

It was a long and ultimately fruitless trip to Port Noarlunga for Gawler's Div 1 midweek side.

Defeated soundly by 53 shots, it was a disappointing follow up after last week's win.

Struggling in the cut throat triples, they were never in the hunt and need to focus on this week's home game against Hawthorn.

Rink wins to the fours of Gordon Nussey and Peter McConnell weren't enough to offset the losses with the Div 3 team falling to top 4 side Hope Valley. 20 shots adrift at the end of play, this week sees them on the road again to Salisbury, in what is looking like a pivotal game for their season's hopes.

Level on points before the game, the Div 4 team put on a clinic to demolish Playford green by a massive 63 shots. With every rink scoring 30+ shots and limiting their opponents to 13 or less, they continue their rise up the ladder and move into the top 4 for the first time this season.