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# **Volunteer of the Month**

The Board agreed that Simon Ketley would receive the "Volunteer of the Month" award this month. Simon has been working with Jayden and running our practice sessions when Jayden is unavailable as well as running Tuesday morning practice sessions and attending Thursday Pennant games as the ladies' coach. Simon is also a member of the Youth Committee and assisted in the 'Come n Try' days in October last year. Simon has also been instrumental at showing guests from our external functions how to bowl and ensuring that their bowling improves, and they have an enjoyable experience.

And he had a birthday this month. And he won the most valuable player award this year.



### **Rink of the Month**

Round 16 Rink winners come from the Thursday ladies' team ... finally. All three ladies' rinks won by 20 or more shots in round 16 but the drink vouchers go to **Silvana Zerella, Denise Andrews, Corrina Min and Vicki Feast** with a winning margin of 28 shots.

### Round 17 Rink

winners were John Chambers, Hong Khoo, Simon Ketley and Rob van Dyk from the Wednesday Div 1 team with a whopping winning margin of 30 shots!!

And the final rink winners for Round 18 were **Gareth Morgan**, **Carol Dean**, **CJ Salter and Terry Dean** from the Wednesday Div 3 team with a winning margin of 27 shots.

### The Bell Saga

All is bell...I mean well. The bell donor is happy.



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## Night Owls

The Finals night was on 21<sup>st</sup> March. The team stumbled along without Sue at the helm. It didn't go completely to plan, but no one noticed. Well, hardly anyone. Grubby was with us on the Raffle as he had chosen to forsake his annual trip to Steaky Bay to fish and punt on the GGGGGGGGGS.



I think this team won Division 1.



Chopper Squad were Runners -up in Premier Division.



And the winners were---grinners!

Then Ken Bruce gave a winner's thankyou speech where he extolled the friendliness and good camaraderie of the Club and encouraged the Night Owlers to consider membership and playing Pennants.



# **Club Championships**

We have a new Men's Club Champion. John Chambers narrowly defeated Guy Uren in a high-quality display which kept the spectators enthralled.



Vicki Feast triumphed in the Ladies final against Linda. Once again, it was a hard fought final.



## **Mary Maitland Challenge**

This was held on Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> March after the Club presentations and a pizza fest put on by the Club.

The organiser standing in for Sue chose the teams poorly and it was a one-sided affair that the Pennant players won convincingly.



Graeme Litster and Terry Dean, both skippers for the Pennant players, proudly hold the winner's trophy. The other two winning skippers had left the building. It was resolved in postgame discussion over a glass of Reilly's Riesling, that representatives from both groups should select the teams and make the draw.

### **Tiger Patrol**

It's not all hard work, but it does continue during the winter months. Trevor made the trifle.

And we are looking for anyone to join us who enjoys good food, wine and company after a hard couple of hours work.



Oh yes, and you must be prepared to enhance your bowling ability in lively conversation.



And we will have curry nights during the Pennant break. Watch this space!



