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THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Welcome to our latest edition of the Newsletter. I would like to extend a wish of thanks to Tony Boughton for a job well done as our editor.

The 2011 Championships are well underway with the Major Pairs now completed. Congratulations to the ultimate winners, Mark Kakoschke and Matt Stubbs. A close game in the finish with Matty sealing the win with his last bowl on the last end.

Congratulations also to the runners up, Dallas Palm and Geoff McIntosh. A great effort to reach the final and gracious in defeat. I'm surprised by the level interest not shown by spectators for this final. Perhaps the conditions were a little warm but it is a prestigious event in our calendar and the participants deserve a little more recognition. Remember gentlemen, "if it were you in the final, we would be out there watching". The Fours Championship Final will be played on March 5th.

A busy time ahead with the pennant season for 2011 commencing on March 12th. I wish all bowlers the best of luck for the season, a great opportunity to do us proud.

Terry Barnett, President

UMPIRES CORNER

Effective from 1st January 2011, there have been changes to the laws that affect play in Australia. These are:

- A domestic regulation which allows the jack to be rolled a minimum of 21 metres
- The winner of an end cannot give the mat away
- Skips duties now include the marking of the card in Pairs, Triples & Fours and adjusting the scoreboard between themselves at least every second end.

Also the 3 laws on replacement players & substitutes as written in the new Crystal Mark 2nd edition law book need some explanation. These form part of the Domestic Regulations.

DR Law 4.1.4 states : Replacement Player is one who is appointed to take the place of an *intended* player prior to the start of the competition for a reason accepted by the *Controlling Body*.

This means that once the competition has started there can be no further replacement players. There can only be substitutes and if no substitutes are available the match would be forfeited.

Example 1 . Players A,B,C, & D enter the club 4's championship. Before round 1 of the competition commences player C withdraws . Player Y is used as a replacement player & he can play in any position DR4.3.3 .

Example 2 . In the scenario above, players A,B,D & Y played in round 2 & are due to play in round 3 of the 4's championship. However player A withdraws for some reason. DR 4.3.2 states only one replacement player shall be permitted per competition. Therefore, unless the team can find a suitable substitute for round 3, the match would be forfeited.

DR Law 4.7.4 states: Only one substitute will be allowed in a team (pairs, triples or fours)

Essentially this is no different to what has occurred in the past.

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UPCOMING EVENTS—MARCH to MAY

TUESDAY	1 MAR 11		WOMEN'S PENNANTS COMMENCE
SATURDAY	5 MAR 11	1:00 PM	MEN'S FOURS - FINAL
SATURDAY	5 MAR 11	4:30 PM	MEN'S MAJOR TRIPLES - CLOSING DATE FOR NOMINATIONS
MONDAY	7 MAR 11	8:30 AM	MEN'S TURN-AROUND-TRIPLES @ BEECROFT
SATURDAY	12 MAR 11	12:40 PM	STATE PENNANTS - ROUND 1
SUNDAY	13 MAR 11	8:45 AM	MEN'S MAJOR TRIPLES - ROUND 1
SATURDAY	19 MAR 11	12:40 PM	STATE PENNANTS - ROUND 2
SUNDAY	20 MAR 11	8:45 AM	MEN'S MAJOR TRIPLES - ROUND 2
THURSDAY	24 MAR 11	8:30 AM	MEN'S WEST PENNANT HILLS 3 TO 7 CARNIVAL
SATURDAY	26 MAR 11	12:40 PM	STATE PENNANTS - ROUND 3
SUNDAY	27 MAR 11	8:45 AM	MEN'S MAJOR TRIPLES - SEMI-FINAL
SATURDAY	2 APR 11	12:40 PM	STATE PENNANTS - ROUND 4
SUNDAY	3 APR 11	8:45 AM	MEN'S MAJOR TRIPLES - FINAL
MONDAY	4 APR 11	8:30 AM	MEN'S TURN-AROUND-TRIPLES @ WEST EPPING PANTHERS
THURSDAY	7 APR 11		WOMEN'S CLUB PAIRS CHAMPIONSHIP - ENTRIES CLOSE
SATURDAY	9 APR 11	12:40 PM	STATE PENNANTS - ROUND 5
SUNDAY	10 APR 11	8:45 AM	MEN'S MAJOR TRIPLES - SPARE DAY
FRIDAY	15 APR 11		WOMEN'S PENNANTS FINISH
SATURDAY	16 APR 11	12:40 PM	STATE PENNANTS - ROUND 6
WEDNESDAY	20 APR 11	12:10 PM	MEN'S MID WEEK TRIPLES - ROUND 1
THURSDAY	21 APR 11		WOMEN'S CLUB PAIRS CHAMPIONSHIP
SATURDAY	23 APR 11	4:30 PM	MEN'S MAJOR SINGLES - CLOSING DATE FOR NOMINATIONS
MONDAY	25 APR 11	1:00 PM	ANZAC DAY
MONDAY	25 APR 11	1:00 PM	MIXED ANZAC DAY CARNIVAL
WEDNESDAY	27 APR 11	12:10 PM	MEN'S MID WEEK TRIPLES - ROUND 2
SATURDAY	30 APR 11	12:40 PM	STATE PENNANTS - ROUND 7
SUNDAY	1 MAY 11	8:45 AM	MEN'S MAJOR SINGLES - ROUND 1
MONDAY	2 MAY 11	8:30 AM	MEN'S DURAL 3 TO 7 CARNIVAL
WEDNESDAY	4 MAY 11	12:10 PM	MEN'S MID WEEK TRIPLES - ROUND 3
SATURDAY	7 MAY 11	12:40 PM	STATE PENNANTS - ROUND 8
WEDNESDAY	11 MAY 11	12:10 PM	MEN'S MID WEEK TRIPLES - ROUND 4
THURSDAY	12 MAY 11		WOMEN'S CLUB MAJOR SINGLES - ENTRIES CLOSE
SATURDAY	14 MAY 11	12:40 PM	STATE PENNANTS - ROUND 9
SUNDAY	15 MAY 11	8:45 AM	MEN'S MAJOR SINGLES - ROUND 2
MONDAY	16 MAY 11		WOMEN'S FASHION PARADE
MONDAY	16 MAY 11	8:30 AM	MEN'S TURN-AROUND-TRIPLES @ WEST PENNANT HILLS
WEDNESDAY	18 MAY 11	12:10 PM	MEN'S MID WEEK TRIPLES - ROUND 5
FRIDAY	20 MAY 11	8:30 AM	MEN'S WEST EPPING PANTHERS 3 TO 7 CARNIVAL
SATURDAY	21 MAY 11	12:40 PM	STATE PENNANTS - ROUND 10
SATURDAY	21 MAY 11	4:30 PM	MEN'S MINOR TRIPLES - CLOSING DATE FOR NOMINATIONS

UPCOMING EVENTS—MARCH to MAY continued

SUNDAY	22 MAY 11	8:45 AM	MEN'S MAJOR SINGLES - ROUND 3
WEDNESDAY	25 MAY 11	12:10 PM	MEN'S MID WEEK TRIPLES - ROUND 6
THURSDAY	26 MAY 11		WOMEN'S CLUB MAJOR SINGLES
FRIDAY	27 MAY 11	8:30 AM	MEN'S DURAL SUPER SIX TRIPLES
SATURDAY	28 MAY 11	1:00 PM	MEN'S MAJOR SINGLES - SEMI-FINAL
SUNDAY	29 MAY 11	8:45 AM	MEN'S MINOR TRIPLES - ROUND 1

For information about Club events please see the nomination form

For information about State events go to www.zone10.org.au

FROM THE LADIES --- MARGARET WIGHTON

On behalf of the Ladies, a very happy, healthy & successful 2011 to all bowlers.

It was a sad ending to our 2010 bowling year with the passing of Isa O'Donnell in December. Isa & her late husband, Wilf, transferred from Sussex Inlet in 1995. While enjoying bowls here she won the Triples three times and the Fours. Isa was very family orientated and was overjoyed when she became a very proud great-grandmother. Always willing to assist in Club activities Isa was a warm and loving member who will be sadly missed and always remembered.

Our Consistency Championship was the last bowling event for the year. This was won by Rosemary Roles with Anne Lucietto runner-up. After winning 3 Championships each we now have 2 "Queens of the Green", Jeanette Egan joining Rosemary for this title. Well done!

It was a nice way to finish the years bowling with the Ladies & Men joining together to celebrate with a Christmas Luncheon and the presentation of Men's, Ladies and Mixed Trophies.

It was a shame that the Australia Day celebration was cut short due to the extreme heat, however we did enjoy the sausage sizzle and the great raffle prizes.

Wishing all bowlers a successful Pennant season and may the luck be shared!



2010 Championship Winners

Back Row: Rosemary Roles, Rowena Coode, Anne Lucietto, and Betty Lamb

Front Row: Jeanette Egan, Veronica Doyle, and Margaret Wighton

PENNANTS PLAY 2011

The dilemma for the selectors this year is that we have more than enough players for (3 Sides) and not enough for (4 Sides). Therefore, the selection criteria will be based upon current form and potential and not on past endeavours as there are now a number of bowlers in our Club, who have made significant progress in their ability and will press their claims in the final selection of Teams for our 2011 Pennant Sides.

To be selected in a Team to represent your Club in any grade is indeed an honour. Therefore, commitment to the success of your Team is of the utmost importance. A successful Pennant Team will always play for the Side, win if you can, if you can't win, then lose by the least margin to allow your Side a chance to gain the aggregate. Always watch the Master Board!! Players should concentrate on the game at all times, watch every delivery and know which team owns each bowl on the head. This aids concentration to your game and helps correction which brings consistency. All players should adopt a positive attitude to the green and the conditions, never criticise your team mates but encourage and praise there play on your rink and those on adjoining rinks, and always be supportive. The need to practice as a Team is essential if success is to be achieved. Therefore, weekly training sessions throughout the pennant season will be encouraged by all selected Teams.

Finally enjoy this Pennant season, show good sportsmanship to your team mates and above all to your opponents and be gracious in winning as well as defeat.

Alan Bowry

CHAMPIONSHIP RESULTS

Men's Fours

Semi-Finals M. Kakoschke, A. Barnett, M. Stubbs, T. Barnett (20)
d. R. Gamble, A. Bowry, P. Eagle, G. McIntosh (16)
D. Palm, B. O'Brien, K. Robinson, R. Foster (24)
d. D. Penny, B. Joyce, I. Corke, J. Leonard (22)

Final (to be played)

Men's Major Pairs

Semi-Finals M. Kakoschke, M. Stubbs (35) d. D. Carpenter, D. Roles (5)
D. Palm, G. McIntosh (21) d. I. Corke, J. Leonard (11)

Final **M. Kakoschke, M. Stubbs (25) d. D. Palm, G. McIntosh (19)**



Major Pairs Finalists

Dallas Palm (R/U), Mark Kakoschke (W),
Matt Stubbs (W), and Geoff McIntosh (R/U)

UMPIRES CORNER (continued)

DR Law 4.7.5.2 states: In a pairs team, if a replacement player is used PC (pre competition), then a substitute can only take the place of the replacement player.

The reasoning for this is to ensure one of the original *intended* players remains in the team DR 4.1.3.

Example : Players X & Y enter into the club pairs competition. Prior to round 1 player X withdraws & player G is the replacement player. Prior to round 2 player Y is forced to withdraw. Therefore the match would be forfeited.

It should be remembered that a team may be able to use a substitute in round one of a competition instead of a replacement player DR 4.4.1

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Phil Nancarrow passed away in January this year. He was a life member of this Club. His name appeared on every Championship trophy of the Club. He was Bowls Treasurer for many years. He moved to Gloucester in the early 2000's. After he moved, he used to drop into our club to visit, once or twice a year.

BOWLING TIMES

Visitors are welcome to join us on social days.

You can put your name on the list in the Sports Room for every event EXCEPT Thursday Twilight Bowls

Tuesday (Ladies) Cards called at 9:45am. Games commence at 10:00am.

Wednesday (Men) Phone between 11.00 am & 12.00pm on 9980-6922*. Cards called at 12:45 pm.

Thursday (Everybody Welcome) Twilight Bowls From 5.30pm, no phone-in required. (During Daylight Saving Only.)

Friday "Jackpot Pairs" Nominated Mixed Competition. Cards called at 12:45pm.

Saturday (Men) Phone between 11.00 am & 12.00pm on 9980-6922*. Cards called at 12:45 pm.

Sunday Mixed Bowls Games commence at 2:00pm.

{*If 9980-6922 is **not working**, only then use the emergency number 0420 211 938}

Arranging a corporate event for your workplace? Looking for something different for that family function? Then contact **Paul van Tilburg** on 9656 1453 or at corporate@demaj.com.au.

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