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MOUNT WAVERLEY BOWLING CLUB INC.

'The friendly bowls club'

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September 2023

The Social Deck

Construction of the new deck work will commence on Monday 2 October. This means that there will be no access available through the sliding door. In addition, the lounge and committee room doors will be under the control of the builder and **MUST NOT** be opened from the inside.

Access to the clubhouse will be through the kitchen door. The first person in the clubhouse will need to turn off the security system, but extra time will be available. Next task is to open the toilet doors for the ladies and gents plus the back doors of the clubhouse.

The last person leaving the clubhouse needs to perform the above tasks in reverse plus remembering to lock the kitchen door from the outside.

All games on the centre green, when playing north-south, are requested to commence from the south end away from the front entrance.

Mount Waverley Bowling Club members are requested to park only in the West Car park (Alvie Road entrance) as the East car park will become a builder's main point of access and materials may be stored beside the east green.

Construction should take approx. 2 weeks, weather and supplies permitting.

Your Assistance is requested.

The club is receiving a great deal of corporate interest at this time of the year. Bookings are now up well into December, so please keep an eye out for sign up sheets a put your now down to assist where possible.

An excerpt from the last newsletter

Committee of Management approved the tendering process for the social deck and accepted the following recommendations that the working party has made the consideration in its previously circulated report:

- That the deck be built with an aluminium sub-frame
- That the Committee of Management approve the use of \$95,000 for the construction of the Social Deck and associated works, noting that donations and grants have been promised amounting to \$56,650.
- That Freshbuilt P/L be appointed as the contractor for the deck.
- That Steering Committee finalise, with our design and engineering team, necessary adjustments to the design arising from the commitment to an aluminium sub-frame and the follow-on actions outlined below, within the overall budget of \$95,000.
- That David Rae be the point of contact with the builder prior to and during the construction phase.

Information session with Selectors

At the conclusion of the practice game on Saturday 14 October, the selectors would like to conduct an information session with pennant players about the expectations for the upcoming bowls season. The session is for Weekend and Midweek pennant players.

If you are not playing that day the session should commence around 4pm.

Battle of the Freeway - Matt Fregon's MP words

An epic competition on Tuesday 5 September for The Battle of the Freeways.

Nine bowling clubs from the electorates of Ashwood, Glen Waverley, and Oakleigh converged on Parliament House to play off in the event of the year. It was a close competition but eventually Ashburton Bowls Club emerged victorious with the Battle of the Freeways Cup. A big thanks to Steve Dimopoulos MP and John Mullahy MP and the great bowls clubs from their electorates for attending.

A shoutout to Burwood District Bowls Club, Mount Waverley Bowling Club, Ashburton Lawn Bowls Club from the Ashwood Electorate for coming along and competing. A special acknowledgment to Presidents Stephen Peisley, Barrie Epstein and Elizabeth Kortum.



MWBC was proudly represented by Joe and Sarina Bonnici, David Rae and Jill Anderson. Thank you for competing in the Battle of the Freeway.

New shade cover for West green.

The club has, with grant support, arranged for a shade company to renew the shade cover at the North of the West green. So please be aware that a great deal of work his happening around the Club before the start of the official bowls season on October 24.

SUPER SOCIAL FRIDAY



Friday 22nd September

4.30pm to 6.30pm

Food, Raffles, Good cheer

Footy tipping prizes presentation

All for only \$5

Theme: Wear your Footy Colours

RSVP for catering: bowlmwbc@gmail.com

Reminder of practise matches.

Weekend pennant

7 October against Burwood / Camberwell Central

14 October against Blackburn

Midweek pennant

10 October against Blackburn

17 October against Vermont South

Most of the matches will be at Mount Waverley Bowling Club but please remember to check the website and noticeboards for venues.



How have you kept your fitness up for the next bowl season?

Here is Joe 'the marathon man'!

For all those dealing with long Covid and other invisible illness pleased be encouraged by the following:

Push V Pace

Push: add \ to P makes Rush

Rush here

Rush there

Exhaust yourself!

But if you PACE!

P...ACE... is the ACE! way to go

The ace way to give yourself a chance

A chance of recovery

We can ACE this Covid thing

By pacing our way through

Be kind, don't judge

You will come up with the greatest

pACE!





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