



## SEPTEMBER 2023 NEWSLETTER

I'll start with an apology. I'm sorry to say I didn't take any photos at our Opening Day. I must have been carried away with the pomp and ceremony and didn't think of it until that night -- far too late!!!

It was a great afternoon with Keith McIntosh raising the flag and Jake Solomon and Gary Hallawell joining in the fun of the day. I don't think they've taken advantage of the generous offer to join for \$150 first year. Keith bowled as though he hadn't been absent for 2+ years. It was great to see him back on the green.

**DAD'S ARMY:** Work is happening on the shelters at the moment – some reinforcing struts have been put in place ready for the corrugated iron to go on the roofs – only one shelter to go.



Weeding and pruning is always happening. The daffodils, camellias, etc have been making a great display.



**BISTRO:** The first month with the new format was a great success on Friday night. There were 20 of us from the bowls club who joined the full house of 150 people. Unfortunately, no one from our group was lucky enough to win the \$1000 but Elva was lucky enough to get a consolation prize.

**BUNNINGS:** Thank you to all those who helped to make our BBQ on August 27<sup>th</sup> such a great success. Bunnings have reduced the area to one tent which makes it quite cramped. I guess we'll get used to it. Our next BBQ is on Sunday, October 1<sup>st</sup>. Please check with Maria if you can be a volunteer.

**BIRTHDAYS and WELL WISHES:** Only two birthdays this month – Doug Keogh and Stuart Kitto. Happy birthday wishes to you both.

Marilyn is back on the bowling green after her hamstring injury. Ellen has recovered from her illness but due to another mishap is without her car – however I'm sure between us all we can look after that problem. Lyndsay has been bowling again so that's good news. Eric has been up to say hello so it's good to see him more mobile again. Here's hoping he'll be back bowling soon. Arthur was called away in an emergency last week – our thoughts are with him.

**SPONSORSHIP:** Julie Cain has taken up the vacant position and will be assisted by Greg Davis and Jan Webb. Thank you to all.

**COACHING:** Coaching with Richard Sanzin began last Thursday and will continue for two more weeks. He kept us working really hard with new skill ideas, so kept us all interested. This session was followed by social bowls, so by the end of the day we were all quite exhausted.

**FUND RAISER:** The Eastwood Golf ladies have invited us, through Julie, to join them in a fund raiser for Breast Cancer on Sunday, October 22<sup>nd</sup>. They are having a **PINK DAY** - trying to make our club a sea of pink – pink clothes, pink bowls, pink balloons, etc.

Non golfers would become bowlers on our greens. At the end of the day there is to be a dinner. The cost of the day is \$10 to play and if you wish to share a table for dinner an extra \$40. We're hoping to put together a hamper of mainly pink things, plus a pot plant (pink) and Eastwood glasses with pink tulle and chocolates.

Come, join in for a day of fun for a good cause.

Eastwood Golf Club  
is again proud to be  
hosting our 2nd annual  
charity event to raise funds  
for Breast Cancer Research

Join us for a fun day  
for a worthy cause

\*\*\* NEW THIS YEAR \*\*\*

**Barefoot  
Bowls**  
for non golfers  
3.30 to 5.00 PM

**THE COST**  
GOLF & DINNER: \$50  
BOWLS & DINNER: \$50  
DINNER ONLY: \$40

22ND OCTOBER 2023

EASTWOOD GOLF CLUB  
CHARITY EVENT

**PINK TEE DAY**

**THE GOLF**  
Open to all golfers with a handicap  
12 noon for a 12.30 shotgun start  
4 person drop-out Ambrose event.  
NTP's and Pro Drive holes

**THINK PINK - WEAR PINK**  
\*\* PRIZES FOR BEST DRESSED TEAM \*\*

To register please book online via the  
time sheet, once you have reserved  
your spot you will receive an email  
with the link to make your payment.

Registered Cancer Council supporter ID 3844131

**CAR PARK RAFFLE:** tickets for the car park raffle are being sold at the moment and the sought after prize will be drawn on Thursday, October 5<sup>th</sup>. There is a second prize of a car detail donated by Alan.

**DIARY DATES:** Coaching – September 7<sup>th</sup>, 14<sup>th</sup> and 21<sup>st</sup>

Bunnings BBQ – Sunday, October 1<sup>st</sup>

PINK DAY-- Sunday, October 22<sup>nd</sup>

Best wishes to all.

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