

CLUB INFORMATION CONFERENCE

GREENKEEPERS AND VOLUNTEERS EDITION

Bowls WA is proud to announce our inaugural Club Information Conference at **Trinity on Hampton, 230 Hampton Rd Crawley on Tuesday 3rd March 2020.**

We have put together some of Western Australia's leading experts in Grass and Synthetic Bowling Greens as well as experts in lights and shade structures.

Whether you are a qualified greenkeeper or maybe a part time or volunteer working on your clubs greens, Josh Walker at Nuturf is available to not only offer advice on old and new products but can also offer explain what other services Nuturf have to offer.

Clubs that have volunteers or part time people working on their greens must get them to come along and update their knowledge on what is available.

Even if you are not currently looking at a Shade Structure at the moment or maybe you have a few years left in your lights, the chance to listen to the experts today for tomorrow should not be missed.

The following pages includes the programme of presentations, a brief rundown on who is presenting and what the presentations will cover and finally a form to complete and return once you have chosen what presentations you would like to be a part of.

The Club Information Conference will put you in front of those experts that can answer your questions as they not only give a 45-minute presentation but will also be available for one on one contact in our display room.

Take the opportunity to learn new techniques, where to find available online and offline resources and to ask questions that is not only going to improve your coaching and umpiring but also what information you will be able to take back to your club and club members.

Either go see your club to put your name in or Complete the form on the last page with your name and get it back to Bowls WA by Friday 21st February. There are limited positions available, so get it in asap.



Club Information Conference conducted by Bowls WA

11.00am	Doors Open			
12.00pm	Welcoming in Harvard Room			
	Rob Thomson (Chief Executive Officer SportWest)			
	Room 1	Room 2	Room 3	Harvard Room
12.30pm	Liquor Licensing Presentation Hosted by Clubs WA	Coaching Novice Bowlers and Club Bowlers Hosted by BWA	Shade Structures Over Bowling Greens hosted by MakMax	Opportunity for sponsors and product manufacturers to have displays
1.15pm	BREAK			
1.20pm	Future of Bowls Link Hosted by Bowls WA	Working with Children Checks Hosted by SportWest	Bowling Green Lighting Hosted by Aurora Electrical	
2.05pm	BREAK			
2.10pm	Planning & Governance Hosted by DLGSC & BWA	What does a Club need to do to employ an Apprentice? Hosted by MEGT	Chemical and Fertilisers Hosted by Nuturf	
2.55pm	Afternoon Tea Break in the Harvard Room with sponsors and manufacturers			
3.15pm	Community Engagement Hosted by BA	Becoming a Presenter & Assessor Hosted by BWA	Synthetic Turf and Irrigation Hosted by EverGreen & Elliots Irrigation	Opportunity for sponsors and product manufacturers to have displays
4.00pm	BREAK			
4.05pm	Grants and Sponsorship Hosted by DLGSC & BA	Advanced Coaching Hosted by BWA	Umpires and International Technical Officials Hosted by BWA	
4.50pm	Marketing through Social Media Hosted by Pacmentality	Coaching Novice Bowlers and Club Bowlers Hosted by BWA	What do you need in a Club or Individuals Umpire Kit Hosted by BWA	
5.30pm	Conclusion			
			Greens and Outside Subjects	
			Administration Subjects	
			Coaching and Umpiring Subjects	

Shade Structures Over Bowling Greens

Hosted By

Peter Kamols (MakMax Australia New Business Manager)

MakMax Australia is a world leading tensile membrane specialist in the design, fabrication and installation of fabric architecture.

Specialising in sporting venues, including the Optus Stadium roof, MakMax strives to create quality playing environments of all sizes and to suit any need.

With sun safety a real concern for all of us, the importance of shade is more significant than ever, while covered greens enable all weather use as well as providing new revenue raising opportunities.

MakMax Australia's New Business Manager Peter Kamols will give clubs important information regarding what can be achieved for those clubs that are looking to take that next big step in sun protection.

MakMax is the preferred supplier of bowling green covers for Bowls Australia

Bowling Green Lighting

Hosted By

Brendon Balcombe (Managing Director of Aurora Electrical Services)

Aurora Electrical Services is an Accredited Master Electrician, winner of four state excellence awards and a Certified EcoXpert.

Having recently completed the installation of the Willetton Bowling Green Lights, Managing Director Brendon Balcombe will be using his experience to assist bowling clubs get the best advice on how to proceed with new or replacement sports lighting.

There will be a working display of what LED Sports lighting together with a short video display. Clubs looking to replace lighting or put new lighting on a green cannot afford to miss this presentation.

What does a Club need to do to employ an Apprentice?

Hosted By

Russell Carling (MEGT Field Operations Manager - WA)

MEGT is an Australian not-for-profit organisation that has been supporting local employers, apprentices, trainees, job seekers and students for over 35 years.

How do Apprenticeships work, how does a club find one, what incentives and support is there? All great questions that MEGT Field Operations Manager Russell Carling can answer.

Bowling Clubs have a long history of providing opportunities for apprentices, especially in turf management. However that has clearly waned over the last 10 years which has resulted in less qualified greenkeepers available

Apprentices are a valuable tool not only for the now but also for the future of grass green clubs. Take the initiative and come and find out how to help your club now and in the future

Chemicals and Fertilisers

Hosted By

Josh Walker (Nuturf WA State Manager)

Nuturf is an experienced and trusted distributor of quality products and agronomic services to the turf, landscape and amenity horticulture industries.

Nuturf WA State Manager Josh Walker not only has a wealth of experience in chemicals, in a past life long ago, he was a highly considered Bowling Club Greenkeeper.

Josh will take you through not only the latest innovations of chemicals and fertilisers but also touch on what other services Nuturf can offer the fulltime or partime greenkeeper.

Josh has asked for all those attending to come with as many questions as possible to make the presentation as informative as possible.

Synthetic Turf and Irrigation

Co Hosted By

Mark Frazer (Evergreen Synthetic Turf)

and

Elliot Taylor (Elliot's Irrigation)

and

Jim Powell (Bowls WA Greens Committee Chair)

Mark and Nicola Frazer have been the owner and operators of Evergreen Synthetic Grass for over 24 years and have vast experience in bowling green construction and maintenance.

With the assistance of the Chair of the Bowls WA Greens Committee Jim Powell, Mark will take you through the different types of synthetic grass available and give you an understanding of the process involved in construction of a new synthetic green as well as the replacement of a current synthetic green.

Elliott's Irrigation has serviced the residential and commercial sectors of Western Australia's irrigation market since 1984 as suppliers, designers, installers and maintenance personnel.

Elliot Taylor has worked closely with Mark for many years and will enlighten attendees on the benefits of a proper irrigation system to compliment and allow a club to get the best out of its greens investment.

CLUB INFORMATION CONFERENCE REGISTRATION FORM



Tax Invoice ABN 29800355717

Club Name: _____

We would like to attend the following presentation/s (Please write in the box the number of club members attending up to a maximum of two (2):

12.30pm Presentations

Liquor Licensing (Clubs WA)

Coaching Novice & Club Bowlers (BWA)

Shade Structures (MakMax)

1.20pm Presentation

Bowls Link (BWA)

Working with Children Check (SportWest)

Bowling Green Lights (Aurora Electrical)

2.10pm Presentations

Plan & Gov (DLGSC & BWA)

Apprenticeships (MEGT)

Chemicals & Fertilisers (Nuturf)

3.15pm Presentations

Community Engagement (BA)

Presenter & Assessor (BWA)

Synthetic Turf & Irrigation (EverGreen & Elliot's Irrigation)

4.05pm Presentations

Grants & Sponsor (DLGSC & BA)

Advanced Coaching (Therese Hastings)

Umpires & ITO's (BWA)

4.50pm Presentations

Market Social Media (Pacmentality)

Coaching Novice & Club Bowlers (BWA)

Club Umpire Kits (BWA)

Number of Presentations Selected (\$5 per presentation or if six (6) or more presentations selected maximum payment \$30)

Total Due: \$ _____

Cheque for total amount is enclosed **OR**

Paid by Direct Credit ___/___/___

to Bowls WA: BSB: 306 031

Account No: 0572230 Ref: "ClubName InfoConf"

Secretary _____

Date _____

RETURN TO BOWLS WA (PO BOX 123, OSBORNE PARK WA 6917 or pieter@bowlswa.com.au) **BY FRIDAY 21st FEBRUARY 2020**