

ATBSO of ACT

News Letter

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BBQ Funds Finalisation

This year the individual earnings for people that volunteered for the BBQ's over the last 12 months will be finalised at the end of May for the Campbelltown National competitions. Any BBQ volunteering after May will be credited towards the 2023 National games. Any person that volunteered at the BBQ's but did not make the 2022 State team, the earnings will be rolled over to 2023.

Hello 2022 – Welcome Back everyone

Hi all, I would like to welcome everybody back for 2022. We have been quiet regarding the News Letter, but we managed to put one together as our first for 2022. I would also like to welcome all the new members that recently joined our organisation, welcome to all.

Starting off the year we had our first tournament in January. The oil pattern for the tournament was challenging but not for our new member Dan McCabe. Dan won his first Open division with us with an average of 207, Janet Baker not far behind with a 205 average for the tournament, the third place went to Andrew Campbell with 199. Robbie Douglas scored a nice high game of 251, Janet Baker 245 and Dan McCabe with a 237.

For the graded mens, Peter Abbey shot a 235 handicap average and taking out first place.

Daniel Carmody snapping at his heels with 220 handicap average in second place and Keith Robinson 212 handicap average in third.

Daniel Carmody had nice high games of 250 and 264 respectively, Mick Kennedy 212 and Steve Williams 205.

The graded ladies sees Ellinor Sayer with 197 handicap average taking the first spot, Deb Staier 196 handicap average in with second place and Tina Hohmuth coming not far behind them with a 191 handicap average. Tina bowled nice high game 201 and Deb Staier 186.

Congratulations to all.

Rules and Regulations

In January the rules and regs committee met to solve some issues regarding changes to some rules. There are four things that were discussed:

1. That the classic division be men only for 2022 with 6 players per team. This is to be Reviewed in 2022 with a view to checking on numbers of female bowlers in each state/territory available to fill all teams. This decision was endorsed by the National Board for 2022 and will be reviewed after the challenge by the incoming board.
2. That the scheduling be change to the following order Classic, Restricted then Open as it would open up more lanes for the Restricted bowlers to get their Squads done before the Challenge. This motion was defeated so the motion did not pass, which means restricted will bowl their squads on Friday and Saturday.
3. For NT-Darwin bowlers only: To work out entering averages for Nationals and Challenges that we use their previous years averages along with their All Events totals to give them a current average. This is because there is no bowling centre in Darwin any more.
4. It is recommended that we use highest average of either Roll Offs or National Averages as at 31st May . The board endorses this motion

ATBSO of ACT Team Trials

This Year, our State Teams roll offs that were held in March had very strong contenders for the spots in the State Team. We had a host of new and returning bowlers in all divisions and congratulations to all who participated in the two day event. The Roll Offs were very competitive.

For the Open Men's Masters winner, Congratulations goes to Robert Mason

Open Women Masters Congratulations to Lee Auld

Classic Men's Masters winner goes to Damian McFarlane

Unfortunately there is no Classic Women's Masters this year.

Restricted Men's Masters winner congratulations goes to Barry Harney

Restricted Women's Masters congratulations goes to Irene Lim.

There was a lot of nice games shot during the roll offs and too many to list. However, I would like to mention that Robert Mason shot the highest game of 279 and finishing with a 227 average over the two days. Andrew Campbell also did well finishing with a 220 average over the two days.

I would like to thank Rob. Lee. and John for the great job they done in organizing the event.

ATBSO of ACT 2022 National Team Members

Please congratulate our 2022 Team Members:

Open Mens Team	Open Ladies Team	Classic Mens Team
Robert Mason	Lee Auld	Paul Logan
Andrew Campbell	Jenny Burton-Douglas	Damian MacFarlane
Robbie Douglas	Janet Baker	Steve Holm
Phil Marshall	Angie Campbell	Steve Williams
Craig Sproule	Tina Hohmuth	Steve Ritchie
Jamie Kennedy	Angella Fan	Craig Sproule

Mens Restricted Team	Ladies Restricted Team
Peter Abbey	Sandra Cusack
Mick Kennedy	Lorraine Peisley
Barry Harney	Irene Lim
Kieth Piper	Ellinor Sayer
Keith Abram	Tess Dyer
Noel Kelly	Corrina Logan

The 2022 classic division will consist of 6 male competitors. Thereafter, the classic division will be subject to review at least annually or as required as per Rule 2 of the ATBSO Rules and Regulations 2022.

I just want to remind every body that the Challenge shirts handed last year are not to be worn until the challenge is on in Sydney, even then they are only to be worn on the 3 days of Team Challenge and not before. The Restricted Masters will be bowled on Saturday afternoon about 1-30pm.

Anybody wishing to bowl in masters must have completed all events.

Any body wishing to go to the dinner on the last night of the open challenge which is the Monday 5th September please let Lee Auld know the numbers within the next two weeks. This is so we start finalising the accounts.

We will find out cost of the dinner this week however the dinner will be no more than \$75.00.

Please be aware when challenge is on we do not supply lunch, each individual member is responsible for their own lunch.

The lanes will be oiled after the 4 game in the challenge so there will be a break of about 1 hour. This will give you time to have lunch.

If there is anything else that you wish to know, please feel free to contact me

Regards

Richard Makins

President ATBSO of ACT inc.

ATBSO of ACT Committee

The Committee met last Tuesday night and we believe it is about time that ATBSO of ACT had its own website.

Albin is looking at setting it up at the moment. The website hosting fees will be covered/offset by the fees incurred by the post office box that was cancelled early this year. The reason for cancelling the PO Box is because we do not receive any letters at all, maybe once per year from the ACT government. We will trial the website for the next 3 years to decide whether or not to continue. This would also mean that we have our own domain name where we can setup email addresses for the President, Vice President Treasurer and the Tournament director and also not to mention the secretary as well.

During the course of the meeting, it was decided that since Harvey Norman BBQ's have not been profitable, that we cancel all the activities at Harvey Norman Fyshwick.

In the Last 8 months, we have been offered fund raising activities at Bunnings in Gungahlin and occasionally in Tuggeranong, these BBQ activities have been very lucrative where on average we are raising \$1000.00 in profits. This is also due to the Square device for eftpos capabilities.

All of the Bunnings BBQ's have been organised by Steve Williams and a big thank you goes to you Steve.

Steve has offered to continue to organise the Bunnings BBQ's which entails submitting documentation to Bunnings and also sending the details of sales at the end of each event.

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Direct Deposit

Members are encouraged to use electronic transfers for either payments for the National Games costs or for local Tournaments and or annual membership fees.

Upcoming Events

ATBSO of ACT Tournaments

- **10 APRIL 2022 – April Singles**

This is an 8-game event
TBA Sanctioned
Check-in time 09:00 am
Bowling starts at 09:30 AM
Cost \$70.00
Venue: Zone Tuggeranong

Bunnings BBQ

- **Bunnings Tuggeranong BBQ**

Saturday 9th April 2022
2 shifts of 5 people per shift
Shift 1 start at 8:00 am
Shift 2 starts at 12:00 noon

- **Bunnings Gungahlin BBQ**

Sunday 1st May 2022
2 shifts of 5 people per shift
Shift 1 start at 8:00 am
Shift 2 starts at 12:00 noon

Banking Details for Direct Deposit

Direct Deposit to:

Bank: Commonwealth Bank of Australia

BSB Number: 062909

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