



BOWLS NORTH WEST COMMUNIQUE



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Board News

The Board have been meeting on a fortnightly basis of late. We met with both the men's and ladies Match Committees and the Umpires sub-committee to say, "Thank you" for all the great work they have done and are achieving throughout this season. Well done to you all. We were also able to discuss any issues anyone may have had. We hope to all take positives from each other and move forward effectively in the future.

We as the Board have been working on Policies in Draft form at this stage to be endorsed in the near future. These include a Selection Policy and a Social Media Policy. We have also been working on our Strategic Plan (mostly short term at this stage) under the guidance of Mike McHugo. Hence the questionnaire sent to each club recently. We will have the results in on February 19th ready to work on for the season 2018-19. Thank you, Mike.

The ladies pennant results have been somewhat difficult of late as Mr Doug Bright had to resign from this post so we are currently in the process of training somebody new to assist in this role.

We have currently completed 2 rounds in the Open and the Senior Statewide Challenge. We wish the teams every success in their final rounds. The Open are doing extremely well at this stage.

We have also purchased new uniforms for the men's teams and we have had a lot of positive feedback re these outfits. We will consider a change in 2019 for the ladies teams as well.

We are also hoping and working on pennant roster dates with BT so to enjoy the better weather after Christmas in the future. This is currently ongoing.

The Bowls North West Annual Dinner will be held at the Ulverstone Bowls Club on Saturday April 21st.

We wish you well as the finals are looming very quickly. Stay safe and continue to enjoy each other's company and good bowling to everyone.

Achievements

STATE SQUAD NEWS

Congratulations to the following players who have been named in the State Squad vying for selection to represent Tasmania in May at the National Sides Championships in Darwin. They are David Gamble, Chris Dudman, Aaron Jago, Phil Mundy, Mark Nitz, Luke Richardson, Dee Harman, Bronny King, Kelly Furley, Erin Sesara and Alison Venn. Good luck to all players in the final selection process later this month.

ASSOCIATION CHAMPIONSHIPS

Ladies Open Fours – Joan Burley, Bron Horton, Wilma Gray & Elaine Saville
Ladies Open Triples – Alison Venn, Gaylene Elsworthy & Bronny King

Ladies B Grade Fours – Miriam Thompson, Carolyn Huisman, Dot Prior & Roslyn Ancliff

Ladies B Grade Triples – Kaye Cooper, Liz Rummery & Lois Gill

Mens Open Fours – Luke Richardson, Ricki Richardson, Cam Griffiths & Vaughn Eaves

Mens Open Triples – Greg Douce, Phillip Moore & Graeme Moore

Mens Open Pairs – Greg Douce & Tony Maney

Mens Open Singles – Cam Griffiths

Mens Minor Fours – Rodney O'Halloran, Trevor Bryant, Terry Auld and James Butler

Mens Minor Triples – Keven Baker, Peter Crowe & Chris White

Mens Minor Pairs – Noel Purton & Phillip Barnes

Mens Minor Singles – Chris Barber

Key Dates

FEBRUARY

13-14th Ladies BNW Pairs
18-21st State Senior Championships – LBC PS
18th Round 3 Junior Statewide Pennant
25th Round 3 Open Statewide Pennant
27-28th Ladies BNW Singles

MARCH

3rd Saturday Pennant Semi Finals
4th Saturday Pennant Prelim Finals
6th Rnd 3 Senior Statewide Challenge
10-12th State Open Triples
13-15th Ladies Pennant Finals
14th Midweek Pennant Prelim Final
17th Saturday Pennant Grand Final
21st Midweek Grand Final

Some of our
Championship Winners.
Thanks to those who
sent in photos.



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