

NEWS BOWL

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NOTORIOUSLY SLOW START DITCHES LANE COVE'S PENNANT OPENER

Lane Cove got off to a horror start in their first game of the new season against Warrawee at Warrawee. After 21 ends Lane Cove trailed by 12 shots and marginally improved after 42 ends to trail 30-38. Our intensity, except for one team, then dropped off and after 57 ends trailed by 19 shots and it was time to regroup for next week's round.

Remarkably, **Rohan Marshall** (skip), **Kevin Mulhall** (3rd), **Robert Patterson** (2nd) and **Peter Zucconi** only scored a single point in the first 11 ends, however, fortuitously held their opponents to 11 points. Then, they gathered their “better bowling selves” and crushed the opposition outpointing them by 14 shots to 3 shots to win an exciting match 15-14.

Rex Johnston, **Vic Solway**, **Chris Sinclair** and **Andrew Gordon** played some excellent bowls for the first 11 ends to lead Warrawee 11-10. Unfortunately, from that point the wheels fell off and they were outpointed over the last 10 ends by 7 shots, winning 3 of those ends, to lose the match 20-14.

John Lloyd, **Robert Campbell**, **Stuart Smith** and **Mark Burrough** scored 6 singles in the first 11 ends to trail Warrawee by 3 shots (6-9). It was then Warrawee's turn to up-tempo winning 8 of the last 10 ends to triumph 22-13.

To Lane Cove's credit all teams kept their opposition to low numbers on ends lost however, only won 24 of 63 ends played.

DIVISION 4, SECTION 4 -LANE COVE Results Round 1, 13 August 2022

Team	Lead	Second	Third	Skip	Ends Won	Ends Lost	Pts For	Pts Agn
1	M Burrough	S Smith	R Campbell	J Lloyd	8	13	13	22
2	A Gordon	C Sinclair	V Solway	R Johnston	8	13	14	20
3	P Zucconi	R Patterson	K Mulhall	R Marshall	8	13	15	14

2022-2023 Zone 9 Men's Pennant – Division 4 Section 4 Results Round 1

Club	Shots	Rinks won	Match Points	Rink Points	Points
Warrawee	56	2	2	7	9
defeated					
Lane Cove	42	1	1	0	1

Club	Shots	Rinks won	Match Points	Rink Points	Points
Belrose 3	45	1	1	0	1
Lost to					
Turramurra	60	2	2	7	9

2022-2023 Zone 9 Men's Pennant – Division 4 Section 4 Ladder Round 1

Rank	Club	Played	Won	Lost	Drawn	For	Against	Score diff.	Points
1	Turramurra	1	1	-	-	60	45	15	9
2	Warrawee	1	1	-	-	56	42	14	9
3	Lane Cove	1	-	1	-	42	56	-14	1
4	Belrose 3	1	-	1	-	45	60	-15	1

PENNANT HOME GAME AGAINST TURRAMURRA

Next Saturday, the second round of the Pennant season will see Lane Cove home to Turramurra.

This will be a 'must win' match as Turramurra had a dominant win over Belrose 3 in last week's round. With only four teams competing in each section the likely section winner will lose no more than one round!

There are few changes from last week's team with Julian Barker and Scott Bonthronne returning to John Lloyd's team.

Teams selected are:

Team	Lead	Second	Third	Skip
1	J Barker	S Smith	S Bonthronne	J Lloyd
2	A Gordon	C Sinclair	V Solway	R Johnston
3	P Zucconi	R Patterson	K Mulhall	R Marshall

MAJOR PAIRS 4TH QUARTER FINAL

A seemingly dominant win can sometimes belie the quality of a game and this was the case in the 4th Quarter Final of the Major Pairs where **Bob Patterson** and **John Lloyd** jostled **Andrew Gordon** and **Chris Sinclair** for a position in the semi-finals.

Bob and John led 19-2 after 13 ends with both teams drawing exceptionally well only for Bob and John to continually wrest shots with well weighted bowls. John’s weighted shots were ‘on song’ and numerous times trailed the jack into the ditch for an impossible lie to breach. After 18 ends drinks were called with Bob and John: 25 Andrew and Chris: 6.

It was a dominant performance by Bob and John, however, Andrew and Chris certainly gave them solid “match practice” for their clash with Mal Knight and Scott Bonthron in the 2nd semi-final.

Statistics:

Team	R Patterson: J Lloyd	A Gordon: C Sinclair
Points	25	6
Ends	13	5
1 point end	6	4
2-point end	5	1
4-point end	1	-
5-point end	1	-

There is one quarter final to be played on 17th August:

1 st Q F	Kay Mulhall	G Moon	Versus	Substitute	P Wade
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FINALS BERTH NAILED IN LAST TWO ENDS OF MINOR PAIRS 2ND SEMI-FINAL

It was not until the last two ends that **Stuart Smith** and **Stephen Shortis** managed to book their mat in the final of the Minor Pairs after a hard fought victory against willing opponents **Monica Smith** and **Kay Mulhall**.

After 18 ends of play both teams won 9 ends apiece with Stuart and Stephen ahead on the scoreboard 17-14. A 4 on the next end virtually put the result to bed for Stuart and Stephen and a single on the next end put them in the ‘grand’ final.

Stuart and Stephen will play Glenn Boardman and Peter Zucconi in the final.

Statistics:

Team	S Smith: S Shortis	M Smith: Kay Mulhall
Points	22	14
Ends	11	9
1 point end	4	6
2-point end	4	1
3-point end	2	2
4-point end	1	-



FIVE LANE COVE TEAMS NOMINATE FOR 2022-2023 ZONE 9 RESERVE PAIRS

Nominations have closed for the President’s Reserve Pairs competition which will commence on Sunday 11th September 2022.

Nominated teams are:

Lead	Skip	Lead	Skip
Kay Mulhall	Vic Solway	Matt Lake	Rohan Marshall
Scott Bonthrone	John Lloyd	Kevin Mulhall	Sarah Hobson
Andrew Gordon	Robert Campbell		

**NOMINATIONS ARE NOW OPEN FOR
BOARD OF DIRECTORS (Chairman, Vice Chairman, Treasurer & four
Directors)
NOMINATIONS CLOSE SUNDAY 4TH SEPTEMBER 2022**

BOWLING RESULTS

Wednesday 10 August 2022

Major Pairs –4th Quarter Final

Robert Patterson & John Lloyd 25 defeated Andrew Gordon & Chris Sinclair 6

Minor Pairs –Semi-final

Stuart Smith & Stephen Shortis 22 defeated Monica Smith & Kay Mulhall 14

Social

Harry Fox/Bevan Piper, Ole Hostrup & Rex Johnston 20 defeated David Erskine, Brian Paxton & Greg Moon 16; and

Pat Biddell, Glenn Boardman & Vic Solway 26 defeated Meredith Collum, John Bowring & Kevin Mulhall 12

Saturday 13 August 2022

ZONE 9 Men's Pennant - Division 4 Section 4

Lane Cove 42 (1 point) lost to Warrawee 56 (9 points)

Social

Susan Walder & Graham Screen 20 defeated Ole Hostrup & Maureen Terrey 9; and Marilyn Screen & David Madson 21 defeated David Erskine & John Bowring 14.


BOWLING PROGRAMME (Critical Dates)

Date	Event
20 August	Zone 9 Men's Pennant – 2 nd round
21 August	Major Pairs – Semi- finals completed
21 August	Minor Pairs – Final
28 August	Major Triples – 1 st round completed



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The Bowls Show, Season 7

 **The Bowls Show** is back!! Tune in Sundays from 2.00pm AEST nationwide on 7TWO, with catch ups on 7Plus and Kayo Sports, with replays on Fox Sports Australia every Tuesday at 5.30pm

BIRTHDAYS:



“With mirth and laughter let old wrinkles come
Let my liver rather heat with wine
Than my heart cool with mortifying groans”
The Merchant of Venice: Act 1, Scene 1

Stephen Shortis celebrates his birthday on Friday 19th and top song on the day was Elvis Presley singing *Let Me Be Your Teddy Bear*

Merv Mills turns 96 on Sunday 21st and Paul Whiteman singing *Valencia* was top song all those years ago.

Robert Cartwright and **Lena Manu** were born on the same day and year and celebrate on Sunday 21st where the top song at the time of their births was Kay Kyser and His Orchestra with Harry Babbitt, Julie Conway and the Group with *Jingle Jangle Jingle*

Ron Aitken gets into the swing of his birthday on Tuesday 23rd and when he greeted his world the No. 1 song was *Swing and Sway* with Sammy Kaye with the Kaye Choir.

ON TELEVISION



Horse Racing – Winx Stakes (Randwick)

Rugby League – Rabbitohs vs Panthers

Rugby Union – Shute Shield (Semi-finals)

The Bowls Show – 7TWO



1. What is the hardest gemstone?
2. In which nursery rhyme did the doctor say ‘No more monkeys jumping on the bed!’?
3. In scrabble, what colour are the triple-word score squares?
4. Which tragic Shakespearean king has three daughters?
5. In which Australian state is the Purnululu National Park?

Answers: 1 Diamond. 2 Tom, the piper’s son. 3 Red. 4 King Lear. 5 Western Australia.

THE LANE COVE BOWLO

THE PLACE TO BE ON FRIDAY FOR RAFFLE RAP

16 PRIZES MINIMUM - draw at 6.30pm

Meat trays, wine, gift cards, seafood vouchers and much more



This week's winners - Murray, Michelle & Simon

WORD OF THE WEEK: CREPUSCULAR means "of, relating to, or resembling twilight." It is also used in zoological contexts to describe creatures that are active during twilight, or to the activities of such creatures.

IDIOM OF THE WEEK: Keep a jealous eye on (someone): To maintain an obsessive degree of interest in and possessiveness over a person in one's life.

QUOTE OF THE WEEK: ‘Never confuse a single defeat with a final defeat.’ - F. Scott Fitzgerald

PRINCIPLE OF THE WEEK: Integrity: Acting according to a sense of right and wrong (being strong enough to do what you know is right even when it is difficult).

A WIDE VIEW: “The more successful you are, the more you need to learn and grow.”
- John Donahoe

WICKED WORDS: “Nothing is permanent in this wicked world – not even our troubles.” Charlie Chaplin

A NOVEL NOTE: “If I had done this, if I had said that, in the end you are always more tormented by what you didn’t do than what you did, actions already performed can always be rationalised in time, the neglected deed might have changed the world.” *In a Strange Room* by Damon Galgut

DID YOU KNOW: Before he became president, Abraham Lincoln was an elite wrestling champion. In 300 matches, he only lost one. He was also a licensed bartender.

FUN FACT: Baked beans aren’t baked. They’re stewed.

SHE SAID IT: "People say money is not the key to happiness, but I have always figured if you have enough money, you can have a key made."—Joan Rivers

SHE ALSO SAID IT: "When I was growing up I always wanted to be someone. Now I realize I should have been more specific." —Lily Tomlin

HE SAID IT: "I always cook with wine. Sometimes I even add it to the food." —W.C. Fields

AND FINALLY: "I think God, in creating man, somewhat overestimated his ability."
—Oscar Wilde

Riddle: A smooth ballroom dance; a ball sport; a place to stay; an Asian country-and which tragic girl’s name? (Answer page 14)

AUSSIE DESTINATIONS – Murringo, NSW

Historic village on the South West Slopes of New South Wales.



Murringo's appearance is little changed since its heyday, being described as a small but perfectly formed village. It is the oldest village in the region. Buildings such as its former inns, former convent and former police station remain. Its school building is still in use.

Today Murringo is so small that a visitor could pass through without stopping. It is a remnant of a bygone era with two handsome churches which are a reminder of the deeply religious nature of rural Australia in the nineteenth century.

Location

Murringo is 354 km south-west of Sydney via Goulburn and Yass and 370 km via Bathurst and Cowra.

Population: 365 (2016 census)

Origin of Name

Since the town was laid out by surveyors in 1849 it has been variously known as Meringo, Marringa, Muringo, Murringo, Maringo, Maringa and Marengo. It has been suggested that the origin of the name was a property in the area called Marengo, probably after the famous Napoleonic Battle of Marengo. In 1926 the local post office changed its name and the village became Murringo.

Christ Church Anglican Church



Although it is now a small church beside the main road, back in 1865 Christ Church Anglican Church was in the minds of the local Anglican community. In order to build the church Reverend Soares, the local clergyman, held a tea meeting and raised the staggering sum of £200. That is the equivalent of more than £1 for every town resident. Reverend

Soares designed the church. The foundation stone was laid on 28 March 1866 and the church was consecrated on 7 December 1866. Services now only occur on the second Sunday of each month at 8.00am.

Sacred Heart Roman Catholic Church

Not to be outdone the local Catholic community decided to match the Anglican church and so in 1871 a collection was taken up at Michael O'Connor's hotel. Tea for Anglicans? The local pub for the Catholics? Such was the fund-raising success that in 1874 the foundation stone for the Sacred Heart Catholic Church was laid. Some years later a convent school was attached to the church.



Young

No comprehensive understanding of the goldrush days in New South Wales is complete without a visit to the nearby township of Lambing Flat, now known as Young (the cherry capital).

History

Murringo is important because it is a genuinely historic village where very little has changed over the past century.

* The Murringo area was first settled in 1827. It was one of the first settlements beyond the Blue Mountains.

* The Marengo Station, which was established around 1833, had 21 people working for it by 1840. A survey in that year showed that 43 people were living on three properties. In 1849 a government survey planned a town around Marengo Station. The plans included a cemetery, a market place and a public park but this came to nothing when, in 1860, gold was discovered at Young (known at the time as Lambing Flat) and the population moved. In 1861 there were 128 residents in Murringo. By in 1871 there were only 119.

*In the 1860s, bushrangers used small towns like Murringo as suitable places to hide-out from the troopers who scoured the area trying to stop them. Equally there were gold prospectors - wild men dreaming of making their fortunes - wandering through the area trying to find the next place where nuggets would be easily found. A newspaper article at the time described Murringo as 'a public thoroughfare and rendezvous for horse stealers and bushrangers, being in the very heart of the lawless district'.

* In 1879 a blacksmith's shop was opened in the town and the local police station was built the following year



JOKE OF THE WEEK. Two old men, Ernie and Frank, sit on a park bench feeding pigeons and talking about cricket.

Ernie turns to Frank and asks, "Do you think there's cricket in Heaven?"

Frank thinks about it for a minute and replies, "I dunno."

But let's make a deal -- if I die first, I'll come back and tell you if there's cricket in Heaven, and if you die first, you do the same."

They shake on it and sadly, a few months later, poor Ernie passes on.

Soon afterward, Frank sits in the park feeding the pigeons by himself and hears a voice whisper, "Frank... Frank..."

Frank responds, "Ernie! Is that you?"

"Yes, it is, Frank," whispers Ernie's ghost.

Frank, still amazed, asks, "So, is there cricket in Heaven?"

"Well," says Ernie, "I've got good news and bad news."

"Gimme the good news first," says Frank.

Ernie says, "Well, there is cricket in Heaven."

Frank says, "That's great! What news could be bad enough to ruin that?"

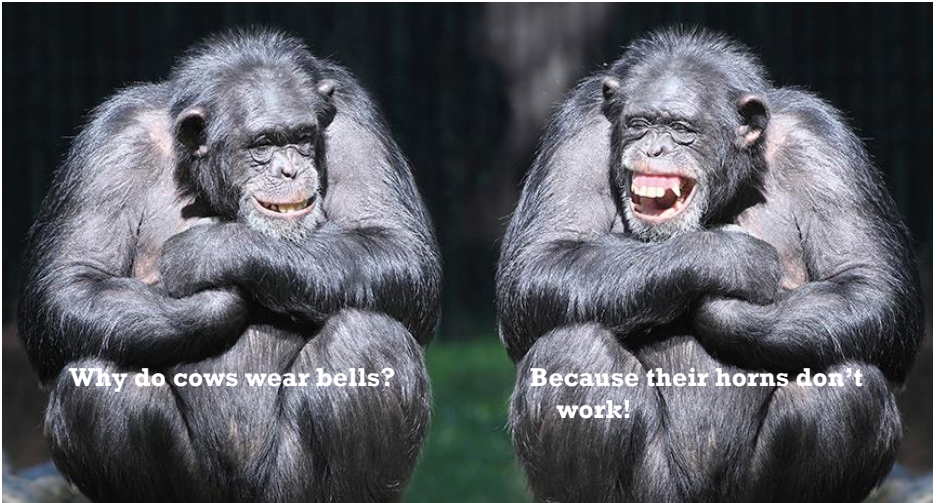
Ernie sighs and whispers, "You're bowling on Friday."

Riddle. Foxtrot; golf; hotel; India; Juliett (NATO phonetic alphabet)

"Drink sir, is a great provoker of three things... nose-painting, sleep and urine"
Macbeth: Act 2, Scene



TICKLES CORNER



Why do cows wear bells?

Because their horns don't work!



“I'd like to help you out. Which way did you come in?”

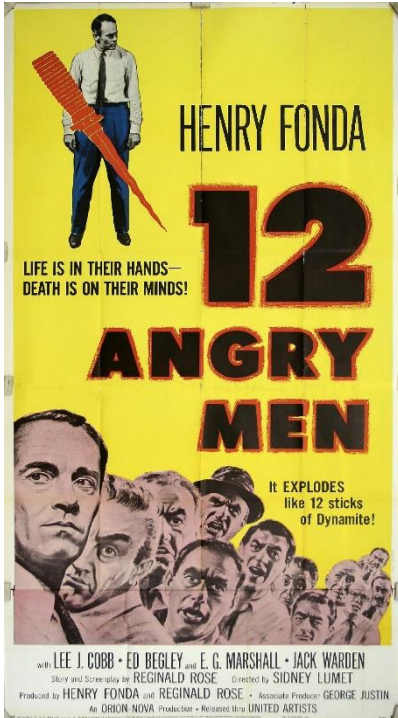
BEST LINE



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12 ANGRY MEN

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12 Angry Men is a behind-closed-doors look at the American legal system. This iconic adaptation of Reginald Rose's teleplay stars Henry Fonda as the dissenting member on a jury of white men ready to pass judgment on a Puerto Rican teenager charged with murdering his father. The result is a saga of epic proportions that plays out over a tense afternoon in one sweltering room.

Juror #8: Let me ask you this: Do you really think the boy'd shout out a thing like that so the whole neighbourhood could hear him? I don't think so - he's much too bright for that.

Juror #10: Bright? He's a common ignorant slob. He don't even speak good English.

Juror #11: [who has a foreign accent] He *doesn't* speak good English.

Starring: Henry Fonda (Juror #8), Lee J. Cobb (Juror #3) Ed Begley (Juror #10) George Voskovic (Juror #11) * **Director:** Sidney Lumet





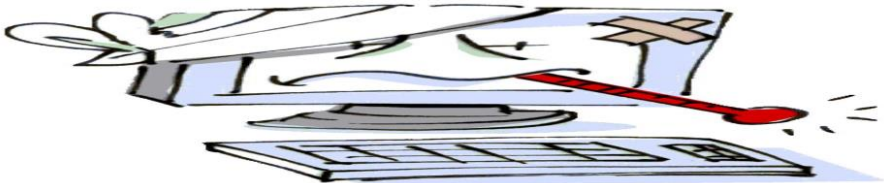
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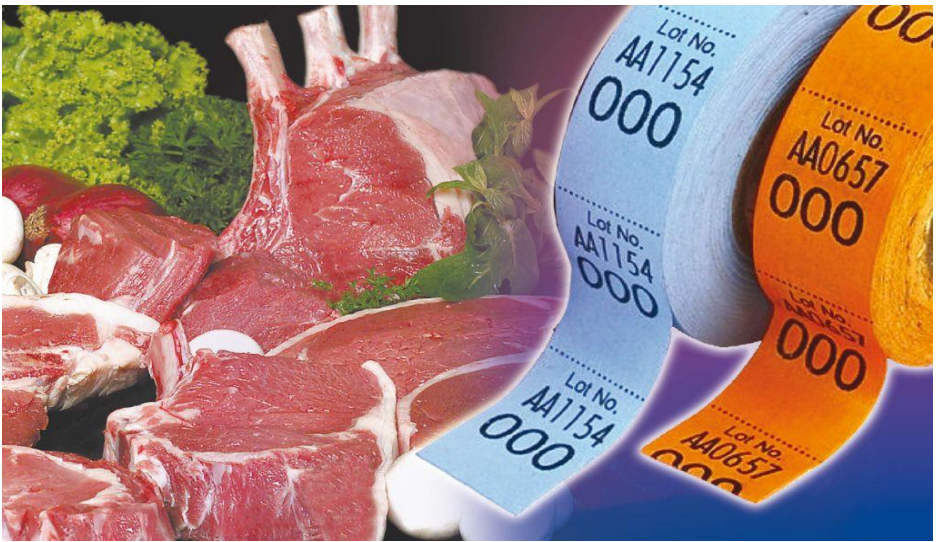
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