

Southbroom Bowling Club Newsletter August 2025

- 1) Many thanks to Jean Bailey and Don Bailey from Expand A Sign for donating two new windsocks.
- 2) Welcome to new full members Clinton and Tracey Marais, Wayne and Kate Gower, Kobus and Monica Kruger, Hilary Henderson and Piet Klue. Craig McDougall was admitted as a social member, and Jill Webster, Michelle Rathbone and Bev Acquisto have moved from full to social.

Resignations were received from Mo and Fawzia Karani, Wayne and Brent Addison, Juanita Fourie, Kym Pollard and Barbara Marx.

- 3) News on the club's lease renewal application: the RNM is to visit the club on 11th September when we can present our case for a sensible amount of lease payment. Fingers crossed.
- 4) Good luck to all our players in the Lower South Coast 2-4-2 which takes place from 25th to 29th August, and in the upcoming KBA Men's and Ladies' Pairs. Please note that the green will not be available any morning during the 2-4-2, but that tabs will proceed as normal.
- 5) EARLY NOTICE: With effect from Monday 1st September, tabs will commence 30 minutes later. I'll Whatsapp reminders.
- 6) For your diaries – forthcoming social events:
A Music Bingo afternoon will be held on 21st September
The Oktoberfest will take place on 5th October and has already attracted several food and beverage providers, plus entertainment from The Gentry. A sound system will be borrowed for background music; and a marquee will be considered. Please spread the word.
A wine-tasting from Weltevrede will take place on 22nd October including a talk by winemaker Steyn.
A champagne and oysters-type evening is scheduled for 12 February 2026.
4th and an hour on Sunday 5th.
- 7) The KBA is hosting a marker's course in October at a venue to be determined. It's worth doing: all day Saturday 4th and an hour on Sunday 5th.
- 8) Upcoming events:

Thursday 21 st August	Hibiscus Brokers SuperTrips
Monday 25 th – Friday 29 th Aug	LSC 2-4-2
Friday 29 th August	Sheryl Schilz ReMax Chicken & Egg
Sunday 31 st August	Bowls 'n' braai
Monday 1 st – Friday 5 th September	Blue Coats at Scottburgh
Thursday 4 th September	Wolf Security Open Fours
Saturday 6 th /Sunday 7 th September	KBA Men's and Ladies' Pairs
Saturday 13 th September	KBA Pairs' Finals
Tuesday 16 th September	Coffee on the Square Open trips
Friday 19 th September	JL Panelbeaters' Men's Fours
Sat 20 th to Tues 23 rd	BSA U35 Districts
Thursday 25 th September	Hibiscus Brokers SuperTrips
Friday 26 th September	Sheryl Schilz ReMax Chicken & Egg
Friday 26 th September	Annual General Meeting
Sat/Sun 27 th /28 th September	KBA Champion of Champions
Sun 28 th September	Bowls 'n' braai

The green will then be closed for spring treatment:

hollow-tining

ditch-board resetting

levelling

composting

fertilizing

top-dressing

and if there's time, refilling the sand bags around the perimeter.

We hope to reopen in time for the SuperTrips comp on 30th October.