



# Didja'no January, 2019

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

## NEWSLETTER OF UNIFIED BOWLS SECTIONS

**BDBD** has published the recommendations from the BDBD Pennant Planning Committee. for the upcoming outdoor bowls season. All the recommendations that are contained in the document have been endorsed by the BDBD Board and will be introduced from the start of the 2019/2020 season for both Monday and Saturday competitions. A copy of the recommendations is on the Notice Board. Be sure to familiarise yourself with the changes that will take place next season.



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### SELECTION POLICY

Some changes may be necessary to ensure eligibility of members to play in finals if the teams look like qualifying.

Selectors will be carefully selecting teams in the final rounds, making sure that bowlers are eligible for finals.

**REMEMBER:** Bowlers are required to speak to an advocate prior to making an appointment with the Selection Committee.

**\*\* Definitely no discussion regarding selection, should take place with a selector, especially during a game.**



A fun night was had by all who played in the Eldorado Members Only Twilight Social Tournament. Players won novelty events, and were also rotated through bowling positions from skip to lead.

Prize Money was donated by the Club, and was spread widely and wisely. 😊

Valuable (?), and Useful (?) prizes were awarded to members 😊

Excellent supper was provided by our hard-working catering committee.-

### CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR NEW CLUB CHAMPIONS

**Ladies Club Champion is: SUZANNE CASSELLS**

**Runner up: ROSALEEN RYAN**

**Men's Club Champion is: JOHN CAMERON**

**Runner up: PAUL LOVELL**



.....Barefoot bowls and meal packages are very popular for businesses and family functions. Since the start of the season we have hosted around 550 participants with most being over the Christmas period, taking advantage of the warm nights. Many of these groups purchased the Bowls and BBQ packages which are offered per person in \$20, \$24 and \$30 lots.

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## PENNANT RESULTS TO DATE:

### WEEKEND – Round 13 MIDWEEK – Round 14

Prem Div > 4<sup>th</sup>

Div 1 > 8<sup>th</sup>

Div 2 > 6<sup>th</sup>

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Div 4 > 4<sup>th</sup>

Div 3 > 9<sup>th</sup>

Div 5 > 1<sup>st</sup>

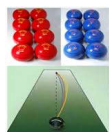
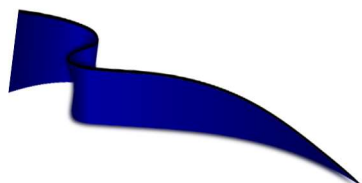
Div 4 > 10<sup>th</sup>

Div 6 > 5<sup>th</sup>

Div 7 > 3<sup>rd</sup>

Div 8 > 6<sup>th</sup>

Div 9 > 9<sup>th</sup>



## INDOOR BOWLS NEWS

A MEETING is scheduled for Thursday February 21, 2019 to:

- Elect Ladies indoor Match Committee (3 positions)
- Elect Men's Match Committee (3 positions)
- Elect Indoor Social Committee (3-5 positions)
- Nominate BIBBA Delegates (1male 1 female)
- Nominations close at 7 p on Thursday February 7<sup>th</sup>. Nomination forms are on notice boards. Special conditions apply to be eligible to vote.

### Board of Management News:

- Club toilets near Function Room refurbished
- New building slightly behind schedule
- Solar panels currently being installed – 4 inverters, 100kw system, 277 roof panels
- Club Security has been upgraded
- Proposal to replace back green nearing approval.
- Watering system for greens upgraded

### QUICK NEWSBITES:

- ✳ Alan Jones has agreed to take up the position of Assistant President.
- ✳ A laser measure has now arrived and it is in use by our umpires.
- ✳ Weekly disabled groups increased, and now on Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Fridays.
- ✳ Club events well under way and scheduled to finish on time.
- ✳ Presentation Night will be held on Friday March 29<sup>th</sup>. Further details later.
- ✳ Bowls Victoria propose to survey Clubs monthly regarding participation numbers.



### UPCOMING EVENTS;

Corporate Bowls starts (6 weeks) – January 31, 2019

Mixed Pairs Open – February 3, 2019

Ladies Grand Pacific Tournament. –February 20, 2019

Great Southern Classic – February 24, 2019

Sign-up sheets on Notice Boards. Entries Welcome



A BIG THANKYOU to the hard-working Social Committee members who provide benefits for all members:

- ✓ Paid for Pizzas to value of \$1294 for Christmas windup
- ✓ Christmas Hamper Special Effort (\$968) and December Special Effort (\$807) raised \$1775.

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