

## **N.S.W. MASTER BUILDERS BOWLS CLUB**

**NEWSLETTER - JANUARY 2010**



Dear Member,

President Fred has requested me to convey to you his Best Wishes for a Happy and Healthy New Year, he is looking for your support throughout the coming year, especially the forthcoming:

**10<sup>th</sup> Annual Charity Day at West Epping Panthers Bowling Club.** Proceeds will again be going towards the Cancer Research Fund at the Children's Hospital at Westmead.

Over the last 9 years we have raised the sum of \$ 30,500.00. The Club is a Bronze Major Donor. **Please note Charity Day will be held on Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> March - details in the program.**

**65<sup>th</sup> James Wall Cup Bowls Tournament SOLDIERS POINT 2010 Hosts Newcastle Master Builders**

My special thanks to John Gray and Barry Rylands who have both assisted me greatly in regards to registration and accommodation requirements. Appreciation is expressed to John Gray who has indicated he wishes to stand down as Captain this year and has offered to act as Assistant Manager. I know all members would want me to thank John very much for the large volume of work he has done over the past years for the club, it has been very much appreciated.

Barry Rylands will be Captain and Cliff Atkins will be Manager. Thanks to Barry and Cliff for offering to help the club, I know all members will give them their full support. It is pleasing to welcome new faces in the JWC this year: Robert Nicholson and Tom Stanis, Thanks to Russell Harrison for asking them to join the club.

Also a Welcome to: Norm Felstead, Dennis & Barbara Hammond on their return to the JWC.

**To the moment the following have indicated they ywill be attending:**

**New: N**

<i>Cliff Atkins</i>	<i>Don &amp; Judy Baguley</i>	<i>Jack Brien</i>
<i>Ian &amp; Rhonda Cooper</i>	<i>John &amp; Carol Crowley</i>	<i>John &amp; Heather Daly</i>
<i>John &amp; Margaret Gray</i>	<i>Norm Felstead</i>	<i>Dennis &amp; Barbara Hammond</i>
<i>Russell Harrison</i>	<i>Gary &amp; Julie Harriott</i>	<i>Barry &amp; Anne Johnson</i>
<i>Jim Jordan</i>	<i>Denis &amp; Janice Lawler</i>	<i>Irving &amp; Petal Lum</i>
<i>Robert Nicholson N</i>	<i>Bob Petersen</i>	<i>Peter Reece</i>
<i>Barry and Margaret Rylands</i>	<i>Alan and Betty Seamer</i>	<i>Tom Stanis N</i>
<i>Harry &amp; Narelle Waldock</i>	<i>Alan and Jill Whiteside</i>	<i>Lew Wilson</i>

A warm welcome to all, I hope you have an enjoyable time at Soldiers Point. If any additional members would care to register please contact **Barry Rylands Captain 65552274**  
**Or John Gray (07) 3879 1043**

The last time we won the Cup was in Newcastle in 1993 maybe history will repeat itself this year. Wescombe Trophy Day at Rydalmere-Central resulted in a win for Rydalmere -Central, thanks to the players who attended and coped with the intense heat.

We are pleased to give a warm welcome to the following **New Members of the Club:** Robert Nicholson Merrylands and Tom Stanis Denistone. We hope you have a happy association with our Club.

I wish to place on record our appreciation to Mannings Funerals for the provision of Trophies at our games. If any members are requiring service of this nature give Mannings a thought. Contact Rodney Rietdyk 9555 7551.

**ANNUAL SUBSCRIPTIONS** Your "Subs" are now due for 2010. I would appreciate a prompt response to payment by 28<sup>th</sup> February which is "cut off" date". You may care to pay in advance for 2 years? to save postage ??

Your attention is drawn to the following Motion on the Books of the Club. "That any Member who is in arrears of over 2 years is automatically removed off the Membership". If you are in arrears it appears on the Annual Subs Notice. Some members are in credit, if so, this is noted on the Bulletin. If you do not intend to renew your membership, please let me know so I can keep the records up to date. Thank you.

Programme 2010: Enclosed for your attention. It would be very much appreciated if you would care to make a Cash Donation or Donate Raffle Prizes for Charity Day. Please contact Doug Bennetts Charity Coordinator (02) 9858 2553

**Appeal for New Members:**

You may be interested to know that we have had only one response to a Circular the MBA of NSW sent out to all Divisions last May requesting names of bowlers who are registered. Players with the R.N.S.W.B.A. and are Members of that particular Division. An invitation is extended to Members of the MBA who are Bowlers and read this Newsletter

on the MBA of NSW Website: [www.mbansw.asn.au](http://www.mbansw.asn.au) Social - Bowls – History of the Bowls Club.

***Application to join the Bowls Club. Enquires Secretary: Doug Bennetts 98582553.***

Best Wishes are extended to our Members who may be experiencing health problems, including our President whose progress is slow but on the improve.

I trust that 2010 will be a much brighter and healthier year for all. President Fred would very much appreciate your support at the games in 2010

Best wishes to all members for a healthy and happy New Year.

Kind regards and good bowling

**Doug Bennetts OAM F.A.I.B.**  
**Secretary - Treasurer**