

# NEWS BOWL

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## THE WIDE-RANGING INTERESTS OF A SYDNEY SWANS SUPPORTER



Not only is **Harry Fox** an avid supporter of the Sydney Swans he is also a Meerkat aficionado. He is an avid collector of Meerkat memorabilia including statuettes, books, lithographs and other collectables. He is pictured here with a Meerkat mat, a present for his 94<sup>th</sup> birthday late last month.



Quite the character!

The meerkat or suricate is a small mongoose found in southern Africa. It is characterised by a broad head, large eyes, a pointed snout, long legs, a thin tapering tail, and a brindled coat pattern.

The head-and-body length is around 24–35 cm, and the weight is typically between 0.62 and 0.97 kg.



## ROLL BACK THE CLOCK TERM 2

Last Tuesday Lane Cove Bowling Club completed a highly successful Term 2 of Bowls Australia's Roll Back The Clock programme.

Sunnie Deng, a health scientist, from Kieser Australia facilitated the programme with tailored and controlled exercise activities (body) and life style education (mind) on engaging, interactive topics which included, why exercise helps, how to age well, healthy brain, mindfulness, what is the pelvic floor it and how it helps, eating well and moving right.



Enrolments are now been taken for Term 3 starting on Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> July at 2.00PM.

# RAY MORAN CELEBRATES HIS 80TH



## GREETINGS FROM KILKENNY IRELAND

Kay and Kevin Mulhall are making the best of their trip to hometown Kilkenny, Ireland. They forwarded some photographs of their beautiful hometown countryside in Kilkenny and Carlow.

Kay and Kevin are pictured on a 7-kilometre walk along the Barrow River which flows through Counties Kilkenny and Carlow. The River Barrow is considered one of Ireland's most scenic and picturesque inland waterways. At 192 kilometres, it is the second longest river in Ireland, behind the River Shannon. Along with the River Nore and River Suir, the Barrow is one of The Three Sisters.




# POSTCARD FROM CANADA

Hi All

Time for another postcard from Canada, this time from Sauble Beach and waterfalls, a prelude to our visit to Niagara Falls in July.



On the shores of Lake Huron and less than 3 hours from Toronto, Sauble Beach boasts 7km of white sand and is Canada's #1 rated freshwater beach.

We are loving Canada  CA

Hope everyone is enjoying following some of our trip.

Best wishes to you all.

Carole and Glenn

**BOWLING RESULTS**

Wednesday 21 June 2023

**Social**

Ole Hostrup, Jenny Moran & Marko Popovic 23 defeated Maureen Cosby, Brian Paxton & Ray Moran 14;

Pat Singleton, Will Godfrey & Vic Solway 27 defeated Andrew Gordon/Judy Carroll, Deon Van Niekerk & Mal Knight 10;

Greg Moon & David Madson 24 defeated Simon Kinsman & Simon Creedy 17; and

John Bowring & Rex Johnston 31 defeated Maureen Terrey & Stuart Smith 6.

Saturday 24 June 2023

**Social**

Julie Smiles, Deon Van Niekerk & Sarah Hobson 25 defeated Maria Brouggy, John Bowring & Bevan Piper 21;

Judy Carroll, David Erskine & Vic Solway 27 defeated Steve Brouggy, Susan Walder & Stuart Smith 24;

Will Godfrey & John Lloyd 28 defeated Simon Kinsman & Bob Patterson 8;

Maureen Terrey, Marilyn Screen & Greg Scott 23 defeated Jeanette Lloyd, Graham Screen & Rex Johnston 22;

Pat Biddell, Peter Zucconi & Simon Creedy 22 defeated David Lloyd, Greg Moon & Mal Knight 14; and

Maureen Cosby, Robert Balfas & Phil Wade 26 defeated Ole Hostrup, Brian Paxton & David Hillerman 8.

**BOWLING PROGRAMME (Critical Dates)**

Date	Event
01 Jul	State Open Pennant Finals
02 Jul	Major and Minor Singles entries close @ 3.00pm
16 Jul	Major Singles 1 <sup>st</sup> round
23 Jul	Minor Singles 1 <sup>st</sup> round
TBA	Handicap Pairs Final
TBA	Mixed Pairs Final
20 Jul	NSW State Championship (John Lloyd & Scott Bonthron)
03 Oct	City Tattersalls Day

# Tek Doctor

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**“Light Horse” Bowls Carnival – Bingara, NSW (submitted by Greg Scott)**

For those Club Members who enjoy the great outdoors and competing in a friendly bowls competition, the following may be of interest.

Club members are invited to participate in the annual bowls tournament to be held in the country town of Bingara, NSW on 28 and 29 October 2023. This trip is being co-ordinated by Brian Paxton and Greg Scott and any questions about the trip may be directed to either one.

The Saturday competition, being held on 28 October 2023 is a three bowl triples event, open to all bowlers. The entry fee is \$90 per team of three. Five cash prizes will be on offer, with 1<sup>st</sup> prize being \$900. Three games of 16 ends will be played on the day. Lunch is provided and play will commence at 9.30am. Players come from towns surrounding Bingara, including Inverell, Tamworth, Moree and Warialda, so there will be plenty of country hospitality on offer.

The second day’s event, set down for Sunday 29 October 2023 at 9.30am is a three bowl triples Jackpot game with a random draw for partners from those entered. The cost of participation is \$15 per person and breakfast will be provided. Prizes will be determined in accordance with the number of entries received.

Although entries don’t close until 24 October 2023 (or earlier if fully subscribed) we are letting Members know now in order for those interested to plan ahead. There are other things to see in the surrounding areas including the “Hot” Mineral Baths at Moree, Country Music attractions in Tamworth, the amazing horse studs at Murrurundi and the glacial remnants, Sawn Rocks and Mt Kaputar National Park near Narrabri.

Bingara is situated on the banks of the Gwyder River and there will be plenty of opportunities to fish for the abundant cod in the river. Our recent visitor from Bingara, Stuart Dixon has indicated a willingness to host a fishing expedition for those “would be” anglers.

What you need to do if you are interested in participating:

- Get together your team of three to compete in the event. If you don’t have anyone to play with, let us know and we will attempt to match you with others.



**“Light Horse” Bowls Carnival – Bingara, NSW (cont.)**

- Advise either Brian or Greg of your entry and pay \$100 non-refundable deposit to confirm your accommodation (unless you plan to book your own). Accommodation options in Bingara are not plentiful so we need to shore up this aspect of the trip before everything is booked out.

We suggest that you try and organize yourselves to travel with your group in a vehicle in order to share the driving (the trip will take approximately 8 hours with breaks) so you need to plan your trip so as to avoid becoming sleepy at the wheel. There are some other travel options available, including train travel, details of which can be obtained from Brian. For those who don't like the long drive, you can fly to Tamworth. We can discuss travel options from there with you. This should be a fun “long” weekend of social interaction as well as bowls in a great country environment.



**BIRTHDAYS:** ‘When I have a birthday, I take the day off. But when my wife has a birthday, she takes a year or two off.’~ Unknown.



**John Notley** celebrates his 96<sup>th</sup> birthday on Friday 30<sup>th</sup>.

**Ted Collins** has his birthday on Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> July.

**Kevin Mulhall** raises a Guinness or two on Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> July.

**Julian Barker** toasts his milestone birthday on Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> July - the start of his Golden years.

### ON TELEVISION



Horse Racing – Grafton Cup Prelude

AFL – Sydney vs Geelong

Rugby League – Melbourne vs Penrith



1. What was Cathy Freeman's winning time in the 400 metres at the 2000 Olympics?
2. What does the last number on a Medicare card refer to?
3. Why are beach flags coloured red and yellow?
4. Which iconic Australian landmark is the world's largest war memorial?
5. Where was the first Australian Lifesaving Club founded?

**Answers:** 1 49 seconds. 2 The number of times the card has been issued. 3 They're the colours of the maritime flag that means "man overboard". 4 The Great Ocean Road. 5 Bondi Beach (in 1906) .

**Riddle: It belongs to you, but other people use it more than you. What is it?**  
(Answer page 16)



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# THE LANE COVE BOWLO

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## LIVE AND UP-CLOSE AT YOUR CLUB

8.00PM 12<sup>th</sup> July



## AUSSIE DESTINATIONS – Candelo, NSW

Small and historically interesting town with a timeless rustic charm.



Candelo is a rural village south-west of Bega which has been designated an urban conservation area. It is a largely untouched and attractive town with timber buildings and a certain timelessness. Its shady verandas invite a leisurely stroll. It is a town with a languid atmosphere and turn-of-the-century charm.

### Location

Candelo is located 446 km south of Sydney via the Princes Highway, 495 km via Canberra and Queanbeyan, 24 km south-west of Bega and 587 km from Melbourne.

### Origin of Name

No one is sure how Candelo was named but it does share a name with Candelo in Piedmont, Italy. It may have been named after its European namesake.

### **St Peter's Anglican Church**



The most important building in Candelo is St Peter's Anglican Church (1906) which was designed by the Blacket brothers. Edmund Blacket was a prominent ecclesiastical architect who designed a number of churches in the Sydney region and was responsible for the Quadrangle and Great Hall at Sydney University.

### **Candelo Markets**

Although the town is small the Candelo Markets have a reputation as the largest on the far South Coast with over 300 stalls.

### **South East Forest National Park**

Candelo is surrounded by beautiful old forests and clear waterways. In South East Forests National Park you can take bushwalks through old-growth forest, go boulder hopping through the network of waterways, picnic by a creek or take exploratory drives along the forest trails. The Myrtle Mountain Walk is located on Myrtle Mountain. There is an excellent lookout on the road which offers panoramic views over the surrounding countryside.



## History

- \* In the 1830s Candelo became part of the vast South Coast holdings of the Imlay Brothers.
- \* By the 1840s the land had passed to the Walker Brothers.
- \* It was sold to the Twofold Bay Pastoral Association in 1852.
- \* Candelo village developed in the 1860s. It operated as a stopping point for people carting goods through the area from the Monaro and was an important service centre for local farmers.
- \* In recent times it has become a popular haunt for musicians seeking a quiet retreat from the "music scene" in Melbourne.



**JOKE OF THE WEEK.** A New York attorney representing a wealthy art collector called his client and said to him, “Saul, I have some good news and I have some bad news.”

The art collector replied, “I’ve had an awful day; let’s hear the good news first.”

The attorney said, “Well, I met with your wife today, and she informed me that she invested \$5,000 in two pictures that she thinks will bring a minimum of \$15-20 million. I think she could be right.”

Saul replied enthusiastically, “Well done! My wife is a brilliant businesswoman! You’ve just made my day. Now I know I can handle the bad news. What is it?”

The attorney replied, “The pictures are of you with your secretary.”

**Riddle: Your name**



Mabel, I’ve been trying to talk myself to quit drinking.

But Doris! How can you be sure it is not just the wine talking?



## TICKLES CORNER



Spike, never get on the wrong side of a female.

Jangles! I know. They remember stuff that hasn't happened yet!

Billy



“Humans. Do you know good judgement comes from experience and experience? Well, that comes from poor judgement.”

**WORD OF THE WEEK: Selcouth:** strange, wonderful.

**IDIOM OF THE WEEK: The rub of the green:** Good luck, especially in sports.

**QUOTE OF THE WEEK:** ‘The most disturbing thing, I think, with people that do very morally devious things more and more often is to see that they completely feel that they had no choice in the matter.’ - Tamzin Merchant

**WICKED WORDS:** ‘The more cunning a man is, the less he suspects that he will be caught in a simple thing. The more cunning a man is, the simpler the trap he must be caught in.’ - Fyodor Dostoyevsky

**ANOTHER VIEW:** “What people in the world think of you is really none of your business.” — Martha Graham

**A NOVEL NOTE:** “The subjects will eventually recall and understand the purpose of the hard things we have done and plan to do to them. The mission of WICKED is to serve and preserve humanity, no matter the cost. We are, indeed, ‘good’” - The Maze Runner by James Dashner

**DID YOU KNOW:** Allegedly, one of the weirdest laws in Canada is that it is considered illegal to paint a wooden ladder in the province of Alberta. According to the Alberta government's Occupational Health and Safety Code, a person must not paint a wooden ladder.

**FUN FACT:** Wales has the most castles in one country than any other in the world.

**SHE SAID IT:** ‘Facebook just sounds like a drag, in my day seeing pictures of peoples vacations was considered a punishment.’ - Betty White

**SHE ALSO SAID IT:** “Hypocrites get offended by the truth.” ~ Jess C Scott

**HE SAID IT:** ‘Imagination is the beginning of creation. You imagine what you desire, you will what you imagine, and at last, you create what you will.’ ~George Bernard Shaw

**HE ALSO SAID IT:** ‘An alcoholic is someone you don’t like who drinks as much as you do.’ - Dylan Thomas



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*Tickets @ \$2 each on sale from 5.30 p.m.*

*Draw starts at 6.30 p.m.*



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