

## **BOWLEDOVER**



Newsletter of Aberfeldie Bowls Club Inc – Established 1910

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# A COVID-19 "roadmap", or the Yellow Brick Road – to somewhere, to nowhere, at some time!!!!

Well, what does it all mean?? I don't pretend to know, but it seems that, subject to achievement of vaccination targets being met we might get a Pennant start in November. It seems, also, that there might be an earlier, very limited opportunity for a roll up in small numbers, after 26 October, or thereabouts.

What seems to be more certain is that the earliest (maybe all) opportunities will be restricted to those who are vaccinated – something for everyone to think about.

I'm sure BowlsVic will be working next week to bring a greater focus to these matters within the terms of the State Government "roadmap" announcements. We will have to stay tuned.

#### **Pennant Draws**

Some revisions have now been made to Pennant Draws for the coming Season but they remain uncertain depending on aspects of COVID-19 eg Clubs reconfirming teams, prospective impact of "no jab, no play" etc, etc.

As things stand, we have the following teams and Draws:

#### **Saturday Pennant:**

Aberfeldie 1 – Division 3, Section 2 – most distant travel is Glenroy

Aberfeldie 2 – Division 6B (12 a Side), Section 1 – most distant travel is Sunbury

Aberfeldie 3 – Division 7 (12 a Side), Section 3 – most distant travel is Gladstone Park

### **Mid-week Pennant:**

Aberfeldie 1 & Aberfeldie 2 – Division 6 a Side, Section 1 – most distant travel is Pt Cook & Hoppers



## **Annual General Meeting**

Rescheduling of our AGM remains on ice.

#### **BowlsVic Webinars**

Don't forget that BowlsVic has put in place two important upcoming Webinars, and all members are recommended to participate in each to become aware of, and equip themselves for the role of the Team Manager, and to familiarise themselves with Pennant Conditions of Play.

## **Team Manager Training**

## Monday 27th September

Register for 10.00am session

Register for 6.00pm session

### Webinar will cover:

- What is the role of a Team Manager
- BowlsLink Update
- A chance to ask questions

## **Conditions of Play Training**

## **Monday 4th October**

Register for 10.00am session

Register for 6.00pm session

#### Webinar will cover:

- What's NEW this year
- Commonly misunderstood Conditions of Play
- A chance to ask questions

## Ryman Healthcare names its new Aberfeldie Village

On Friday, Ryman Healthcare announced the name of its new, soon to be occupied, Aberfeldie Retirement Village – "The Raelene Boyle Retirement Village".



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