

Metropolitan Bowls Association

PRESIDENT'S UPDATE NO.18 September 2018

Greetings! This update is mainly for the 19 new Presidents.

In Brief. The MBA has been in existence since Sept. 2016. We have set high standards in consultation with clubs and providing information regarding pennant matters. We have reduced pennant costs to clubs significantly. We believe the Festival of Finals we organised in March was a feature event enjoyed by all levels of bowlers.

Why was the MBA formed? In the Bowls SA Annual Report "the formation of the MBA was to allow Bowls SA to concentrate on other matters."

Delegates. The decision to make the Presidents of Clubs the delegates for meetings was significant. We welcome your involvement as a leader.

Meetings. April –AGM September-Information re the new season. January-review the season and make recommendations.

Updates. You will receive a monthly update of what we are doing.

Website. All our policies, forms, memos and updates can be found at: metrobowls@bigpond.com

Meetings. Match and Programme meet 3rd Monday. The Executive Committee meets 4th Monday in varying club venues.

Vacancy. We currently have a vacancy on the Executive Committee and applications close Fri 21st Sept. Please encourage potential applicants.

Calendar. Bowls Australia is planning major changes to their calendar to consolidate events (not the Australian Open) in the first two weeks of October.

Scorecards. Can be picked up from Bowls SA from Tues am 18th Sept.

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