



South Tweed Bowls Club trading as South Tweed Sports

## News Release

### **Local Sports Clubs to share in \$5,000**

South Tweed Sports [STS] is looking for local sporting clubs to share in \$5,000 in their inaugural Sports Clubs Series. In recognising the ever growing costs of uniforms, equipment, maintenance and insurance for local clubs STS wants to reduce the burden and provide a fun social event at the same time.

Sporting clubs across the Tweed are invited to enter a three (3) person team in the five (5) week bowling event held on Tuesday evenings from 5.30pm starting Tuesday 6 September. It is FREE to enter, teams can be male, female or mixed and juniors are welcome with the minimum age at 12 years. STS recognises that at times people have other commitments or illness so the event permits team changes weekly. The main rule is that teams must consist of non registered bowlers. It is essentially an event for new or novice bowlers.

Each team must nominate their sporting club they are representing. With prize money from \$1,500 to \$40 shared across all entrants (up to 42 teams) every sporting club will have something to show for their efforts. Multiple entries from sporting clubs are welcome however if the event receives too many entries a ballot for positions will occur. Players are welcome to borrow bowls from friends or family or may use bowls supplied by the Club free of charge.

'I congratulate the Board and the Sports Series Committee for this creative and generous initiative. Sport on the Tweed is such an integral part of our life style and we know how hard these clubs and their volunteers work to keep their costs down. It will be great to see new faces on our greens and even better, to hand out prize money at the conclusion to these worthy sporting clubs' said Club CEO Gordon Rhodes.

More information is available at the Club website [www.southtweedsports.com.au/community](http://www.southtweedsports.com.au/community) or you can contact Gordon via the details below or Sports Clubs Series Co-ordinator Kim Mitchell on 0400 418 193.

**South Tweed Sports – good sports in the community.** For immediate release.

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