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The Newsletter of the Burwood District Bowls Club

From the President's Desk

The innovative move to all-at-home, all-away-for pennant this season proved out beautifully on Saturday. What a pleasure it was to see the Warner close to full! How stirring was it to stand as a club before the game! How uplifting was the mood, the focus on a common goal, *One Club*, together forging a new shape, a new dynamic, a sound future.

Our return to an old style afternoon tea added nicely to the day. Many thanks to Stephen Creek for taking responsibility for sandwich making and for arranging the roster that will service the remaining 8 Saturday rounds to be played at Burwood. Once again we will be the hosts we once were. Visitors will once again be pleased they have spent their day at BDBC.

Special thanks to the many who stayed behind for after-match social time. I am looking for this time to be an important part of each home day across the season, and if possible, of each away Saturday as well. An important part of home game days will be cordial post-match hosting of our visitor opponents The returns will be manifold.

Thank you everyone for responding so positively and productively to your Board's call for commitment to the task of energising our Club for the future. There is much yet to be done but we are on the way.

Now, can I please you all, do not ignore my challenge to earnestly seek new members. I cannot over stress the absolute importance of our rising to this challenge. Among your family, your business partners, your college staff, you neighbours, your golf club members, your friends, there are people who would take to our game if only they had the chance. Study the matter. Apply yourself. Remember, the target is

MEMBERSHIP 100 BY OCTOBER 31.

We can do it.

Maintain the drive, the purpose, the energy, and the people of BDBC. Together we can do almost anything!

Michael Chittenden President

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MIDWEEK PENNANT RESULTS

Tuesday October 2nd 2018

BURWOOD 1	НОМЕ	Caulfield Pk	Alma	For	Agst	Diff	PTS
B Matthews	G Nielsen	B Chittenden	B Wyatt	18	23	-5	
P Williams	J Ferguson	P Kaye	S Collins	14	21	-7	
J Kent	J Mann	G Burgess	R Morley	22	20	2	2
			Loss	54	64	-10	2
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BURWOOD 2 v	HOME	Albert Park		For	Agst	Diff	PTS
L Larher	A Powell	A Marshall	J Hawes	15	20	-5	
L Durran	T Cove	L Rasmussen	M Hawes	28	11	17	2
G Murphy	J Fowler	E Lambert	J Sumsion	24	11	13	2
			Win	67	42	25	14
Burwood 6-a-Side	HOME	Bayswater		For	Agst	Diff	PTS
E Payne	B Dunstan		H Veitch	14	15	-1	
M Veitch	J Sloman		I McCahon	14	20	-6	
			Loss	28	35	-7	

MIDWEEK PENNANT RESULTS Tuesday October 9th 2018

BURWOOD 1	HOME	<u>Armadale</u>		For	Agst	Diff	PTS
B Matthews	G Nielsen	B Chittenden	M Chittenden	21	22	-1	
P Williams	J Ferguson	P Kaye	S Collins	12	21	-9	
G Murphy	J Mann	H Kennedy	G Burgess	19	17	2	2
			Loss	52	60	-8	2
BURWOOD 2 v	HOME	Elsternwick	Club	For	Agst	Diff	PTS
L Larher	A Powell	A Marshall	J Hawes	21	8	13	2
L Durran	J Sloman	L Rasmussen	M Hawes	13	17	-4	
B Dunstan	J Fowler	E Lambert	J Sumsion	18	15	3	2
			Win	52	40	12	14
Burwood 6-a-Side	HOME	Bennetswood		For	Agst	Diff	PTS
J Muscat	B Hall		H Veitch	16	16		
M Veitch	I Veale		M Krahe	3	19		
			Loss				0

SATURDAY PENNANT RESULTS

SATURDAY October 6TH 2018



					For	Agst	Diff	PTS
Burwood 1	Edithvale 2	AT	Burwood					
MANN J	COLLINS S	HENDRY M	SODAITIS G		24	18	6	2
HENDRA D	CHITTENDEN B	PEISLEY S	CREEK S		23	24	-1	0
FERGUSON J	CORRIE J	ROBINSON M	HODGENS N		29	12	17	2
KENT B	WORBOYS C	WYATT B	CHITTENDEN M		31	16	15	2
			,	W/L	107	70	37	16
Burwood 2	Croydon 4	AT	Burwood					
BIRCH J	DOCKING B	NICOLL S	JENKINS P		15	25	-10	0
TWITT N	CREEK R	KENT J	COVE R		18	17	1	2
MURPHY G	LAMBERT E	RASMUSSEN L	MORLEY J		14	39	-25	0
BELL S	FOWLER J	SUMSION J	WILLIAMS P		19	13	6	2
			,	W/L	66	94	-28	4
Burwood 3	St Kilda 6	AT	Burwood					
BAILEY J	VEITCH M		KENNEDY H		1	0	1	2
BROWN J	VEITCH H		SLOMAN J		1	0	1	2
				W/L	2	2	0	14

SATURDAY PENNANT RESULTS

SATURDAY October 13TH 2018

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Moorabbin 1	AT	Moorabbin 1				
COLLINS S	ROBINSON M	SODAITIS G	21	19	2	2
GASCOIGNE R	PEISLEY S	CREEK S	29	16	13	2
CORRIE J	HODGENS N	JACKETT B	17	25	-8	0
WORBOYS C	WYATT B	CHITTENDEN M	16	16	0	1
		W/L	- 83	76	7	15
Mitcham 4	AT	Mitcham 4				
DOCKING B	NICOLL S	JENKINS P	17	19	-2	0
CREEK R	COVE R	CHITTENDEN B	33	15	18	2
LAMBERT E	MORLEY J	HENDRY M	19	14	5	2
FERGUSON J	WILLIAMS P	MORLEY R	21	8_	13	2
		W/L	90	56	34	16
Brighton 4	AT	Brighton 4				
FOWLER J		KENT J	8	29	-21	0
VEITCH H		SUMSION J	14	15	-1	0
		W/L	22	44	-22	0
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Dates to Remember

All of the following will have relevant information on the noticeboard.

Important dates

Men's Club Singles Rd 1 & 2 - Sunday 21st of October

All Round 1 and 2 games of the Men's Club singles need to be played before or on Sunday the 21st of October. Any queries please speak to Glen Sodaitis.

Function assistance

We have a few events we need your help.

• Sunday 28th October 2-5pm - Helpers needed for bowls and bar

Please let Jen know if you are able to help.

Woolworths BBQ

Date is still TBC. We are now looking for a date later in the year or early next year. We'll keep you posted on dates. This has been a consistent fundraiser for us and with 90 minutes shifts it's a pretty relaxed gig.

Coaching Corner

TRIAL ENDS. TO WHAT PURPOSE?

In many competition settings trial ends are allowed. What do you do with these ends?

Do you use them to limber the joints and muscles to get the body going? Is the pre-game a moment to enjoy happy social interaction with your opponent? Do you use these ends to get a feel for the pace of the green or perhaps to check how much the wind is affecting either or both hands? Are you studying the line your opponent[s] are bowling? Do you bowl one bowl on each of the four hands?

Trial ends, used smartly, are a treasure. Treating them any other way is wasteful. Firstly, they are not for limbering the body. Warm-up should have happened before you take the green. Body-readiness means you can apply yourself immediately to the important matters.

Consider this. If bowling good line is fundamentally important then it makes sense to use the trial ends to find the line. Particularly if you are the leader, you should know before you begin which side of the green you will play throughout the game. Game plan. All four of your trial bowls should be played on that side. If your first bowl line is right, repeat it to confirm the line and fix it into your memory. If your first bowl is off-line, correct with your second to eradicate the memory of the error. Crossing to the other hand leaves the error in place with the likelihood of it re-appearing when the game commences. If you bowl the other hand also off-line then you have two errors in your memory, a poor basis for starting the game effectively. If you bowl all four hands with line error then you have four errors in your memory with line-uncertainty likely to undermine and unsettle your start.

It is better to have one hand down pat than to be still searching for line when the game commences. Bowls is a thinking person's game. Bowl with intelligence.

We are looking at buying more uniform stock. So anyone who would like a new shirt, in particular those who need a Men's size 'M' and/or 'L' please contact Mike Hendry or Jen Morley.

Our Club Hoodies are available once again. The current price will be available at the Bar. Please see Jen Morley if you are interested in one

