

Metropolitan Bowls Association



# **PRESIDENT'S UPDATE NO.20 November 2018**

## **Greetings!**

## Advance Notice!

- Our January MBA meeting for Presidents will be at Blackwood Bowling Club Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> Jan. 10am.
- AGM 14<sup>th</sup> April 2019. Venue to be advised.

# **Electricity Bulk Purchase.**

- Fifteen clubs have sought further information or have forwarded their accounts for review. We will discuss this at our January meeting of Presidents at Blackwood.
- <u>A reminder if you wish to take part in the first collective bargaining</u> group you must send us your electricity bills for the last year by Dec <u>15<sup>th</sup></u>.
- We also asked all clubs to send in the reply sheet on the memo which has been attached again below.

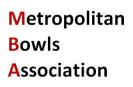
# On the Greens.

 Together with the SA Bowlers League we have now livestreamed programmes every Sunday morning. Bowlers can view at their leisure on the metro bowls Facebook page, or if they are early risers, watch live at 7.45am.

# A New Feature! YOUR CLUB

- We will come to **your club** and livestream a 45 min programme.
- We intend starting with <u>small clubs</u>. Interview officials, players and club legends! You can have an audience as well. Time and day to suit your club.
- The MBA coming to you and helping to promote your club!







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- The first club will be **Sturt** Bowling Club. Thurs 6<sup>th</sup> 6pm on Facebook.
- Hopefully one club a week will be able to participate!

## Prestige Medley.

- All clubs have been contacted to nominate players for the Prestige Medley.
- We will purchase new shirts for all teams.

#### ECH News.

• ECH- our great sponsor, has arranged Xmas functions at Tranmere, Modbury, West Lakes and Happy Valley. Mike Porter is the organiser.

## A Few Admin Matters.

- Jeff Allen Chair of Match and Programme has written to many clubs about incorrect entry of results. Names not matching results. In some cases the submit button for results is not entered.
  Fines to clubs are now applicable if this keeps happening.
- A proposal has been forwarded to the Board of Bowls SA regarding Permits and we are confident of some significant change.
- January meeting-we hope to see all clubs represented at Blackwood Bowling Club!

Xmas Greetings to all Member Clubs, Officials and Players!

Ron Mitchell

President