

Hi *IFName!*, welcome to the 24th edition of 'One Up/One Down' the newsletter of the Melbourne Bowling Club for the 2018-19 season, keeping you up to date with what is happening around the club.

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One Up ...



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Club Minor Championship & President's Handicap

Entries now open. Put your name on the list on the notice board.

ENTRIES CLOSE TUESDAY 4 DECEMBER

Pennant Round 7

Draw Sat 24 Nov 2018

Premier Division	Away	Essendon
Division 2	Home	Middle Park
Division 4	Home (Elwood)	Armadale 4
Division 5	Away	MCC 7

Premiers	Div 2	Div 4	Div 5
VS: Essendon	VS: Middle Park	VS: Armadale (@ Elwood]	VS: MCC (@ Glen St)
Rink 1 L: M Goldsmith 2: B McGregor 3: B Fearn S: M Ellul	Rink 1 L: G Zbijowski 2: G Boucher 3: D Mann S: A O'Brien	Rink 1 L: M Silverstein 2: C Hutchison 3: R Jackson S: B Coonerty	Rink 1 L: L Wilde 2: M Wall 3: J White S: K Lehane
Rink 2 L: J Cole 2: G Barnett 3: Cu Hanley S: B Lester	Rink 2 L: S Rodger 2: M Darzins 3: M Green S: Ca Hanley	Rink 2 L: S Cannington 2: G Pearson 3: G Hogan S: K Oram	Rink 2 L: K Stevens 2: E Hughes 3: Jak Wilson S: J Stokes
Rink 3 L: R McKay 2: A Skilton 3: M Stange S: S Fordham	Rink 3 L: T Williams 2: A Harvey 3: A Bywaters S: S Ingram	Rink 3 L: A Jackson 2: A Cardamone 3: D Bloom S: E Wilson	Rink 3 L: R Rodger 2: M Walters 3: M O'Meagher S: J Rischin
Rink 4 L: P Titcombe 2: M Aylward 3: J Melmore S: B Young	Rink 4 L: A Burness 2: M Prosenica 3: G Lowing S: H McCluskey	Rink 4 L: T Gluck 2: T Wavish 3: J Keogh S: R Lawler	Rink 4 L: S Green 2: E Green 3: G Brown S: D Maher
Manager: C Gorman Transport:	Manager: G Lowing Transport:	Manager: E Wilson Transport: B Coonerty	Manager: K Stevens Transport: S Green

Sides are on the board and have been posted on TeamAp.. They are also circulated by SMS by Byron. You can download the "TeamApp" onto your phone or computer. heck with Seth if you need help in setting it up.

*** Practice With A Purpose ***

MBC Coaching & Development Seminar #1 2018-19

Thurs Nov 29 7pm-8pm

Jack High Room

Open to all MBC members

Free sausage sizzle prior to session from 6pm

PLEASE NOTE

Pennant practice times until Christmas

Dinner is on Tuesday evening and free sausage sizzle from 6pm on Thursdays.

Changes to practice is to minimise losses as a result of having one green closed from 11/12 in peak Christmas social bowls season.

*Sat 24/11 **ROUND 7 pennant***

Tues 27/11 **One green all day, Dinner & SDELBA round 2**

Thurs 29/11 **One green all day** or Elwood BC from 4pm

Practice with a purpose Jack High Room 7-8pm **A MUST ATTEND******

*Sat 1/12 **Round 8 pennant***

Tues 4/12 **One green all day, Dinner & SDELBA round 3**

Thurs 6/12 **One green all day** or Elwood BC from 4pm

*Sat 8/12 **ROUND 9 pennant***

****** Mon 10/12 Watson Green ripped up ******

Tues 11/12 **One green all day, Dinner & SDELBA round 4**

****WED** 12/12 3 rinks 11-2pm & 4 rinks 4 till late** or Elwood BC from 4pm **Note:** Campbell only has lights at the north end.

The 2018 PBA Trans-Tasman Challenge result

The 2018 PBA Trans-Tasman Challenge played at Deer Park last week resulted in Australia taking the points.

The **MBC representatives had a great series** being the **two most consistent bowlers** out of the 10 in the competition. **Bryce Young** winning all 5 of his round matches and then winning his play off to make it **6 out of 6**. **Curtis Hanley** won 4 of his 5 rounds then went down in his final in a tie breaker. Both guys are going to cause a lot of headaches for their oppositions in the coming years. Fantastic result and congratulations to them both from all at the club.

Victorian Open results to date

Day One

Mixed pairs

Three teams made it through the sectional play. They were **Max Goldsmith & Emma Simmonds** (s). They then went on to win the first knock out round 13-9 then came up against Marg Carol and Matt Flapper in the second knockout and went down 11-16.

Mikayla Long & Curtis Hanley (s) progressed to the knock out rounds but just missed going down 11-12.

Sara Rodger & James Pearce had a bye in the first knock out round and won the second knock out round 14-13 so they progress to the last 32

Day 2

Singles

Ben Fearn and **Sara Rodger** made it through the sectional play.

Ben Fearn then had a bye in the first knockout round, won the second and third knock out rounds 21-13 and 21-14 respectively. This meant he was down to the last 32.

Sara Rodger also had a bye in the first knock out round, won the second knockout round 21-16 and went down to Lisa Phillips 18-21 in the third knockout round.

Day 3

Pairs

3 teams made it through the sectional play. They were:

1. **Alex Skilton & Andrew Fowler-Brown** they won their first knock out round 17-5

followed by a 13-5 win.

2. **Ben Hubber & Barry Lester**. - won the first knockout round 18-6 and just went down in the second knockout 11-12 to Nick Podder & Lauchlan Jolly.

3. **Cain & Curtis Hanley** had a bye in the first knock out and won the next round 21-6 followed by a 24-3 win.

Cain and **Curtis** along with **Alex** and **Andrew** are down to the last 16

Day 5

Alex Skilton & **Andrew Fowler-Brown** with two wins (14-6) and (18-9) and **Cain** & **Curtis Hanley** with wins (18-10) and (16-14) moved into the semi finals of the pairs Victorian Open. They are on opposite sides of the draw so there is a chance of them meeting in the final.

Day 6

Men's Singles

Ben Fearn won 21-13 to get to the **last 16** in the men's singles but went down to Scott Mcjean (MCC). **Ben** was one of 519 to start the competition and made it to the last 16. A great run with copious great bowls put down on the journey.

Congratulations on being the last MBC bowler standing in the singles from all at the club.

Mixed Pairs

Sara Rodger & **James Pearce** had 2 wins(18-40 & (23-9) to make it to the last to make it to the last 8. Onto day 7.

Day 7

Back to the men's pairs **Alex Skilton** & **Andrew Fowler-Brown** bowed out going down to Cooper Wescombe & Jarryd Davies. But the **Hanley brothers Curtis** and **Cain** won and progressed to the Grand Final on Day 8. Bowls Vic Facebook streamed the game live.

In the mixed pairs quarter finals **Sara Rodger** & **James Pearce** lost to Wendy Wilson and David Wells after a stellar run of games and top bowling. Great performance by **Alex** and **Sara** and their partners to get so close to the pinnacle.

Day 8



Mens Pairs decided on the last bowl of the match.
Barrie Lester interviewing winners Cooper Wescombe & Jarryd Davies and the runners up Melbourne boys **Cain** & **Curtis Hanley**. Great performance guys Well done!!!

MBC tournament sunday 2nd December

Still a couple of places left for RG Watson 5 player medley. Support the club get a side together and **enjoy a varied day of bowling.**

R. G. Watson Trust



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Invitation 5 player medley

Prize money : \$3,000

SUN, 2 Dec @ 9:30AM

Round 1 3 bowl pairs of 15 ends
2 bowl triples of 15 ends

Round 2 singles 21 up
fours of 15 ends

Round 3 3 bowl pairs of 15 ends
2 bowl triples of 15 ends

Points -- 2 for a win and 1 for a draw

Winners \$1500 Runners up \$750

Combinations that are not winners or runners up:

Best singles \$75 Best pairs: \$150

Best triples \$225 Best fours \$300

ENTRY FEE AT \$125 PER TEAM
(INCLUSIVE OF LUNCH)

ENTRIES CLOSE AT 11:59PM
TUESDAY 27 NOV 2018

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Around the club

- With the passing of Chris "Bear" O'Meagher and Graeme "Doc" Pearson stepping down from the board Sara Rodger and Matt Green were appointed to fill the vacancies at the board meeting on Wednesday 21st.
- We have been advised that our submission for a grant from the Vic Health Active Grant fund has been unsuccessful.
- A new drinking fountain has now been installed replacing the old fountain that

has been out of action since mid way through last season.

Approaching birthdays

Date	Member	Date	Member
6 Dec	Justin White	18 Dec	Alex Skilton
11 Dec	Graeme Pearson	29 Dec	Simon Cannington
11 Dec	Eric Hughes	30 Dec	Scott Mortimer
17 Dec	Mark Graus	30 Dec	Shaun Stibobhar



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