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Hi everyone

Let me get to the important news first......John Wills is ok after an ambulance was called for him during social bowls on Wednesday. He is now home and will be back on the bowling green very soon. I know many of you were concerned and wanting to know.

New Members

A h-u-g-e welcome to 4 new full members. **Keith Seanard** and **Peter Scholefield** will be joining us from the Blackwood Bowling Club (subject to their clearance) and **Kim Perry** and **Daynor Trigg**. We are delighted you will be joining us. We seem to have a real flurry of new people at the moment with 2 joining us for their first bowls ever at social bowls this week and another new woman coming out for a bowl on Friday. It really is exciting.

Soup Nights

Our first soup night will be on **Friday June 7** and the menu will see you tasting Pumpkin and Carrot, Thai Prawn and Pumpkin, Cockaleechieand Moroccan Lamb and Lentil soup. Thank you to **Roxy Brown, Connie Choy** and **Margie Pointon.** There will be lots of crunchy bread and the soup will be followed by Apple/Apricot or Blueberry Tarts and yes, you guessed it, Golden North ice-cream.



The booking sheet will be on the ledge by the television set and **bookings will close on Wednesday June 4**. Cost this year will **only be \$15** as many of you last year thought the cost was too low. The Bar will be open from 6pm and soup served around 6.30pm. As you know, the funds will go towards our upgrade so we hope lots of you come. There will be a Port Power scarf and some Crows scarves for auction as these have been donated by our sponsor, Silver Fleece.

Facilities

Have you seen our new floor tiles in the hall plus our new tables? The tables are oh so easy to manoeuvre which will be terrific when we have to set them up for bowls. The floor looks fabulous but so different.

Now all of this just doesn't happen without some very hard working members.

The working bee group on Monday demolished the stage, removed all the cupboards and started cleaning out the shed. A b-i-g thank you to Ian Campbell, Dave Thomas, Bob Turville, Bob Swinton, Vince Birt, Brian Purdie and John Binks-Williams. We really do appreciate your commitment.



Our trestle tables are for sale at the low cost of \$10 each. Please let Ian know if you would like one as we need to get rid of them a.s.a.p.

Strategic Plan

We had our first Board meeting on Monday the 20th and welcomed new members **Marilyn Falahey** and **Richard Pledge.** Unfortunately, Barry Hanna was an apology as he is currently in sunny Queensland.

Our major focus was reviewing our Strategic Plan for this year and I'm delighted to let you know that the following Board members will look after a designated Portfolio from the Plan:

- **Governance and Finance:** Ian Williams, Rocco Galluccio and Richard Pledge. We are also assuming Barry will pick this up as well.
- **Facilities** (*Assets and Greens*): Ian Campbell, Dave Thomas and John Bohner Dave Thomas will also pick up the role of Greens Manager.
- Bowls Operations Improvement: John Binks-Williams
- Membership and Recruitment: Marilyn Falahey and Leonie Trimper
- Bob Scholefield will remain as Secretary

The task before the next Board meeting on June 17 is to review and update our Action Plan so we stay on task and continue our amazing journey.

Christmas Dinner

Have you put Saturday December 7 in your diary?

Well the Awards dinner is Friday night......fingers crossed!

Regards *Leoníe*