



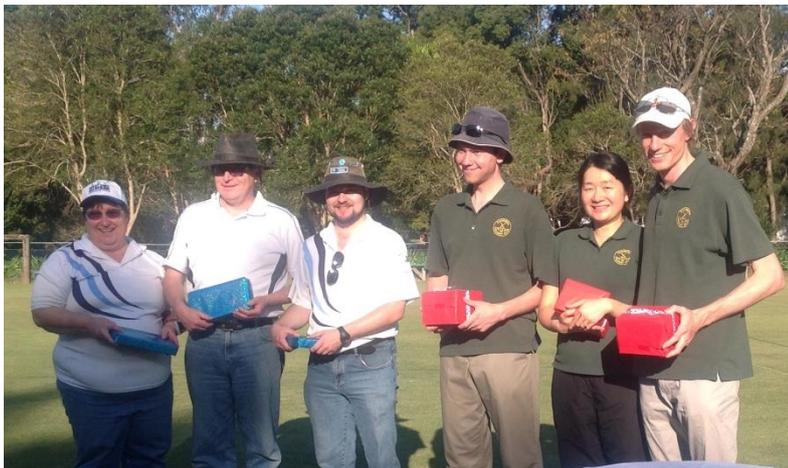
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## June 2015 Newsletter No. 212

### **WILLSHERS CARVE UP THE TRIPLES**

The standard of competition in Gateball tournaments has been steadily improving, as seen at our recent Riverina Gateball championships, and The Willsher family are amongst the best.

Congratulations to Glen, Kristina and Bryan from Canberra for winning the Jamberoo Triples tournament with Josh, David and Jenny from Wagga Wagga finishing in second place.



### **CLUB COMPETITIONS**

David has done a sterling job in organising the Wednesday morning singles competition, which is approximately half way through the matches. A quick look at the results (see notice board) David is also proving tough to beat.

The handicap AC championships are also in full swing with the familiar cry of 'bisque' providing a number of close games.

The club's Gateball Championships will commence shortly.

Check out the notice board to keep up with the progress of each competition.

**COACHING WEEKEND** Claire Bassett, NSW state team member and recent winner of Western Australian singles, will be conducting a number of coaching sessions on the 18<sup>th</sup> & 19<sup>th</sup> July.

- Association Croquet – Saturday from 9.30am
- Golf Croquet – Sunday from 9.30am

This is a great opportunity to receive coaching from one of Australia's top female players. The coaching sessions will be \$10, which includes both days.



### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

**4 August 2015:** NEDCA Opening Day – Wodonga (*see noticeboard for details*)

**17 August 2015:** Golf Croquet Social Day – Albury (*see noticeboard for details*)

**Tumut Friendship day** – we are extending an invitation for Tumut to come and play later in the year, when it is warmer! Will advise specific details and date when they come to hand.

**CANCER COUNCIL BIGGEST MORNING TEA** was very successful and raised \$145.00. The committee has decided future fundraising will go to local charities here in Wagga Wagga.

## **SCHOOLS ROSTER**

The roster for Term 3 for our annual school program;

<b>Date</b>	<b>Assistants</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Assistants</b>
17 July	Ruth Wilson & Nola McRae	21 August	Margaret Priest & Isabel Taber
24 July	Anne McGregor & Lola Westman	28 August	Merran Craft & Wanda Giddings
31 July	David Glastonbury & Eileen Zurbo	4 Sept	Janet Terry & Maureen Doig
7 August	Devina Heine & Wendy Halford	11 Sept	Aileen Munro & Carolle Pratt
14 August	Fran Brown & Jill Burmiester	18 Sept	Peter & Wendy Lloyd

If you are unable to assist on the day it is YOUR responsibility to find a replacement. Please notify Ruth (0450 044 740 or 6933 1704) any changes in the roster to Ruth as she is the primary contact for the school.

**KITCHEN RENOVATIONS** If you haven't been down at the clubhouse in the past few weeks you are in for a big surprise. In a very short timeframe the old kitchen has been removed, re-plumbing has occurred to avoid future mishaps, some gaps have been filled, a couple of coats of paint, and installation of the new kitchen should be completed this week. Many thanks to those who have assisted in this process.

Yes, even the kitchen sink has gone!

**PAINTING OF CLUBHOUSE** Fingers crossed that we are successful in securing a community grant from Wagga Council to assist in painting the clubhouse in similar heritage colours to that of the Robertson Oval stand and our shelter. The last coat of paint was prior to 2000.

**CLEANING ROSTER** If you are unable to clean when rostered please swap with someone else.

June – Margaret Priest & Dorothy Munro

July – Helen Crouch & Jan Barton

**2015/16 ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP FEES** were determined at the AGM and are now due. You have the choice of paying \$80 membership fee and then green fees (\$5) on a pay as you go basis, or \$300 upfront, which covers all play and practice throughout the year.

The \$300 option is great value for regular uses, ie if you play or practice more than once a week, and makes life a little easier for Anne.

Please pay your membership fee promptly to the treasurer. You can also directly pay your membership fees by bank transfer. Please contact Jim via [jim@jimnicholls.com](mailto:jim@jimnicholls.com) for bank details.

**NEXT COMMITTEE MEETING** Saturday, 4 July 2015 at 11.45am at the clubhouse.

**PS.** Big thankyou to Diane Foley who will be taking on the role of secretary. We have a number of people on the executive away over the coming months so there will be some multi-tasking and job sharing to keep everything running smoothly.

