



# BOWLS NORTH WEST COMMUNIQUE



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## Board News

Greetings from Bowls North West. The AGM was held recently, and the following people were elected into positions on the board.

President:	Phil Prouse
Vice President Male:	Robert (Bob) Franklin
Vice President Female:	Gwenda King
Board Director:	Mike McHugo
Board Director:	David Jeffrey
Board Director:	Val Carey
Board Director:	Tracey Little

Welcome Tracey, we are confident you will contribute to the Board in many ways. It is great to see younger bowlers take on this role. We would like to take this opportunity to thank Judy Jarman for her dedicated time over the past 2 years as a Director and lady's publicity officer. Enjoy your bowling Judy. You have contributed in many ways to the great game of bowls over many years.

### **BNW Competition will be played as follows.**

**TUESDAY** – Veterans – Men only.

**WEDNESDAY** - Mid Week – Men only (same conditions as last season)

**THURSDAY** – Women only - Substitutes as per BNW Bylaws

**SATURDAY** - Open Gender 16 a side and 25 ends unless directed otherwise by Bowls Tasmania.

Saturday pennant will be a learning curve for BNW. All 3 regions are now open gender for Saturday Pennant. Refer to BNW Bylaw 4.5.3 *For Saturday pennant which is open gender, all players must be selected on ability and gender cannot be used as a selection consideration.*

Currently Bowls Tasmania are working on state wide conditions of play which will be put to all regions to analyse.

## Board News (cont)

### **Match Committee Appointments**

BNW have appointed the following match committees.

Men – Chairperson: Doug Brain, secretary: Glen “Boxer” Stephens, ordinary members: Ian Moore & Warren Butcher

Ladies – Chairperson: Laraine Spurr, secretary: Pauline Shaw, ordinary members: Shirley Adams & Veronica Streets

### **BNW Selectors**

Selectors for the 2018-19 season will be appointed at our July Board meeting.

State selector positions (NW) will become vacant in August and expressions of interest will be called for by Bowls Tasmania. The successful applicants will then have to be endorsed by BNW.

The State junior selector is Max Amos. Max has been appointed BNW junior selector and coach, Heath Fidler is also BNW junior selector and team manager.

### **With Thanks**

BNW would like to thank all those who held positions over the past season. A big move for selectors is to be responsible for both Open and Senior sides selections. We appreciate your hard work and time. Thank you.



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### BNW Website

BNW board meeting minutes will be placed on the website each month from here-on in.

BNW ask that all members take time to read the BNW bylaws and policies which are on the BNW website.

### Capitation Fees

Bowls Tasmania capitation fee for 2018/2019 is \$50.00 for seniors and \$35.00 for juniors. BNW levy is \$28.00 for seniors and Zero for juniors. The total payable is \$78. (The BNW zero cost is to encourage juniors to take up the sport).

### Strategic Planning 2018/19

For the Board of Bowls North West to initiate strategies for the achievement or further advancement of the following agreed Strategic Plan long and short-term objectives over the coming twelve months.

### BOARD/CEO OBJECTIVES:

- ✓ Constitution & By-Laws (Annual Review)
- ✓ 2018-19 Budget (Finance Committee)
- ✓ Assets Register (CEO)
- ✓ Sponsorship plan/proposals
- ✓ Governance training
- ✓ Grant & Other Funding Opportunities (Investigation etc)

### IN CONJUNCTION WITH CLUBS:

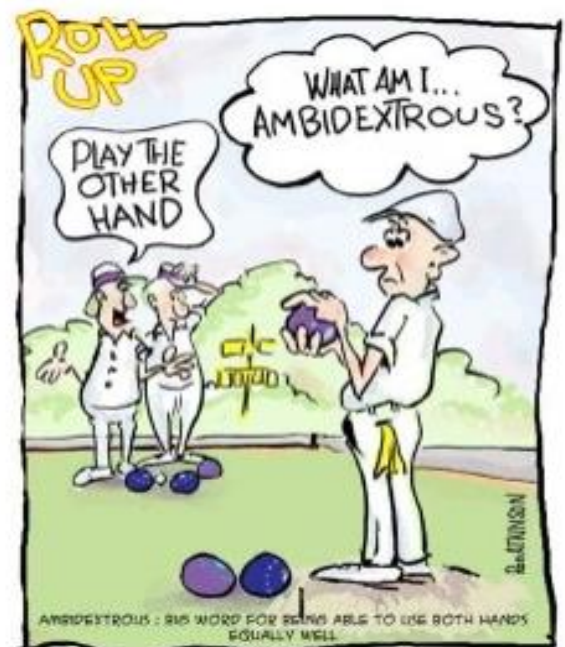
- ✓ Open Gender evaluation (at season end)
- ✓ Increase participation in the game & create pathways (Board with Clubs)
- ✓ Communication of Pennant results (electronic)
- ✓ E-Communication & Sports TG (equipment & technologies)

## Board News (cont)

### ESTABLISHMENT OF COMMITTEES:

- ✓ Development & Marketing of our game
- ✓ Maintain Competitiveness of BNW teams (Board with Selectors & Coaches)
- ✓ BNW involvement in staging bowls events (Board with Clubs)

We wish all clubs well in the upcoming season and may you continue to enjoy this great game of lawn bowls.



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