



**Maleny District Sport
& Recreation Club**

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Sports Results for 7th April, 2009

Witta Touch Football finals “washed out”

Unfortunately, the end of season senior finals which were to be played on April 3rd at the Witta Sports Ground had to be cancelled due to the amount of water lying around on the fields after the big downpours during the week.

Although naturally disappointing for the players and families,



*A very wet and muddy
“public area”*

the Precinct within the new sporting complex, players and the club can look forward to a time when the extra fields will enable all weather playing options for their teams.

More information will be advised once the committee has decided on what

action will be taken in regards the re-playing of the finals when the weather improves.

For up to date information keep an eye on www.mdsarcinc.com

Sports Results Deadline

Sports results should be forwarded to Gail Denver by email no later than the following Monday night.

Email address is gail@mavmuse.com

Photos are welcome and can be attached as attachments in jpg format.

Any special events or messages for teams for the coming week can also be forwarded and will be included in the newsletter .

*Club website:
www.mdsarcinc.com*

safety is always paramount on game nights; there are health and safety issues regarding the ambulance access when the fields and approaches are so wet and become inaccessible. (Photo right shows water wasteland)

Poor drainage has been an ongoing problem for the Witta Recreational Club for many years and the committee has put a lot of work into successfully securing Council funding to tackle the issue.

With more playing fields planned for



The grounds more suitable to “Bog Snorkelling” than “Touch Football”

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Maleny Soccer Club Results for games played last week!

On Friday night the Maleny Womens Soccer team played host to Maroochydore on what was a wet and miserable night. After all the rain that had fallen the Maleny field was in very good condition.

Maroochydore were a very young side and extremely fast and well drilled. They were able to use this to their advantage and create numerous scoring opportunities. To the credit of the Maleny girls the more the match when on the more determined they became. New girl Haley Canton has added a lot of enthusiasm to the team. The team desperately misses their regular Goal keeper Kate Woolston who is recovering from injury.

Saturday 4th April

Under 11 girls played host to Maroochydore. The field was wet and slow but this did not stop them from going straight on the attack. Play went from one end to the other for the first 15 minutes until Afrikah

McGladigan broke through and with here speed was able to outrun the opposition and put it in the back of the net.

This goal fired up the Maleny girls who continued to attack the Maroochydore goal for the remainder of the match. Two more goals were scored by Maleny with the final score being 3-0. It was a big im-

provement from their previous game. They were well supported by a large group of enthusiastic and vocal parents. Special mention for Afrikah, Bella & Katya who had very strong games.

Under 15 boys suffered their first defeat of the season against a very well drilled Beegees side at Maleny. Beegees used a short passing game to run us off our feet.

With the ground heavy from five inches of rain it soon took its toll and without the Goalkeeping wizardry of James Haydock they would have been down by at least 5 goals at half time.

Beegees led 1-0 for most of the first half but a freakish goal from Declan Wright saw us equalise before the break. As the second half wore on holes appeared in the Maleny defense and Beegees skipped away to a 3-1 lead. A late penalt goal to Adam Brown saw the final score 3-2 to Beegees. The loss will be a good lesson for the boys in how to play wet weather football. A great game by James Haydock in goals.

The fact that the only games played on the Sunshine Coast on Saturday were played in Maleny showed how lucky we are to have the facility we have.



Trivia

Did you know that more people die in N.Z. every year playing Lawn Bowls than Scuba Diving

Your Web Site

Remember this is your web site. We are happy to maintain this site and the sports results news.

We can only do that thought if we get your sports results in time to put this together and get it onto the web site.

Photos add to the results and we would like to add them to the story and results.

Help us to help get this information out to our community.

Trivia

Q. T or F - The ball used in XXXX Gold Beach Cricket is made of cork?

A. False

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Wtta Tennis Club

Witta Wasps were at home against the Eumundi Egrets. The team of Margaret, T, Marta and Maree tried hard but were not strong enough on the day. Our star partnership of Margaret Golledge and T. Smith helped us towards winning 22 to 42 games.

The Witta Hitters had a bye.

The Friday teams were all washed out. At the end of the first round, the Whistlers are in 1st place and the Kestrels are in 3rd position in their respective divisions.

Social tennis will be on over Easter weather permitting.

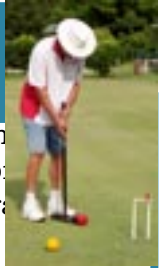
On Sunday 19th April at 9:00 am at the Old Witta School there will be a fund raiser for the club.

There will be jewellery, hand bags, sun glasses etc available for purchase/ordering.

This will be a fun morning and hope that you will be able to attend as a percentage of the takings on the day will go directly to the club.

RSVP is essential. Contact Claire for more information 5494 4055.

Range Croquet Club Maleny Results



At last the Pennant season has begun. Both Range Club teams travelled to Nambour to contest the Lochwood Shield (Divisions 1 & 2) and Bray Shield (Divisions 3 & 4).

In the Lochwood Shield Des Staier (Nambour) 26 beat Val Carbery 7, but John McCarthy 24 fought back to beat Shirley Czislowski (Nambour) 18. In the doubles Vince Carbery and John McCarthy 23 held out Shirley and Des 21, giving us a 2-1 match victory.

The Bray Shield result was less encouraging. Bettine Smith (Nambour) 26 downed Fay Mestrovic 23, after Fay had led, but lost the initiative after a freak mishap left her with only one ball to play. With consistent play studded with brilliant bursts (including a break of 10) Grace Gilby (Nambour) 26 trounced a hapless Kath Smith 3. Kath showed more of her true form in the doubles, when she and Fay just succumbed to the Nambour pair, losing 21 -23.

Nambour defeated Range 3-0.

Further Pennant matches are scheduled for the 15th and 30th of this month, and the season ends on June 30.

For information about croquet, ring Vince Carbery (5494 2193) or Kath Smith (5499 9101).

Rotary - New Community awards

Vocational Service is one of the many positive aspects of Rotary, and giving recognition to people in business and employment who provide service beyond the call of duty is one of the ways Rotary can serve the community. The Rotary Club of Maleny is seeking nominees in two new award categories:

Outstanding young people

To have received a Rotary award is an especially worthy addition for young people to have on their resumes and we urge everyone to take the time to nominate someone you know who deserves recognition.

Horticultural enterprises

On the Range we also have a unique opportunity to recognise the achievements of entrepreneurs in horti-

culture who came after the timber and dairy industries had matured, and pioneered other new enterprises.

Pioneering takes courage and fortitude and the ability to test and innovate in order to establish and grow. With many farms being subdivided over the years there is a range of horticultural blocks growing blueberries, parsley, florist fill, coffee, and many other crops.

The Maleny Rotary Club would love to hear about some of them!

See an application form attached to the end of this newsletter.

For further information email sherryw@bigpond.com

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Swimming Club expands committee

The Maleny Swimming Club had an extremely successful Presentation Day with swimmers receiving medals and trophies presented by Club Patron, Mike Katsaras. Leisa Solomon, Carnival Secretary, highlighted the fact that many Club and Pool records had been broken this year by our swimmers.

Following a family BBQ organised by Catering Convenor, Gunnar Jonsson, the Club held its AGM.

The Election of Office Bearers was conducted by newly elected Glass House member, Andrew Powell.

The meeting appointed Steve Weyman as a Life Member of the Club.

Annual reports from President, Theresa Campbell, Treasurer, - Robyn Graham, and Registrar, - Kim Easton outlined the healthy position the Club now finds itself.

This is partly due to the Sunshine Coast Regional Council at last providing some funding assistance in the way of a coaching subsidy and also the tremendous support from the swimming club receives from the local community.

The meeting finished with an extensive report from Max Whitten representing the Maleny & District Sport & Rec Club on the progress made over the past 12 months in moving forward with sporting facilities and a new aquatic centre

on the Maleny Precinct. The Swimming Club is now waiting on Council's response to the MDSRC's planning submission for the Maleny Precinct which the Swimming Club hopes will eventuate in leases being granted for the various sporting clubs to begin work on the master plan.

Office Bearers for the coming swimming season are:

President	Theresa Campbell
Vice President	Joyce Newton
Secretary	Maree Hooley
Treasurer	Robyn Graham
Registrar	Kim Easton
Catering Convenor	Gunnar Jonsson
Carnival Secretary	Linda Graham
Asst Carnival Secretary	Ken Graham
Club Night Secretary	Gary Ricks
Asst Club Night Secretary	Kate Lanphier
Maintenance Officer	Steve Weyman
Parent Liaison Officer	Donna Hayes
Publicity Officer	Danielle Eather

Photo Below: Front - Theresa Campbell, Linda Graham
Middle - Danielle Eather, Donna Hayes, Maree Hooley, Robyn Graham
Back - Steve Weyman, Joyce Newton, Gunnar Jonsson, Kim Easton



Trivia

Q. Martin Crowe was Test Player No what for N.Z.

A. 160

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Maleny Bowls Club Results

Friday's Social Bowls and the first round of the Men's "A" Singles on Saturday couldn't be played because of the recent deluge of rain. Our green-keeper probably won't be able to work on the green so both Tuesday's Jackpot Pairs/Triples and Wednesday's Live Life Villages sponsored Day are in doubt at time of writing.

Last Tuesday's winners were Peter Duffy and John Lewis with two wins plus 11. Peter and John were, in fact, the only players to record two wins---quite unusual.

The Touchers went to Tony Turner, Helen Caulley and Norma Nuttall-Smith and the raffle was won by Bob Wilson whom I was unable to contact so we still owe you a prize, Bob.

The Jackpot wasn't won so will be worth just over \$100 this week.

None of the Sponsors' Prize winners were present on Friday evening. Winners would have been: Brian Emmerton for IGA now worth \$200 this week, Sheila Jollow for the Full Monte, Jim Cossins for Beechwood Bakehouse and Jeanette Brown for Live Life Villages now worth \$80 this week.

Our Ladies President, Helga Falcongren, organised a basket of delicious Easter Eggs for the raffle on Friday

and then had the good fortune to win it.

Lucky you, Helga.

Depending on the weather, there was to be Ladies singles on Monday--highly unlikely, Jackpot Pairs/Triples Tuesday and the Live Life Villages Day on Wednesday but all three of these events must be in grave doubt.

Thursday there was to be the second round of Ladies Pairs and Social Bowls in the afternoon.

Because we are closed over the Easter Break, we usually have Social Bowls and the Sponsors' Draws on Thursday so try and get to the Club on Thursday evening if only for the draws as the likelihood of Bowls appears very slim.

The 16 players in the Men's "A" Singles are asked to play their matches prior to Saturday, April 18th, but use your discretion ---- you are not expected to play Championship Singles on a heavy, unprepared green.

Finally, have a great Easter---I hope the Bunny brings you all the eggs you deserve and hopefully, we can look forward to some decent Autumn weather for the remainder of April and May.

MALENY/WITTA TOUCH FOOTBALL Grand Final Notice

The Committee wishes to advise that the Grand Final will now be held at Witta on Friday, 17th April. B,C and D Grade Grand Finals will be held concurrently at 6pm with the A Grade Final to be held at 7pm on Field One.

Water wings supplied free.

Play only if you are able to tread water for at least 50 minutes.

See Rod Wild! See you there.

Your Sports Club Results

If your club or organisation is an associate member of the Maleny District Sports and Recreation Club Inc then you can publicise your club results in this, your own internet web site.

Let the whole world see just what is happening in your part of it.

Email information and relevant photos to: gail@mavmuse.com

no later than the following Monday night and she will organise the rest. The site will be upgraded Tuesday morning.

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