

SLBC NEWS



14 October 2026

This weekly update is sent to members of the St Lucia Bowling Club. To contribute Club news or general bowls items of interest to Club members, please email them to the Editor, Pamela Miller – pamela.miller1@bigpond.com

ST LUCIA DENTAL BIRDIE TRIPLES 2026



St Lucia Dental Birdie Triples 2026 Results



	Round 1		Round 2		Round 3		Round 4		Round 5		Points	Percentage	Position
	For	Ag	For	Ag	For	Ag	For	Ag	For	Ag			
Koels	24	19	26	21	21	18					6	122.4	1
Plovers	27	11	20	17	18	21					4	132.7	2
Hawks	25	23	17	20	29	19					4	114.5	3
Curlews	23	25	21	26	29	12					2	115.9	4
Owls	19	24	20	15	12	29					2	75.0	5
Lorikeets	11	27	15	20	19	29					0	59.2	6

2 points for a win

OPEN B SINGLES COMPETITION

Two games of the B singles were played on Saturday -

T.Catt 25 P.Kenny 9

N.Sutton 25 C.Hamlin 19

Next week's games are -

A.Flint vs D.Phipps marker G.Legg

P.Bailey vs D.Ng marker N.Sutton

L.Mackay vs T.Catt marker P.Kenny

CONSISTENCY COMPETITION

To be played this week -

M.Miller vs J.Hawley marker S.Enright

P.Bailey vs L.Bradley marker G.Gilbert

C.Francis vs G.Legg marker R.O'Hara

R.Wormwell vs A.Flint marker R.Mortensen

- Darcy Barry, Games Manager

★ *Let's Celebrate the Year!* ★

Annual Presentation Night & Christmas Dinner

Get ready for an evening of awards, celebration, and great food!



Date:

Friday, November 27, 2026



Time:

5:00 PM



FREE Happy Hour!

Kick off the night with drinks on us from **5:00 PM – 6:00 PM.**



Feast: Enjoy a huge **help-yourself smorgasbord** we guarantee you won't leave hungry!



Cost: **\$50 per head.**



RSVP: You must register **ONLINE ONLY** by **Friday, November 20, 2026.**



Payment: Payment is due at the bar prior to the night.
CRITICAL: When paying, ask for a receipt with your name on it to be kept at the bar: this is your entry ticket!



Dietary Needs: If you have any dietary restrictions, please message Bev King on the number below.



Questions? Contact Bev King at **0417 745 448.**

Good Food • Great Company • A Year to Celebrate!

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TRI-SERIES TRIPLES COMPETITION BETWEEN ST LUCIA, CORINDA AND GRACEVILLE BOWLS CLUBS

Selectors will be nominating specific players to play in this event but all SLBC members and their partners are invited to attend to support the St Lucia team and enjoy the hospitality of The Village Yeronga.

A list will be placed on the noticeboard so you can indicate your interest in attending and how many people will accompany you. Drinks, lunch and a tour of The Village Yeronga are included and you can cheer for the St Lucia team in their endeavour to win the event along with the significant prize money attached to the win.

Your support of this initiative is greatly appreciated as The Village Yeronga has been a longtime sponsor of our Club. This is a way we can show our gratitude for their continued support of SLBC.

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TRIPLES

A friendly, free triples tournament,
open to Corinda, Graceville and
St Lucia bowls clubs

Come see our green in action

DATE:
Friday 6 November

TIME:
9.15am for trial ends, play from 9.30am

COST:
Free entry

PRIZES:
Major prize for 1st place
\$1,000 for your club

IT'S AN OPEN EVENT!
Full round robin, with lunch and drinks
to follow.
Come and put your bowls to the test on our
state-of-the-art green, then stick around for
lunch and a look through the clubhouse and
grounds. Whether you take home the trophy
or just a good feed, we reckon you'll want to
come back.

REGISTER:
With your club by
Wednesday 28 October

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- Pam Salway, Bowls Captain

Captain's Corner

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Coming up for the rest of the year :

- **7 OCTOBER – OPEN “B” SINGLES –** Competition commences. Draw is on the website and noticeboard.
 - **23 & 30 OCTOBER 2026 – BDBA SENIOR FOURS –** being played at Windsor. Entries are open via BowlsLink. Entries close 16 Oct.
 - **24 & 31 OCTOBER 2026 – BDBA MEN’S & WOMEN’S SINGLES –** being played at Chermside. Entries are via BowlsLink and close 16 Oct.
 - **26 OCTOBER 2026 – SLBC OPEN PAIRS –** This event is a one-day sponsored by The Village Yeronga.
 - **26 OCTOBER 2026 - SCOTTISH INTERNATIONAL OPEN -** takes place from October 26 to October 29, 2026, at the West Lothian Indoor Bowling Club. Watch the action on YouTube.
 - **6 NOVEMBER 2026 – THE VILLAGE YERONGA TRIPLES DAY -** A Tri Series competition between 3 bowls clubs - Corinda, Graceville and St Lucia, sponsored by The Village Yeronga will be held at The Village Yeronga. An 8 person representative squad will be selected soon to play, but all club members are welcome to attend to enjoy the hospitality of The Village Yeronga. More info later.
 - **7 NOVEMBER 2026 – SLBC’S 2027 CHAMPION OF CLUB PAIRS (MEN AND WOMEN) –** These events will commence on Saturday 7th November. Closing date for nominations is 24 October. Entries are open via BowlsLink. Simply scan the relevant QR code below.
- Scan here for Men


Scan here for Women

- **7-8 NOVEMBER 2026 – BDBA OPEN NOVICE SINGLES –** being played at Enoggera. Entries are open via BowlsLink- entries close 30 October.
 - **9-13 NOVEMBER 2026 - BOWLS PREMIER LEAGUE No 24 -** BPL24 will be held from 9-13 November 2026 at Ocean Grove Bowling Club. It will once again be televised via Bowls Australia’s YouTube Channel and Facebook.
 - **14-21 NOVEMBER 2026 - STATE CHAMPION OF CLUB CHAMPIONS -** will be held at North Mackay Bowls Club (Goosies Sport & Recreation Club) from 14 to 21 November 2026, with the State Pennant Finals following on 28 and 29 November 2026. This year Bowls Queensland have introduced a ‘Zone/State’ play off competition for the winners of Divisions 1, 2 and 3.
 - **27 NOVEMBER 2026 – SLBC’S PRESENTATION NIGHT / CHRISTMAS PARTY –** save the date. Celebrations kick off from 5 pm.
 - **5 DECEMBER 2026 – SLBC’S 2027 CHAMPION OF CLUB FOURS (MEN AND WOMEN) -** These events will commence on Saturday 5 December. Closing date for nominations is 21 November. Entries are open via BowlsLink. Simply scan the relevant QR code.
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- **7-10 DECEMBER 2026 – ULTIMATE BOWLS CHAMPIONSHIPS –** from Deer Park Bowls Club. Watch via YouTube
 - **8-24 JANUARY 2027 - THE AMBASSADOR CRUISE LINE WORLD INDOOR BOWLS CHAMPIONSHIPS -** will take place at Potters Resorts Hopton-on-Sea. Watch on YouTube.

LEARN TO BOWL PROGRAM – OCTOBER 2026

Why not invite a friend, neighbour or family member along to give bowls a go?

There's still time to join our Learn to Bowl Program, and it's a great opportunity for members to introduce someone they know to the fun of lawn bowls.

Perhaps you know a friend who is curious about bowls, a neighbour seeking a new activity or a family member who would enjoy being outdoors, meeting people and taking part in friendly competition. No experience or special equipment is needed. Our friendly coaching team provides everything new players need and helps them get started in a relaxed, welcoming environment.

Who knows where a simple invitation might lead? What starts with "Why don't you come along and give bowls a try?" could become a new hobby, a chance to make new friends and perhaps even the start of becoming part of our wider Club community.

Members – Who could you invite? Two sessions remain so there's still time to bring someone along to give bowls a go!

To register, please contact Vaughan Thomas on mobile 0419 475 763 or email vpthomas100@gmail.com

- Vaughan Thomas