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PENNANT WRAP

ROUND 6, 2021

The weekend that was...



Pennant Wrap

Things are starting to really heat up across the competitions with clubs finding their groove through the midpoint of the season.

The Women's competition still has some sorting to do, but we can see the grades start to find their placing in the competitions. The top three look to solidify their spots while the rest are fighting it out in a solid midfield pack. Queanbeyan will be hoping their win wasn't just a drop in the ocean as they hope to make a push for finals.



The Men's Grade 1 competition is really starting to break apart. CBC and QBC dominate the southern conference, taking the top two spots overall after CBC handed QRSL their first loss for the season. It'll be another tough affair for them in the local derby this week to see if they can match it with the south. The top two spots are just about locked in, but Vikings and Yass will be looking to throw things around in the South and the North respectively if they get even just a hint of a chance.

With the four rounds left to play it seems that all bets are off as clubs begin to jostle for position running into the Easter break. Everyone is looking to put their best foot forward and try to lock themselves in as the weeks count down towards the big dance. Goulburn and Crookwell look to be placing themselves well across the competitions, same with CBC and QBC as we see the depth of each club start to be tested.

The final rounds of the year will be the true test while we really start to get a sense of who is sitting where, and who is really going to have an influence on the finals.



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Women's Weekend Pennant Grade 1/2

Home	R1	R2	T	T	R2	R1	Away
Yowani CC Bowling Club	18	11	29	36	23	13	Queanbeyan RSLM Bowling Club - Gold
Vikings Bowls Club	14	16	30	54	21	33	Canberra North Bowling Club
Queanbeyan RSLM Bowling Club - Blue	13	22	35	38	18	20	CBC/BBC
Goulburn Railway Bowling Club - Gold	20	14	34	42	19	23	Weston Creek Bowling Club
Goulburn Railway Bowling Club - Green	21	16	37	39	25	14	Queanbeyan Bowling Club

QRSLMBC Gold were too good for Yowani on the day taking the overall win here by 13 shots to give their season a little bit more momentum. They've taken five wins from five matches as they now take the outright lead having caught up on some matches. Yowani sit down in 7th, but still have a few washouts to play before we know where they truly sit. QRSL Gold will be making a full tilt towards the finals now with Weston Creek sitting 6 points behind them in second.

Norths were too good for Vikings as they headed down south to take home the points. The win will serve them well as they now look to solidify third place against the rising Goulburn Green squad. Vikings will be looking to improve to see if they can make the leap off the bottom of the ladder. They have just the one win for the year, but still have a chance to make it to the Grade 2 finals if they can find some form.

QRSL Blue take a loss against the newly formed CBC/BBC. Unfortunately for all Yass were unable to continue their season in combination with CBC and Belconnen have stepped up to ensure we get a full suite of matches for the season. The Belconnen ladies have given the squad a bit of a shot in the arm and the combination team now looks to be on the improve.

Goulburn Gold have succumbed to the ladies from Weston Creek pushing them a little further down the ladder than they'd like to be. They'll need to find some form quickly if they're to grab a hold of the last finals spot in Grade 2. The Creekers look to have settled into second place with 6 points separating them either side on the ladder.

Queanbeyan look to have found some form as they take out the win away from home at Goulburn. The Goulburn Green ladies would be disappointed with the loss as the gap to third placed Norths now opens up to 8 points. They'll look to keep holding on to that Grade 1 finish coming through the back end of the season as things heat up.

Table – 2/3/2021

Pos.		Played	Won	Loss	Draw	Bye	For	Against	Score Diff.	Points
1	QRSLMBC Gold	5	5	0	0	0	226	125	101	38
2	WCBC	5	4	1	0	0	270	150	120	32
3	CNBC	5	3	2	0	0	222	182	40	26
4	GRWBC Green	5	2	3	0	0	161	228	-67	18
5	QRSLMBC Blue	5	2	3	0	0	194	203	-9	17
6	CBC/BBC	4	2	2	0	0	138	174	-36	12
7	YCCBC	3	1	2	0	0	106	125	-19	10
8	QBC	4	1	3	0	0	137	167	-30	9
9	GRWBC Gold	4	1	3	0	0	134	166	-32	8
10	VBC	4	1	3	0	0	123	191	-68	6



Men's Pennant Grade 1

Home	R1	R2	R3	T	T	R3	R2	R1	Away
Belconnen Bowling Club	22	17	21	60	61	24	26	11	Tuggeranong Vikings LBC
Canberra North Bowling Club	15	12	15	42	90	33	26	31	Weston Creek Bowling Club
Queanbeyan RSLM Bowling Club	13	17	16	46	55	21	15	19	Canberra Bowling Club
Yass Bowling Club	11	19	12	42	68	25	11	32	Queanbeyan Bowling Club

Belconnen were oh so close to that first victory on the weekend but were dashed at the finish by Vikings who keep their season alive. This should well serve as a warning to the rest of the competition that you can't afford to fall asleep at the wheel, anyone could well take the points on the day. Vikings stay alive in their hunt for the finals with the win. They'll need to be at their best each week if they are to get there though with CBC and QBC flying at the moment.

Norths were dismantled at home by the travelling Creekers this week. They lost all three rinks convincingly as Weston Creek piled on the points looking to see if they can get a crack at the finals as well. Norths will be looking to rebuild. Despite sitting 6th overall they still have a spot in the finals for the taking. They need to improve though if they want to have any impact further in the season.

Top of the table clash goes to CBC as they continue their undefeated season. They take a breath out the front of the pack now with QBC hot on their heels looking for the top spot. QRSLMBC take their first loss of the season, but showed that the competition isn't even close to being over yet. While CBC take the honours for the day, the scoreline suggests that it won't be all CBC's way for the remainder of the year. This one acted as a good taster for the remainder of the season and all signs point to a frantic finish.

Queanbeyan keep putting on points with another good win out at Yass this week. They pick up 2 rinks and a handy +26 on the points difference to pull themselves to within three points of CBC at the top of the table. Yass were a little disappointing in that one, but they sit just the 8 points off a finals berth. If they can start to pull it back together for the remaining rounds they might just snag a finals spot and look to stir the pot a bit in the finals.



Tables

Pos.		Played	Won	Loss	Draw	Bye	For	Against	Score Diff.	Points
1	CBC	6	6	0	0	0	407	265	142	63
2	QBC	6	5	1	0	0	389	293	96	60
3	QRSLMBC	6	5	1	0	0	380	312	68	53
4	TVLBC	6	3	3	0	0	322	397	-75	33
5	WCBC	6	2	4	0	0	358	318	40	29
6	CNBC	6	2	4	0	0	327	353	-26	28
7	YBC	6	1	5	0	0	248	399	-151	16
8	BBC	6	0	6	0	0	287	381	-94	6

Pos.	Northern Conference	Played	Won	Loss	Draw	Bye	For	Against	Score Diff.	Points
1	QRSLMBC	6	5	1	0	0	380	312	68	53
2	CNBC	6	2	4	0	0	327	353	-26	28
3	YBC	6	1	5	0	0	248	399	-151	16
4	BBC	6	0	6	0	0	287	381	-94	6

Pos.	Southern Conference	Played	Won	Loss	Draw	Bye	For	Against	Score Diff.	Points
1	CBC	6	6	0	0	0	407	265	142	63
2	QBC	6	5	1	0	0	389	293	96	60
3	TVLBC	6	3	3	0	0	322	397	-75	33
4	WCBC	6	2	4	0	0	358	318	40	29



Men's Pennant Grade 2

Home	R1	R2	R3	T	T	R3	R2	R1	Away
Belconnen Bowling Club	16	15	19	50	63	21	22	20	Queanbeyan Bowling Club
Tuggeranong Vikings LBC	9	30	25	64	69	19	13	37	Canberra Bowling Club
Goulburn Railway Bowling Club	22	15	27	64	53	14	21	18	Weston Creek Bowling Club

The Queanbeyan Bowling Club had another good away win in Grade 2 this week, taking out the win by 13 shots overall as well as all three rinks. Another disappointing day for Belconnen they'll be thinking they should have at least grabbed a rink in their fight for the finals. The win moves QBC clear into fourth place as they continue their hunt for the finals. The onus is now on Belconnen to pull out some big wins in the back end of the season to bridge the gap back up into fourth.

CBC have played out a tough win against the bottom of the barrel Vikings this week. Vikings would have been hoping for the win to give their finals chances a good shot in the arm as they now sit 10 points outside fourth place. They have a game in hand to be played, but it is against the top of the table men from the Railway. The win sees CBC put themselves in a healthy position with third place now 9 points below them. It'll take some interesting results to push them out of the double chance.

Goulburn continue to put the wins on the board as we move into the back end of the year, this time against a valiant travelling Weston Creek. The Creekers left the Railway with one rink as well as a sense of what it'll take to get the glory in this year's campaign. Goulburn were again consistent across the rinks giving them a decent 11 shot win overall. It'll take a lot to pull Goulburn back to the pack, but the chance is still there for some clubs to do some damage in the business end of the season.

Table

Pos.		Played	Won	Loss	Draw	Bye	For	Against	Score Diff.	Points
1	GRBC	5	5	0	0	0	321	255	66	50
2	CBC	6	4	2	0	0	362	320	42	45
3	WCBC	6	3	3	0	0	373	347	26	36
4	QBC	6	2	4	0	0	327	354	-27	30
5	BBC	6	2	4	0	0	329	360	-31	23
6	TVLBC	5	1	4	0	0	262	338	-76	20



Men's Pennant Grade 3

Home	R1	R2	R3	T	T	R3	R2	R1	Away
Crookwell Services Bowling Club	28	24	15	67	51	26	11	14	Yowani CC Bowling Club
Queanbeyan RSLM Bowling Club	25	20	29	74	42	8	17	17	Tuggeranong Vikings LBC
Canberra North Bowling Club	17	17	21	55	60	16	25	19	Yass Bowling Club

Crookwell keep the good vibes rolling as they take another win, this time against the struggling Yowani. They would have been hoping to pile on the pain, but will no doubt take the 16 shot win along with two of the rinks for the day. Yowani continue to struggle as they see the season start to really slip away. With four rounds to go they sit 16 points outside the finals with just the one win for the year. It would take some sort of miracle to make the finals from here, but we've all seen it before.

QRSL really put the hurt on the Vikings this week taking home all three rinks convincingly by the 32 shots overall. The massive win starts to bridge the gap between themselves and leaders Crookwell, but it'll take more of the same for them to get close as Crookwell hang on to a 3 point advantage whilst in some fine form. The loss is a real stinger for the Vikings as they now drift 10 points out from the finals position they're after. They'll need to put in some big wins to chase the difference down, but it looks like the finals are drifting into the horizon and out of view at this stage.

Yass got the job done in the mid-tale, beating Norths by 5 shots overall to take themselves into clear air in third place. They now sit 3 points above the fourth placed Norths so the air isn't clean, but they'll look to solidify that result moving forward with some big performances. Norths will need to pick up the pieces and move on with the season from there. The work is all in front of them and they've got the ladder position to hang on to from here.

Table

Pos.		Played	Won	Loss	Draw	Bye	For	Against	Score Diff.	Points
1	CSBC	6	4	1	1	0	411	321	90	49
2	QRSLMBC	6	4	2	0	0	358	330	28	46
3	YBC	6	3	2	1	0	342	362	-20	39
4	CNBC	6	3	3	0	0	359	332	27	36
5	TVLBC	6	2	4	0	0	311	373	-62	26
6	YCCBC	6	1	5	0	0	318	381	-63	20



Men's Pennant Grade 4

Home	R1	R2	R3	T	T	R3	R2	R1	Away
Weston Creek Bowling Club	21	38	21	80	45	15	4	26	Queanbeyan RSLM Bowling Club
Tuggeranong Viking LBC	23	21	23	67	43	16	13	14	Yowani CC Bowling Club
Goulburn Railway Bowling Club	19	16	21	56	55	15	23	17	Queanbeyan Bowling Club

Weston Creek have put another sour point on the season for QRSL's 4th Grade squad. They take the win by 35 shots overall, but QRSL manage to salvage a rink in the disappointing affair. The loss is QRSL's sixth in a row as they still try to find that elusive win for the season, but the story couldn't be any more different for Weston Creek as they take a hold of top spot on the table. They've put a gap of 2 points on the next best QBC and will look to press the issue moving forward.

Vikings have done everything in their power to put themselves in the running here with a massive win over the next spot on the ladder, Yowani. Playing at home they out in wins across the board to take 12 points away from the match and push the points difference out to 14 points on the table. Without the chance to take on the club above again in the season that could be the knockout blow for Yowani. They sit stranded outside the top four with just the one win for the season so far.

Goulburn take out a thriller against QBC winning by a solitary shot. The win pulls Queanbeyan into the pack and is sure to shake up the top three, with all three now within four points of each other. A crucial win for Goulburn on their journey aiming at a double chance or possibly even top spot for another grade. Queanbeyan would be disappointed they couldn't keep themselves out on top, but the season is still there for the taking.

Table

Pos.		Played	Won	Loss	Draw	Bye	For	Against	Score Diff.	Points
1	WCBC	6	5	1	0	0	391	321	70	52
2	QBC	6	5	1	0	0	380	307	73	50
3	GRBC	6	4	2	0	0	369	325	44	48
4	TVLBC	6	3	3	0	0	354	359	-5	35
5	YCCBC	6	1	5	0	0	321	357	-36	21
6	QRSLMBC	6	0	6	0	0	287	433	-146	10



Men's Pennant Grade 5

Home	R1	R2	R3	T	T	R3	R2	R1	Away
Queanbeyan Bowling Club	27	20	27	74	43	11	15	17	Tuggeranong Vikings LBC
Belconnen Bowling Club	16	22	16	54	67	24	22	21	Canberra North Bowling Club
Canberra Bowling Club	19	16	20	55	65	17	26	22	Crookwell Services Bowling Club

A disappointing loss for Vikings here in their hunt for a double chance. With the top two going head to head the opportunity was there for Vikings to put some pressure on the ladder, but the opportunity was well missed as they were thumped to the tune of 31 shots. They didn't manage to salvage a rink out of the wreckage as Queanbeyan showed that while the ladder is separated into halves, the winner could still come from the bottom half. Strong performance from Queanbeyan. They'll need to show that this wasn't a one off though as they move deeper into the season. If they can replicate that performance they'll be extremely tough to handle come April.

Belconnen's Grade 5 squad rounded out what was a disappointing day for the club. In what has seemed all too common for Belconnen they were defeated at home again, only taking a draw on one of the rinks as consolation. Norths would be excited with the win which keeps them in the hunt for the finals. It'll make the job for BBC that much harder as they fall 11 points outside the top four, while Norths now sit just the 3 points away. They need results to keep flowing to try to pluck the spot out of the hands of Queanbeyan.

Crookwell take the win in the top of the table clash and put some real points between themselves and second placed CBC now. They've got a 10 point buffer out in front as they look to continue their push towards the flag. CBC would be disappointed to let the opportunity get away from them, but a Vikings loss sees them hang in the top two. The fight to the finals heats up as we look to see who'll go into that double chance playoff.

Table

Pos.		Played	Won	Loss	Draw	Bye	For	Against	Score Diff.	Points
1	CSBC	6	5	1	0	0	393	333	60	56
2	CBC	6	4	2	0	0	395	311	84	46
3	TVLBC	6	4	2	0	0	330	352	-22	44
4	QBC	6	2	4	0	0	347	362	-15	28
5	CNBC	6	2	4	0	0	333	358	-25	25
6	BBC	6	1	5	0	0	301	383	-82	17



Men's Pennant Grade 6

Home	R1	R2	R3	T	T	R3	R2	R1	Away
Yass Bowling Club	26	1	16	62	55	22	20	13	Weston Creek Bowling Club
Bungendore Bowling Club	18	19	31	68	49	12	17	20	Canberra North Bowling Club
Goulburn Railway Bowling Club	21	19	19	59	41	18	14	9	Crookwell Services Bowling Club

Yass put the pressure back on the competition as they tighten up the top three yet again. They take the win against a red hot Weston Creek outfit to ensure they sit in second place coming out of Round 6. Weston Creek had some good form going into the match up, but it looks like they left it in Canberra this weekend. The win sees 1 and 2 sitting on 44 points, while third placed Weston Creek only trail by 3 points in what is an extremely tight competition.

Bungendore look to have found a bit of their mojo again against the winless Norths. Norths still can't catch a break as they remain winless in Grade 6 for the year, but they'll still hold out hope that they can snag one before the season is done. Bungendore sit 5 points behind the third placed Weston Creek, but are even on points with Crookwell, only taking fourth for themselves on score diff. The season is really starting to heat up as we travel into the final rounds as five clubs look to fit into four spots for the finals, with all of them still fighting to reach that top seed as we move into finals.

Goulburn Railway have put the argument to rest with a resounding win over the little brother Crookwell. They took home all three rinks plus an 18 shot win overall on their home deck as Crookwell proved to be not up to the fight this time around. Crookwell will be a bit disappointed with the effort with every point proving to be vital in the season so far. To give up all three rinks really starts to put some pressure back on yourself to perform as we move closer and closer to April.

Table

Pos.		Played	Won	Loss	Draw	Bye	For	Against	Score Diff.	Points
1	GRBC	6	4	2	0	0	355	305	50	44
2	YBC	6	4	1	1	0	363	325	38	44
3	WCBC	6	3	2	1	0	347	334	13	41
4	BuBC	6	3	3	0	0	360	349	11	36
5	CSBC	6	3	3	0	0	319	335	-16	36
6	CNBC	6	0	6	0	0	291	387	-96	15



Yarn of the Week

No yarns this week, but I'll give you something else instead.

The Men's and Women's Singles are on through the Month of March so let's take a moment to head over to QRSLMBC and CBC to check in on the results.

Men's

Results

Section	A	B	C	A v B	A v C	B v C	Venue
1	Tonkin, A	Rumley, J	Campbell, C	15-22	21-5	21-3	CBC
2	Birch, J	Morris, G	Farr, D	18-21	4-21	8-21	CBC
3	Savino, N	Waugh, B	Edwards, B	5-21	17-23	10-21	CBC
4	Sleigh, C	Stewart, M	McInnes, J	23-7	21-19	N/A	CBC
5	Haggard, D	Walsh, D	Donnelly, S	21-16	20-21	21-17	CBC
6	Reynolds, J	Mitchell, D	Walsh, L	21-6	21-5	N/A	CBC
7	Pepper, G	Hills, B	Garratt, M	22-8	21-18	21-9	CBC
8	Bourne, B	Markovic, K	Totterdell, J	20-21	22-6	21-15	CBC
9	Dagwell, S	Styles, M	Hammond, P	21-13	21-13	N/A	CBC
10	Pruss, D	Hammond, M	Harris, D	21-11	21-10	N/A	QRSLMBC
11	Crocker, D	Ordelman, S	Jarvie, T	14-21	N/A	21-14	QRSLMBC
12	Haynes, N	Peak, D	Murton, S	21-15	14-21	12-21	QRSLMBC
13	Green, G	Penny, W	Kelly, J	2-21	N/A	23-0	QRSLMBC
14	McCarthy, G	Edwards, Dylon	Taggart, R	21-14	22-16	N/A	QRSLMBC
15	Gunner, M	Edwards, Daniel	Dunn, N	22-16	21-16	7-22	QRSLMBC
16	McAlister, H	Crowe, P	Freeman, J	18-21	15-21	18-21	QRSLMBC
17	Rose, G	Totterdell, P	Winstanley, K	5-21	21-16	21-4	QRSLMBC
18	McInnes, P	Fawthrop, M	Hurst, A	14-21	N/A	21-10	QRSLMBC
19		Jeffries, P	Haynes, K			21-20	QRSLMBC



Women's

Results

Round	Home			Away
1	Hunt, C			BYE
1	Stitt, M			BYE
1	Waters, L	27	10	McGown, D
1	Hogan, J	0	2	Mitchell, A
1	Clout, J	26	15	Seddon, D
1	McCaskill, K	6	25	Morrison, C
1	Pritchard, A	16	25	Blunden, N
1	Mills, M	14	26	Zimoch, C
1	Moore, R			BYE
1	Marquet, D			BYE
1	Stenner, G	13	27	Steele, S
1	Tse, E	27	13	Elliott, K
1	James, K	12	25	Young, G
1	Gruber, L	25	23	Dunn, J
1	Warren, S	12	25	Birch, L
1	Tye, A	18	25	Cartledge, K
2	Hunt, C	6	25	Stitt, M
2	Waters, L	25	12	Mitchell, A
2	Clout, J	26	24	Morrison, C
2	Blunden, N	25	20	Zimoch, C
2	Moore, R	25	6	Marquet, D
2	Steele, S	26	16	Tse, E
2	Young, G	25	8	Gruber, L
2	Birch, L	25	20	Cartledge, K



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Upcoming Matches

Men's



Match	Round	Home	Away	Venue	Date	Time
M1	Qualifier	Rumley	Farr	QRSLMBC	13/03/2021	9:30am
M2	Qualifier	Edwards, B	Sleigh, C	QRSLMBC	13/03/2021	9:30am
M3	Qualifier	Haggar, D	Reynolds, J	QRSLMBC	13/03/2021	9:30am
M4	Round of 16	Pepper, G	Markovic, K	QRSLMBC	13/03/2021	1:15pm
M5	Round of 16	Dagwell, S	Pruss, D	QRSLMBC	13/03/2021	1:15pm
M6	Round of 16	Ordelman, S	Winner of M1	QRSLMBC	13/03/2021	1:15pm
M7	Round of 16	Murton, S	Penny, W	QRSLMBC	13/03/2021	1:15pm
M8	Round of 16	McCarthy, G	Dunn, N	QRSLMBC	13/03/2021	1:15pm
M9	Round of 16	Winner of M2	Freeman, J	QRSLMBC	13/03/2021	1:15pm
M10	Round of 16	Totterdell, P	Winner of M3	QRSLMBC	13/03/2021	1:15pm
M11	Round of 16	Fawthrop, M	Jeffries, P	QRSLMBC	13/03/2021	1:15pm
M12	Quarter Final	Winner of M4	Winner of M5	QRSLMBC	20/03/2021	9:30am
M13	Quarter Final	Winner of M6	Winner of M7	QRSLMBC	20/03/2021	9:30am
M14	Quarter Final	Winner of M8	Winner of M9	QRSLMBC	20/03/2021	9:30am
M15	Quarter Final	Winner of M10	Winner of M11	QRSLMBC	20/03/2021	9:30am
M16	Semi Final	Winner of M12	Winner of M13	QRSLMBC	20/03/2021	1:15pm
M17	Semi Final	Winner of M14	Winner of M15	QRSLMBC	20/03/2021	1:15pm
M18	Final	Winner of M16	Winner of M17	QRSLMBC	27/03/2021	2:00pm

Women's

M25	3	Stitt, M	Waters, L	14th March 2021 @ 9:30am	Queanbeyan RSLM Bowling Club
M26	3	Clout, J	Blunden, N	14th March 2021 @ 9:30am	Queanbeyan RSLM Bowling Club
M27	3	Moore, R	Steele, S	14th March 2021 @ 9:30am	Queanbeyan RSLM Bowling Club
M28	3	Young, G	Birch, L	14th March 2021 @ 9:30am	Queanbeyan RSLM Bowling Club
M29	4	Winner of M25	Winner of M26	14th March 2021 @ 1:30pm	Queanbeyan RSLM Bowling Club
M30	4	Winner of M27	Winner of M28	14th March 2021 @ 1:30pm	Queanbeyan RSLM Bowling Club
M31	5	Winner of M29	Winner of M30	21st March 2021 @ 2:00pm	Queanbeyan RSLM Bowling Club



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