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## MOUNT WAVERLEY BOWLING CLUB INC.

*'The friendly bowls club'*

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**SEPTEMBER 2026**

### Meet Monash's 2026 Community Champions

From volunteers and community advocates to sustainability champions and youth leaders, the 2026 Sir John Monash Awards celebrated the people creating positive change across Monash. Discover the inspiring stories behind this year's recipients and the contributions helping build a stronger, more connected community.



#### Overall award winner

Betty McDonald, wife of Barry McDonald.  
Age Well Leadership and Outstanding Leadership

At 91 years old, Betty continues to volunteer weekly, supporting older residents through social programs, welfare support and community outreach. Her decades of service has strengthened social connections and improved the lives of countless people across Monash.

Tuesday the 8<sup>th</sup> of September and there will be 8 sessions of about 50 students. The school is providing extra teacher support to help run the sessions with our volunteers, so to help with

| DATE           | TIME              | NAME                        |
|----------------|-------------------|-----------------------------|
| Tuesday 08/09  | 09:45AM – 10:50AM | 1 Group around 25 Students  |
| Tuesday 08/09  | 11:10AM – 12:15PM | 1 Group around 25 Students  |
| Tuesday 08/09  | 12:15PM – 01:20PM | 2 Groups around 50 Students |
| Friday 11/09   | 01:50PM – 02:55PM | 2 Groups around 50 Students |
| Tuesday 15/09  | 11:10AM – 12:15PM | 2 Groups around 50 Students |
| Thursday 15/10 | 12:15PM – 01:20PM | 2 Groups around 50 Students |
| Friday 06/11   | 01:50PM – 02:55PM | 1 Group around 25 Students  |
| One group TBA  |                   |                             |

these sessions, we need about 3 to 4 people for each one. If you can help, please either add your name to the list in the foyer or reply by email.

**A reminder that our next Super Social Friday will be held:**

**18 September      4:30pm to 6:30pm**  
**The Theme will be      BLACK and WHITE**

**So come along in your Black and/or White attire - Dress Up or Down!**

**....make a statement .... anything goes.....**  
**These are fun events with - Finger Food - Raffles - Best Dressed prizes ... all for \$5pp.**

**The Footy Tipping prizes will also be awarded to the winners.**

**For catering purposes please let us know by return email or put your name on the list in the foyer or send me a text.**

**Cheers**  
**Bruce, Phil & Chris**

## **Pennant News.**

We are not far away for the start of the upcoming pennant seasons for Weekend, Midweek, Thursday 7's and Night. The club is having several practice games before the season starts, as follows, Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> of September – Intra-Club practice starting at 01:00PM. This will in club uniform so for any of our new members that are playing weekend and/or Midweek pennant, and you don't have a club top. Please let me know, and we will organise one for you. Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> of September, playing against South Oakleigh, venue to be advised. Match to start at normal Midweek pennant time of 10:30AM Saturday 03<sup>rd</sup> of October, playing against South Oakleigh, venue to be advised. Match to start at normal Weekend pennant time of 01:00PM Tuesday 06<sup>th</sup> of October, playing against Camberwell Central, venue to be advised. Match to start at normal Midweek pennant time of 10:30AM Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> of October, playing against Glen Waverley, venue to be advised. Match to start at normal Weekend pennant time of 01:00PM Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> of October, playing against Glen Waverley, venue to be advised. Match to start at normal Midweek pennant time of 10:30AM

### **Medical Clinic Video**

**If you are visiting a medical clinic in Ashwood, Mt Waverley or Glen Waverley in the next 6 months, you may see a video of lawn bowls at our Club being promoted as a healthy, outdoor, and fun activity. This is a new initiative in our member recruitment program for 2026/27.**

**The video is 30 seconds long and will be played at each of 8 medical clinics in Ashwood, Mt Waverley, and Glen Waverley every hour, 6 days a week, during the second week of September, October, November 2026, and February 2027.**

**The video was produced by Gareth Husband, in collaboration with Jill Anderson, Howard Rose and Lindsay Markham.**

**A link to the video is given below and is also posted on our Facebook Page.**

**[Medical Clinic Video Add Take 12.mp4](#)**

## **OCTOBER INFORMATION NIGHT**

Date: Friday 9 September

Time: 6.00 to 8.00pm

Venue: Members Lounge, Clubhouse

Program:

Time Activity Responsibility

6.00pm Welcome Barrie E

6.05 to 6.35pm

Mystery Wine and Cheese Tasting (competition) Alan S (host), Michelle C/Minh V, Howard R/Jill A

6.35 to 7.45pm

Introduction to Presentations (5 min max per speaker) Barrie E

Pennant Bowls – Tuesday/Thursday/Weekend - Barrie

Pennant Selection David R

Pennant Rule Changes Richard S

Pennant - Tuesday Night Bruce B

Championships Alan S

Tournaments Richard S

7.15 – 7.30pm Finger Food and Drinks Break Michelle

Award of Winning Table Prize for Competition Alan S

7.30 – 8.00pm Social Bowls - Wednesday Alan S/Jim

Social Bowls – Friday Jody B

Social Bowls - Weekend Gareth H

Community Bowls – Schools/Corporates Barrie E

Membership Howard R

Social Functions -Committee/Theme Nights Michelle

Chris C/Phil R

2026/27 Green Fees and Volunteer Survey Michael P

8.00pm Close

### Member Incentive Scheme

The Club will continue its Membership Incentive Scheme in 2026/27.

The scheme provides a \$25 voucher to Club members who introduce new members to the Club. Members can choose vouchers from any one of J B Hi Fi, Bunnings, Coles or Woolworths. Last year, 5 members received vouchers.

So, over to you! Please invite family members, friends, work colleagues or neighbours to join us in having fun playing lawn bowls – they are guaranteed to receive a warm welcome!

**NOMINATION FORM FOR OFFICE BEARERS 2026/27**  
**ANNUAL ELECTION OF OFFICE BEARERS**

To the Secretary

**Election to the 2026-27 Committee of Management (COM)**

..... is hereby nominated for (circle appropriate position)

|                                 |                                |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| <b>President</b><br>(Two years) | <b>Treasurer</b><br>(Two year) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------|

**Committee Member (3 Positions)**  
(Two years)

Signature below indicates acceptance of nomination.

Signed .....

Nominated by (Print Name) .....

Signed .....

Date .....

**CLOSING DATE FOR NOMINATIONS – THURSDAY 1st October 2026 AT 6PM**

Nominations to be submitted to the Secretary (via [info@mwbc.com.au](mailto:info@mwbc.com.au)) or lodged in the nomination box in the Foyer.

## MOUNT WAVERLEY BOWLING CLUB INC.

### ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

**NOTICE IS HERBY GIVEN** that the **Sixty-Second Annual General Meeting of Members of the Mount Waverley Bowling Club Inc.** will be held in the Clubhouse, Wadham Parade, Mount Waverley at 7.00 pm on Thursday 15th October 2026.

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