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August, 2018

(The title is based on a saying of the Antarctic Eskimos meaning the 'active gaining of wisdom').

## NEWSLETTER OF UNIFIED BOWLS SECTIONS

Congratulations to Ladies' Indoor Pennant Bowlers

Division One Winners!!

Division 2 and Division 3 Runners up

**\*\*\*\*ALL OUTDOOR PENNANT PRACTICE MATCHES ARE ORGANISED. ALL MEMBERS ARE REQUIRED TO INDICATE THEIR AVAILABILITY ON THE SIGN UP SHEET. A HANDOUT WITH ALL DETAILS OF ALL GAMES IS ALSO AVAILABLE.**

### Board of Management

has agreed to sponsor *Gina's Dream Team* in an Aboriginal football/netball carnival, with funds towards uniforms and equipment.

**Board of Management** has invited social members of the (now closed) Royal Mail Hotel to be social members of the Club. They will be using the members' bar. Please make them welcome.



### Umpires Course

**UMPIRES COURSE** will be held during pennant season. If any members are interested. Please see Rob for sign up details.

Reaccreditations: - October 16<sup>th</sup> and 23<sup>rd</sup>.2018

New Umpires: - November 20th and 27<sup>th</sup>, December 4<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup>, 2018

Social Committee is selling raffle tickets

1<sup>st</sup> prize Weber BBQ

2<sup>nd</sup> prize Vintage Port

3<sup>rd</sup> prize Slab of beer

*Be in it to win it.  
Funds raised benefit  
all club members.*

Drawn September 26,  
2018



### Update from Greenkeeper

Samples of the white spots on the carpet under the dome have been sent to experts for analysis (definitely not salt).

WIFI sprinkler system has been installed.

Work under way preparing greens and surrounds for practice matches and hosting of the Teachers Games.

Greens staff will treat concrete around Dome area with a non-slip material when weather is suitable.



### GEAR UP FOR PENNANT SEASON

**SPECIAL EVENT: Thursday September 27, 2018**

**Social bowls day commencing at 3pm**

**(On grass greens if available)**

**An information session at 5pm**

**Followed by Pie Night at 6pm**

**Sign-up sheet for bowls available on notice board**

Again we thank all sponsors and encourage members to use as many as possible when choosing a supplier.



Victorian Teachers' Games September 23-26, 2018 (assistance will be needed. Express an interest to help if you are free) **NO Greens will be available to members for those dates.**

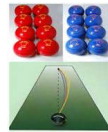
School Bowls Competition – October 18, 2018

Saturday Social Bowls finishes on: Sept 1, 2018

Winter Pennant Triples finishes on August 21, 2018

Scroungers will continue during the summer months if sufficient interest is shown.

Nominated triples commencing Tuesday October 9<sup>th</sup> - places now available. Sign-up sheet on notice board



## Indoor Bowls Latest Achievers:

### CLUB:

LADIES Fours winners: R Page, B Simpson, B Flynn, G Densley.

Runners Up: D Tobin, N Thornhill, K. Parnell, B Paton.

### BIBBA: (winners)

Cheryl Helmore Ch of Ch

Ian Hedger in Men's Pairs, Men's Fours, Mixed Pairs. And Runner Up in Mixed Pennant.

Elaine Pitts in Mixed Fours and Mixed Pennant Section 1.

John Byron in Mixed Fours

Margaret Cassells Runner up in Mixed Pairs

### VIBBA:

Cheryl Helmore in Ladies Triples winning team.

Margaret Cassells in Ladies Triples runners up

Ian Hedger in Mixed Fours winning team

Sue Edmondson in Mixed Fours winning team

Tuesday night's Summer Mixed Challenge commences Oct 9<sup>th</sup> – Signup on "Info Stand"

Thursday Social Bowls commences August 16<sup>th</sup> at 7.30 pm and turns to Summer Pennant on Oct 11<sup>th</sup>



**SUPER DOME SERIES 2018**  
BALLARAT

## Thursday nights from 6pm

Super Dome Series 2018 commenced with 26 teams entered from 17 clubs

Series takes place for six weeks

Come and support our clubs running of this event and our 2 teams!!



### Amendment to rule 5.1.8

'The bowlers arm once used in a game must be used for the remainder of the game. This does not apply to the rolling of the jack, which can be rolled either by hand or by a bowlers arm'.

### BDBD's Proposed Pennant 2018/19 Dates are:

**Premier:** October 6 to December 22, 2018

January 12, 2019 to March 24, 2019

**\*\*No Play Australia Day Weekend – January 26, 2019**

### Weekend:

October 6 2018 to December 15, 2018

January 12, 2019 to March 2, 2019

**\*\*WILL play Australia Day Weekend– January 26, 2019**

### Midweek Pennant

October 1, 2018 to December 17, 2018 –

January 12 to February 18, 2019

**\*\*No play Australia Day holiday– January 28, 2019**

**\*\*NO PENNANT during Victorian Open November 16 to November 23, 2018**

All dates will be confirmed on receipt of Handbook