



## Barrie Lester

Victorian bowler Barrie Lester scored the biggest win of his career defeating Commonwealth Games gold medallist Brett Duprez and world indoor pairs champion Kelvin Kerkow in the pairs final at the Helensvale Grand Prix.

The victory sealed an outstanding six months for the talented young bowler - he was also apart of the successful Australian side that defeated New Zealand in the Trans Tasman Test Series and was a runner-up in the triples at the Australian Open 2005.

### Highlights

- Australian Open triples runner-up 2005
- Australian SuperLeague fours silver medal 2004
- Australian SuperLeague triples silver medal 2004
- Victorian state representative
- Victorian Under-25 State singles runner-up 2001-2002

His top form continued at the Moama Grand Prix in September 2005 where he was a runner-up in the pairs and a quarter-finalist in the triples.

Lester's impressive performances across the 2004-2005 season earned him a spot in the training squad for the Melbourne 2006 Commonwealth Games.

Twenty-three year-old Lester moved to Melbourne in 2004 to further his bowling career and now plays for Royal Melbourne Bowls Club.

A member of the Australian Bowls Squad Lester is a key state player having represented Victoria in over 60 Test matches. In 2004 and 2005 he played for Victoria in the prestigious Sundowner Australian Super League and Australian Sides Championships.

