 and EP White 0/35 lost to Mt Barker Golf Red 6/88. In 3rd Division, Middleton Lime forfeited to EP Blue after Covid swept through their playing list.

Lists are up the board for the Men's Championship Singles and Ladies' Championship Pairs which are both coming up soon. Those bowlers interested in playing upcoming ILRR events are reminded to add their names to the nomination forms on the notice boards.

Coming events:

- Wed 15 November – Walpole Men's Triples
- Wed/Thurs 15-16 November – Ladies' Championship Fours
- Tues 21 November – Cranbrook Ladies Day
- Wed/Thurs 22-23 November – Ladies Championship Pairs
- Sat/Sun 25-26 November – Ladies ILRR Pairs at Katanning
- Sun 26 November – Men's Championship Singles