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SUBIACO PETANQUE CLUB

JULY 2024

Club Calendar

July

Sunday July 07: Corcoran Trophy Triples Saturday July 20: **AGM**

PWA Calendar

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Sunday July 07: Corcoran Trophy Triples at Subiaco Sunday July 14: Winter Triples at MDF Sunday July 28: Dodo Club Doubles at Subiaco

From the President



Hi All, remember a few months ago we were all complaining about the heat?

That's changed a bit and the aircons have all been switched over to heating

Good to get the rain though.

Welcome back Rob who has been of swanning around South Aus. Thank you to

Fran and Marek who took over some of his workload while he was away.

We have recently had a few new members join the club who I am sure have no

idea of the structure of Pétanque in this state so I thought I

would give just a brief rundown.

There are six Pétanque clubs in the state, 5 in the city and one in Safety Bay. These 6 clubs form the league Pétanque W.A. Each club has two representatives on the committee of P.W.A. who are elected by their clubs committee. John Exeter and I are the reps for Subiaco. Pétanque W.A. comes under the governance of Pétanque Australia. P.W.A.s role is to promote Pétanque as a sport, to organise state competitions and to select teams to represent W.A. in national competitions. If anyone would like further details speak to John or myself Don't forget Guys lunch this coming Wed if you haven't got your name down give me a call. July 7th is the Corcoran Trophy so let's see a great turnout of Subi players and make it a great day for all See you on the piste Val

Hot off the Press



June 1st

There was another round of the President's Cup last Saturday. Winners were: 1. Caroline Olefile 2. Judith Bebero 3. Ravin Parianen 4. Joe Corcoran 5. Nick Siciliano 6. Ian Russell-Brown. This Saturday June 8, the club will have social play. There is also social play on Wednesdays. Visitors are most welcome on Saturdays and Wednesdays. Consult the club website petanque-subiaco.com or Facebook pages for details.

June 8th

At a social play day last Saturday, June 8th, club members welcomed Richard and Jane from the Pyrenees Club. Despite an overcast sky, members had an enjoyable rain free afternoon. There will be another round of the President's Cup this Saturday June 15th. There is social play every Wednesday, and visitors are welcome on Saturday's and Wednesday's. Consult the club website petanque-subiaco.com or Facebook Pages for details.

June 15th

Members enjoyed another round of the President's Cup last Saturday June 15th. Winners were. 1. Paul Forden 2. Ray Nynan 3. Mary Willis 4. Joe Corcoran 5. Nick Siciliano and 6equal. Sue Dauth and Rama Sanyasi. This Saturday June 22nd, the club will have social play. There is also social play on Wednesday's. Visitors are most welcome on Saturdays and Wednesdays. Check the clubs web site petanque-subiaco.com or Facebook pages for details.

June 22nd

At a Social Play Day on Saturday June 22, Subiaco Club hosted Transplant Australia, WA, for a practice and training session for the Transplant Games to be held on 1-6 October 2024, in Canberra. Besides Pétanque, other games played outside in glorious, sunny weather, were Chess, Backgammon, Scrabble and Sudoku.

Another round of the President's Cup will be played on Saturday June 29. There is social play every Wednesday and visitors are most welcome on

Saturdays and Wednesdays.

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Around the Pistes



Bayswater Pétanque Club Winter Triples Sunday 16 June 2024

Winner: Kesseven Cadapen, Vickram Ramjuttun & Nuvish Atchamah

2nd Place: Barlen Maurey, Manass Greedharry & Monique Tourneur

3rd Place: Eric Carbonell, Walter Lubtschenko & Gilbert Tourneur

4th Place: Jocelyn Brunet, Charles Jodun & Yves Najar 5th Place: Avinash Ramjuttun, Vivian Lindor & Suren Appadoo

6th Place: Vickram Khadaroo, Prakash Seboruth & Arnaud Virassamy 7th Place: Rama Sanyasi, Dharmendra Nynan & Julieth Bebero 8th Place: Alain Migliore, Jacques Guyonnet & Eddy Salpetrier Consolante Winner: Michael Kieselbach, Rajiv Sanashee & Ravin Parianen Best Ladies team: Helen Bayet, Fayhe Hide & Mary Anne Rath



Q&A

3. At the End of each End.

When does an end finish? An end finishes when all boules and the jack have stopped moving. The next end starts the moment the previous end finished, there is no time gap. Two examples will help:

- The last boule has been thrown and all boules have stopped moving. That end is over; therefore, the next end has started. A moment later the bell goes. So, you finish this new end and play one more end (+ a tie breaker if a draw).

- The last boule has been thrown but hits another boule which is still moving when the bell goes. So that end hasn't finished. Finish that end and play one more end (+ a tie breaker if a draw).

Who measures and awards the points? Contrary to many peoples' belief, measuring is not done by the losing team but by the team who <u>last played</u> that end. One point is scored for every one of the winner's boules that are closer to the jack than their opponent's nearest boule. The other team must stand well clear and not intervene while measuring is taking place. However at least one player should be watching to make sure no boule or jack were moved. This team may then check the measuring, getting an umpire if necessary.



Bon Anniversaire Suren Appadoo 2 Vince Minuta 3 Jane Taylor 15 Walter Lubtschenko 30

Olympic ambitions

A gentle pastime, you say? Well, don't say that to the World Federation of the Sport of Boules. Founded in 1985 by three international boules organisations, the federation has fought for decades to get the game recognised as an Olympic sport. With Paris hosting the 2024 Olympic Games, it would have been a perfect time for this most French of traditions to finally be awarded the status that it craves. Alas, it was not to be, and the Olympic Games Organising Committee declared in 2019 that Pétanque had failed in its bid to become an Olympic event. Instead breakdancing, skateboarding, climbing and surfing will be the new sports on view in Paris in 2024 WHEN I SAID I WAS CLEANING I MEANT I WAS POLISHING OFF TWO BOTTLES OF WINE



IL FAUT SAVOIR LEVER LE PIED !



What's your IQ?







No need to worry. Nick and I have our third for the triples this weekend!



Thanks Marek for operating our Lottery Syndicate. I'm sure a big win is on the horizon. NB: It's time to pay \$60 to him for the next 6 months entries. Don't miss out!

INTERNET SLANGS

I.LOL: laugh out loud 29. GJ: Good job 2.OMG: Oh my God 30.GL: Good luck 3.ILY: I love you 31.gr8: Great LMAO: laughing my a** 32.GTG: Got to go 33.GMV: Got my vote off 5.TTYN: Talk to you never 34.HTH: Hope this helps FBO: Facebook official 35.OT: Off topic 7.TTYS: Talk to you soon 36.PC: Personal computer 8.HMB: Hit me back 37.pls: Please 9.SFW: Safe work work 38.POS: Parent over 10.PTFO: Passed the f*** shoulder out 39.ppl: People 11.ASL:Age/Sex/Location 40.Txt:Text 12.AFAIK: As far as I know 41.BRB: Be Right Back 13.IMHO: In my humble 42.B4N: Bye for Now 43.BCNU: Be seeing you opinion 14.IRL: In real life 44.BFF:Best Friends 15.ISO: In search of Forever 45.CYA: Cover You're A** 16.J/K: Just Kidding 17.L8R: Later 46.TY: Thank you 18.POV: Point of view 47.w/e:Whatever 19.RBTL: Read between 48.W8:Wait the lines 49.XOXO: Hugs and kisses 20.RT: Real time 50.Y:Why SI.YOLO: You only live 21.BTW: By the way 22.CTN: Can't talk now once 23.CYE: Check your email 52.YNt:Why not 24.dl: Download 53.YW:You're welcome 25.ETA: Estimated time of 54.ZZZ: Sleeping arrival 55.MMB: Message me back 26.FWIW: For what it's 56.msg: Message 57.NC: No comment worth 27.FYI: For your 58.noob: Newbie information 59.GMV: Got my vote 28.GG: Good game 60.HTH: Hope this helps www.englishgrammarhere.com

I'm sure you all have come across LOL and ETA but the above is a list of others you may not know, and we don't want the grandchildren to think we are ancient do we? Next time you email them why not add a few in?



Rob Dunlop has been beyond the black stump. Guy has been on a cruise and visited his daughter in Byron Bay. Nick has been to K Mart (twice).

Michel and Beryl are lapping up Andorra after enduring some ordinary weather in France





This week we recycled 804 items for \$80.40. Grand total now: \$5,981.40

Total for June: \$134.50



Saturday 6th July Lorna and John Beamish Saturday 13th July Lida Valkova Saturday 20th July AGM Mary Willis Saturday 27th July Vlasta Thomas





This week's quiz question is to name the nationalities of the players in the picture. Or let's play spot the Australian! Who says it's not an international sport and should it not have been in the Olympics? Anyway, it looks like a fierce competition.

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This email address is also used for any contributions you wish to make to the newsletter, including jokes, Pétanque photos from the archives and mystery photos of yourself or someone close to you from the distant past. Be brave and share.