

Seal Speak



Results

Lawn Bowls

Best dressed: Kristie in her all white, with plaits and fashionable hat (in the picture, far right.)

Winning team: Mel (women's team) and her partner Ryan

Winners of novelty events: Lisa (women's goalie) and Ryan (Mel's partner)

Water Polo

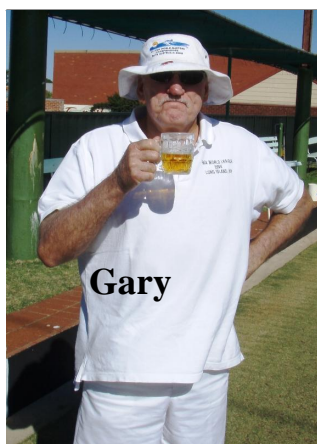
Women: Won 5-4 in their toughest match of the season against Tritons. We came back well from 2-0 down at the start of the first quarter. Looks like our coach will have us practicing 'swimming back in defense' at training this week.

Men: The men played their best game so far despite going down to Triton 6-1. There was another stand out performance by Cameron Brumley in goals, as the boys improved their defensive record against tough opposition. A few more goals in the next couple of goals will mean a first win for the season for the guys.

Masters: You'll have to ask the individuals who won and lost, as they were too busy celebrating the Melbourne cup win / loss to play water polo this week.

Fixture this week:

- Somerset Sluggers vs City Beach : UWA court 1, 7pm Tuesday 10th November
- Somerset Div 1 Women Starlets vs. City Beach 2: Somerset Pool, 7:15pm Wed 11th November
- Somerset Div 2 Men vs City Beach Reds: Somerset Pool, 8:00 pm Wed 11th November



Have you met...

Gary has played water polo for many many years. He was born in Subiaco 55+ years ago and started playing water polo 47 years ago. He's a plumber by trade and owns a business in wastewater system management, check out his business logo on the arm of your club shirt.

Max is the accountant for the wastewater system management. His organization skills at the factory are terrific and reflected in the way he plays water polo. Max was born in Guildford, and this is where he played water polo from a tender age, like Gary, from around about 1962. Max was Gary's captain in the under 15's when they used to play in the river at Guildford.

Gary is known for his reffing abilities, and as a swimming back. He likes to scream at people to 'cover'. He is also known as Gary 'Agony'. Gary met his wife Claudia (pronounced cloudia) when reffing at the world championships in Germany 1985. She moved to Oz.

Max is best known in his team for being able to keep his head above water when playing. He has long been a swimming forward and driver. The two of them were involved in helping to form the Somerset Seals in the early 1980's when Somerset Club joined with the Seals water polo club. Stan Hammond was also involved in this merger. (Google Stan Hammond, Australian player). They say there used to be many more people that played water polo. Why do you think it's not as popular now? Say Hi to Gary or Max next time you see them.