Weekly Message
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Firstly a big thank you for the feedback the Board and I are receiving for the weekly messages. It is a commitment that open communication and transparency is our priority.

John has included updates about the Liquor Licence and volunteers as well as how the future of the club is progressing.

Please read below for other updates

Website
Our new website will be live this Monday 9th October. A big thank you to Mel for all her work on this and to the members who have contributed content thus far. The website is a work in progress and updated information for Bowls as well as other sections of the website is ongoing.

The weekly messages will be on the website as well as being emailed out for another few weeks. Then they can be accessed via the website.

Facebook
A team of Mel, Shona, Michell and Carol is currently responsible for our FB.
They are developing a social media policy and will be posting related items from a whole of club perspective.

Lost Property
There are two boxes near the Bowls Office for lost property. Please check regularly as at the end of each month we will sort through items and clear them out if they have not been claimed.

The Board
I have had a few members ask me what the Board is actually responsible for. The Board at our club is not just a Board related to Bowls. It is a board for a whole of club perspective including, social, community, other activities and revenue. A board needs the skills to plan ahead (***strategic thinking and planning***), to manage and account for the money (***financial responsibility***), is able to engage stakeholders (***communication skills***) and can work through issues together (***team work***). There is a need to understand the legal and compliance environment within the organisation.

Special General Meeting
Sunday 15th October at 10.30am followed by opening of the Greens at 11.30am

See separate email for details.

Grants and Sponsorship
The Grants and Sponsorship group will be meeting this week and updates and information will be posted on the website regularly. Pam Longley is the contact person for grants.

Wellbeing
This group will be meeting week commencing 16th October and information can be found on the website.

Enjoy the week and check out the website!
Kathy