



BOWLED OVER

Mt Waverley Bowling Club Inc.

Newsletter April 2019

MOUNT WAVERLEY BOWLING CLUB INC.

'The friendly bowls club'

Mums and Bubs Bowl at Mount Waverley

In February a Mother's Group called 'Happy Bubs, Happy Mums' enjoyed a day out at Lawn Bowls at Mount Waverley Bowls Club. The Happy Bubs, Happy Mums are a sub-group from 500+ strong Mother's Groups in the South Eastern suburbs of Melbourne. 'Happy Bubs, Happy Mums' is a Chinese Group who all met on Chinese social media app called WeChat. "As our babies grow older, they need more activities" says their coordinator Jing Li. "So, I went on the internet to look up suitable activities. I'm glad I contacted Mount Waverley Bowling Club. The first time we went there, Barry McDonald and his colleagues welcomed us with open arms, and provided us a nice and safe place to play, including Play equipment from Bowls Victoria. We had a fantastic experience. We honestly can't wait to take our babies back. This time we hope to have more mums join us. We plan to be bowling every third Monday from the 18th March," Jing Li is pictured below 6th from left in the photo.



New Website

The Club has unveiled the new website in partnership with SGD. Please have a look at the work that Howard Rose and his team have put into this fabulous site that has launched the Club in the 21st Century.

Go www.mwbc.com.au

BIRTHDAYs –April

Fary	Jim
Musat	John
Chapman	Ken
Barton	Val
Bonnici	Joe
Carden	Bev
Oldaker	Keith
Hoggart	Joanna
Smith	Graham
Carr	Margaret
West	Julie
Coleman	Richard
Litchfield	Dennis
Pepperell	Shirley
Barton	Carolyn

Glasson Extra bits

Kathy Maskrey featured the most colourful top of all the players. Kathy recorded her visit to Tiger Bowls in 2018, which is an annual International event in Hong Kong each year. Kathy played with a Mornington Peninsular team.



Steve Glasson

Stephen John "Steve" Glasson [OAM](#) was number one in the world in 2004 and was ranked first in Australia between 1997 and 2005. He is currently the Australian National Bowls coach. Steve Glasson won Australian championships 19 times including nine national indoor championships. He was the number one ranked player in Australia between 1997 and 2005. In 2004 Glasson became World Singles Champion when he won a gold medal at the World Bowls Championship in Scotland,

becoming the first Australian to be world number one in men's singles. Mount Waverley is proud to have this prestigious tournament named after such an outstanding figure in Australian Lawn Bowls. Steve is pictured here with our Tournament Director and Head Coach Jim Fary.



ELECTION OF OFFICE BEARERS FOR THE 2019 -20120 SEASON

It is that time of the year again we need to receive nominations for the following vacancies on the Committee of Management.

Also, applications are invited for selectors of the various Pennant teams.

<i>Position</i>	Candidate	Term
<i>President</i>		Until 1/05/2020
<i>Vice President</i>		Until 1/05/2020
<i>Secretary</i>		Until 1/05/2020
<i>Treasurer</i>		Until 1/05/2020
<i>Committee</i>		Until 2021
<i>Members (6)</i>		Until 2021
		Until 2021
	Irene Harney	Until 2020
	Howard Rose	Until 2020
	Barry Epstein	Until 2020

The Annual report, Financial report and the Strategic Plan for 2019 – 2023 will be available for members via the email and hard copies will be available in the foyer shortly. Please take the time to read what is happening at your Club.

Bob made the Firsts - Bob's Year in 2019

Bob the Bowler achieved the pinnacle of his career, when he was selected to play for the **Firsts for Mount Waverley**. Clearly, the selection was made on merit alone in order to boost the Finals prospects of the First Side. Bob played (2nd) together with Hansie (3rd) and Tony (Skip), joined Rosie (Lead) a regular in the Firsts against Oakleigh at Oakleigh. Our **Team** did not win on the day but did manage to minimise the loss to ensure that the **First Side** was triumphant overall. Playing in the Firsts provided some different nuances. Talking is frowned upon because it may be distracting. Supporting your colleagues is best done from the Green rather than sitting on the bench. Putting all that aside, it was a great experience. Rosie, Hansie, Tony, and Bob were pleased to get the job done and put the Firsts on top of the Ladder at the end of the day. Mission accomplished. **Bob's** statistics tells its own story, for **2019** after 18 Pennant Rounds:

- Absent 2 games
- * Played 6 games in the 3rds
- * Played 9 Games in the 2nds
- * Played 1 Game in the 1st
- * Played 2 Games as Lead
- * Played 8 Games as Second
- * Played 5 Games as 3rd and
- * Played 1 game as Skip (anointed Skip lost in Chadstone Shopping Centre)
- * Played to 9 different Skip's
- * Played 5 games at Home and 11 Games Away
- * Rolled 736 Bowls for Mount Waverley
- * Best Skip for Year 2019 Tony (Nadal)
- * Best 3rd for Year 2019 Hansie (Yodel)
- * Best Coach for Year 2019 - **BIG JIM**
- * **Best Utility Player, BOB the BOWLER, loved every Roll of the Bowl for Year 2019.**

MIDWEEK PENNANT

Both teams from the Midweek Pennant won their section and moved on to contest the next group Team 1 playing St Albans at Cheltenham and Team 2 Team Playing at Boronia.

The Midweek team 2 went onto play of for the Divisional final but were runners up. Great effort to go that far after winning the Section final.



Presentation Night

A reminder to members of the Presentation Night on 5 April @ 6pm for 6:30 pm.

Please place names in the foyer or email the Club info@mwbc.com.au

We will have Ken's catering providing the food and some entertainment from some members of the Club.

Bob the Bowler - Bob absence from the Greens

Earlier in this edition of 'Bowled Over' Bob reflected on his year (2019) which was eventful without being outstanding, enjoyable and always competitive. Unfortunately, Bob presumed that he would finish the year by playing in the last 2 Pennant games, but reluctantly had to decline selection for the last two weeks of the year which included Finals in the Tuesday Pennant. Bob succumbed to **'Lumbar Spinal Stenosis'**, which is nerve swelling in the spinal canal which required an injection into the lumbar nerve, which Bob does not recommend for anyone. Bob is pleased to report improving mobility and looks forward to next season. Bob followed the progress of the Tuesday Pennant team, who played some outstanding games to finish Runners Up in their Division, having come from a position which threatened relegation. No matter how one reflects on this result it must go down as one of the greatest comebacks in the Club's history. Congratulations to everyone involved, Barry, Ian, Kathy, Richard, Reg, Irene, June, David, Charles, Bruce, Robb., Ian and Robyn who all played their part throughout the Finals.



AUSTRALIAN SPORTS FOUNDATION

Forms are now available from the Office to make tax deductible donations to the Club. The first project in 'Rebuild the Mount' is the replacement of our awnings. Please speak to the Executive if you require further information.



**Carolyn Barton
Barry Plant Real Estate
Mount Waverley**

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Congratulations to Night pennant players for winning the first semi-final against Hampton RSL. Hampton RSL has lost 2 games for the season and had beaten us at home by 4 shots and won by many shots on their home turf (synthetic) at Hampton. However, we managed to turn the tables on the second side and win through to the Final of SDEL competition.

At the time of writing we do not know who our opposition will be, but we encourage Club members to rally behind the side on Tuesday 9 April @ 7pm. When we know the venue, we will advise members. Can this team copy the success of the 2017 team ?

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