



# BOWLED OVER

Mount Waverley Bowling Club Inc.

Newsletter July 2018

## MOUNT WAVERLEY BOWLING CLUB INC.

***'The friendly bowls club'***

### **Future direction of MWBC Inc.**

The Committee of Management (COM) sub-committee has looked at the successful actions taken by some other Clubs who were in similar circumstances to our Club [particularly the Torquay Bowling Club]. The lesson from the experiences of these Clubs is that we need to commit our limited resources to a small group of major projects with the potential to have a material impact on the ability of our Club to survive, grow and succeed.

The COM has four such projects and they are the subject of this discussion about our Clubs future. The COM has agreed that each of these projects will be driven by a small group of committed Club Members prepared to provide the time and effort into securing the future of our Club.

In selecting the four projects the COM sought the following impact on the Club:

Achieving a rapid growth in the Social membership of the Club will increase the pool of people using the Club's facilities and will create a pool of potential new bowlers

Establishing a large and active Twilight Bowls competition will allow the Club to access those potential, or current/inactive, bowlers who, for whatever reason, do not wish to [or cannot] play Pennant bowls. It also creates a pool of people who will be users of the Club facilities and some of them may wish to pursue a pathway to Pennant bowls

Creating an electronic database provides a means of communicating regularly with a wide range of people who have been visitors to the Club or who are members of the Club. Such communications would be marketing and promotional in nature.

In our area of the City of Monash there is no logical venue/facility/Club where members of the local community, particularly families, can gather for social time in a safe and friendly environment. Establishing the Club and its facilities as a Community Hub will provide a much-needed facility.

## ELECTION OFFICE BEARERS FOR THE 2018 -2019 SEASON

THE FOLLOWING NOMINATIONS HAVE BEEN ELECTED

Position	Candidate	Term
President	Richard Sluggett	Until 1/05/2019
Vice President	Bruce Morley	Until 1/05/2019
Secretary	Jill Anderson	Until 1/05/2019
Treasurer	Peter McDonald	Until 1/05/2019
Committee	Ian McLean	Until 2019
Members (6)	Barry McDonald	Until 2019
	Pat McIlevna	Until 2019
	Irene Harney	Until 2020
	Howard Rose	Until 2020
	Barry Epstein	Until 2020

Saturday Selectors	Term
Geoff Crawford	Until 1/05/2019
Barrie Epstein	Until 1/05/2019
Pat McIlevna	Until 1/05/2019
Alan Coleman	Until 1/05/2019
Performance Manager	Jim Fary

Mid-Week selectors	Until 2019
Phil Rosengarten	Until 1/05/2019
Chris Cullinan	Until 1/05/2019

Indoor	Term
Bev Bayly	Until 1/05/2019
Doreen Inglis	Until 1/05/2019

The Committee of Management would like to thank all the people who applied for these positions.

We congratulate those people selected for being willing to support the Club in this manner. It is now up to the members to support these people in their respective roles.



# Kowloon Bowling Green Club



We are pleased to advise that at our recent Committee of Management meeting Mount Waverley Bowling Club Inc. has made reciprocal arrangements with the Kowloon Bowling Green Club. We are hoping to arrange bowling events with the Kowloon club.

We look forward to meeting their members when they are in Melbourne and they offer their hospitality at the KBGC in Hong Kong. We are sure their members will also enjoy the facilities of Mount Waverley Bowling Club.

If you do visit Hong Kong, please contact John LUNN Hon. Secretary Kowloon Bowling Green Club

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## Some of our volunteers at MWBC Inc.



A club is only as strong as its volunteers and Kathy, Irene and Celia always do it with a smile as do all the other ladies who help keep the Club running smoothly. Thanks



This group of veterans bring together about 240 years of life experience and represent 100 years membership at MWBC. There is nothing that Norm Lindberg, Max Beattie, and Davey Logan do not know about Lawn Bowls and they would three of the nicest blokes about the Club, always with a smile and ready for a chat.

## Community Sport with local Colleges

Kevin Rigby (pictured below) sends a very big thank you to Alan Coleman, Davey Logan, David Buchanan, Reg Rowson, Shelagh Gleeson, Peter McDonald, Ming Vo and Jim Fary for their valuable assistance and time in recent weeks guiding and coaching the students from Avila College and Mazenod College. Both groups of students



enjoyed the many various drills to which they were introduced and their intra College tournaments. In all there were 30 girls from Avila and 18 boys from Mazenod who participated across a five-week timeframe. Kevin also expressed his appreciation for the many other members

who offered their assistance. It is hoped that next time round they will have the required 'Working with Children' certification and will be ready to roll with the students. Bob the Bowler got his certification in very short time recently. All it takes is a visit to the online website [www.workingwithchildren.vic.gov.au](http://www.workingwithchildren.vic.gov.au), filling in an application form, which is lodged at the Post Office, who will also take your photo. There is no charge for volunteers and your certification will be in your letter box within the month.

## BIRTHDAYS FOR JULY

Flower	Madge
Robertson	Graeme
Adam	Leslie
Ventura	Joe
Jarred	Barry
Sturdy	Joy
Sluggett	Richard
Husband	Gareth
Rae	David
Sharp	Alan
Moutzouris	Demetri
Kerry	Lucas



**OPENING DAY BREAKFAST**

**SATURDAY 25 AUGUST 2018**

**PROGRAM**

**8.15 am Arrive at Club**

**8.30 am Meet with invited guests**

**9.00 am Members and Guests invited to share Breakfast**

**9.30 am Presentations**

**9.45 am Ceremonial rolling of Jack and Bowl – opening of the Greens.**

**Women's Champion Sarina Bonnici rolls Jack**

**Men's Champion David Rae rolls bowl**

**10.00 am First game commences**

**Cost is \$5 per person**

**Names on sheet in foyer please**

**COFFEE PODS - FOR SALE**

We have 70 Espresso and about 250 Double Espresso. We are for sale at \$4.00 per packet. They are compatible with Aldi's coffee machines as well as all Caffitaly machines. Until sold out.

**Be aware -Standard Drink**

To clarify new drinking laws the following is a definition of a standard drink

Beer -375ml of full strength (4.8% alcohol volume) is 1.4 standard drinks

375ml of mid-strength (3.5% alcohol volume) is one standard drink

375ml of low strength (Light – 2.7% alcohol volume) is .08 of a standard drink

Sherry, Port – 60ml (one sherry glass) is .08 of a standard drink

Whisky – 30ml (half s sherry glass) of 40% spirit is one standard drink. The shot glasses hold 50ml which is 1.7 standard drinks

Red & White Wine – 100ml equals one standard drink (Red 13% alcohol volume – White 11.5%)

The general rule of thumb is that drinks in the first hour will raise your blood alcohol content to .05 and one standard drink per hour after that will maintain that level. At this point you are over the limit. So, over the first hour, one sherry or port and a light beer should be ok. If you consume a full-strength beer then, to be safe, that is all you should have unless you want to wave the scotch bottle under your nose.

If you get caught driving with a blood alcohol of .05 or more, you will lose your licence and be required to complete a compulsory Drink Driver Program as well as having an interlock device installed in your vehicle on regaining your licence.

**Donations to your Club.**



All claims for a tax deduction of \$2 and over are subject to being accepted by the Australian Taxation Office, who can be contacted for professional advice if either an individual or business is uncertain of their taxation position.

Some of our projects that we are seeking funding for is new bowls for Junior members that cost \$330 per set, replacement of awnings on shelters, kitchen, and lounge appliances.

**Please speak to the Executive of the Club if you wish to donate to the Club and obtain more details.**

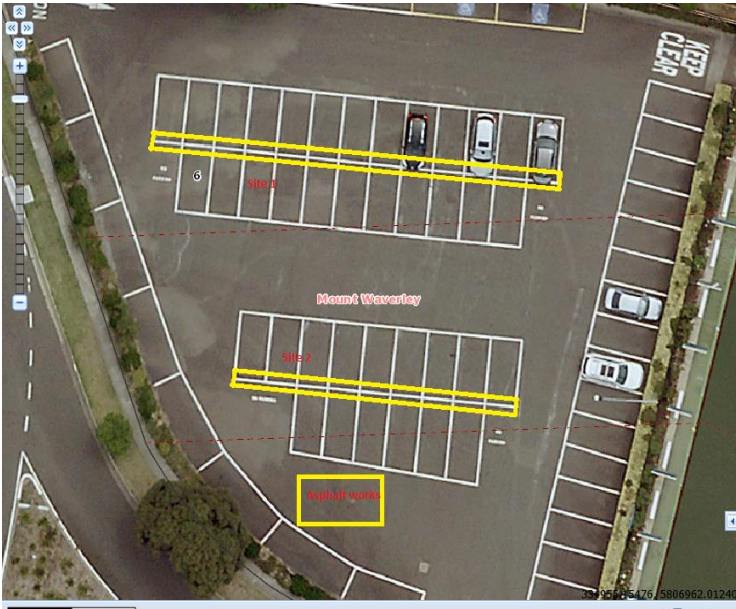
**ALVIE ROAD CAR PARK**

**The Work schedule has been completed for this project**

Site 1: Parking bays

Site 2 Parking bays

Some minor asphalt patching works that had been identified in the car park were also undertaken. The Club appreciates the work being done by Monash Council and the support of members during these works.



**SPONSORS**

As a new season begins members are reminded to support these sponsors as they support us.



**Restaurant**

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