## **Cascade Hotel Wednesday Barefoot Bowls**

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Barefoot bowls, in our context, is social bowls where players with varied levels of experience play in teams to enjoy the sport and the company, to develop their bowls skills, and, above all, to HAVE FUN.

On Wednesday evenings self-selected teams play in organised rosters competing to win their evening game, and aspiring to head the premiership ladder. Many Barefooters and teams have been enjoying these evenings for years...

## <u>How we operate</u>..

The season runs during the Daylight Saving period from mid-October to around the end of March.

Teams are rostered for matches on Wednesdays at 1730 for 1800 start of play.

The Bar is open for the evening. A Sausage Sizzle Snack is provided from 1820 by Club Volunteers.

Results are announced in the bar after the game, with prizes awarded. (Prize-winners are re-drawn where `winners' are not present.)

**The Cascade Hotel, 22 Cascade Rd, South Hobart** is again our **Generous Sponsor** for the season. For our raffle, **The Cascade Hotel** provides –

- First Prize A Dining Voucher on **The Cascade Hotel**, to the value of \$25.00.
- Second Prize A Magnum of Wine.

Result Reports and Ladders are provided in links on the *Barefoot* page of the Club's website <u>https://sandybay.bowls.com.au/homepage-2/competition/</u> and are published in The Mercury.

## THE RULES

- 1. FUN. We are here to enjoy ourselves and play so that we ALL HAVE FUN.
- 2. There are two divisions.
- 3. If the lead rolls the jack into the ditch, out of bounds or short (less than 21 metres), the opposing skip places the jack, and the mat may be moved.
- 4. Each game consists of 10 ends. There are no dead ends. If the jack knocked out of bounds, the jack is replaced on the 2-metre mark (the Spot).
- 5. The evening's winning teams in each division go into a random draw for the Division Winner's Prize. The evening's 'runners up' teams in each division go into a random draw for the Division Consolation Prize.
- 6. Payment of \$40 per team is due before play commences. This covers green fees, borrowed bowls (if required), a sausage sizzle, an entry in the weekly raffle and Club overheads.
- 7. All players must play barefoot or wear flat soled shoes (no heels or treads).
- 8. With the exception of Saturday Division 7 or Thursday Division 5 pennant players, Club Pennant players are not permitted to skip or play 3. They must either lead or play 2.
- 9. Coaching can be arranged. Just ask.
- 10.If there are byes, Bye teams should still turn up and act as substitutes if needed and enjoy a free sausage sizzle.