

## VALE

It was with sadness that we observed the flags at half mast on Saturday, 2nd June only hours after we had published our report on Vi Allen's medical evacuation from Norfolk.

Vi died at hospital in Sydney on Friday evening. She had had a most enjoyable stay on the island with her daughter and son-in-law Natalie and Ric LeGassick, competing in the Bowling Tournament winning the Bligh Court Ladies Pairs with Jean Vincent. Jean was in Melbourne at the time of Vi's death and Natalie tells us that she flew up to Sydney to be present at the funeral.

Natalie and Ric wish to thank the doctors and nursing staff of the Norfolk Island Hospital and all friends for their messages, cards and floral tributes and for their many kindnesses and thoughtful gestures during their recent sad bereavement.

To Natalie and Ric and members of the family, we convey our sincere condolences at this sad time.