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## MINUTES BOWLS NT DELEGATES MEETING

ZOOM OPPORTUNITY 30 th January 2023 Commenced 5.30pm

- Attendance Marty Garnett. Mal Trattles. Jen Sullivan. Joan Garner. Geoff Hunter. Peter DeGreenlaw. Patrick Coburn. Josh Van Haaren. Jan Canniford. Barry Leeder. Bronwyn Hagger. Paul Jackson (EO)
- 2. Apologies Louise Hicks. Jock Hicks. Elisa Rigoni.
- 3. Confirmation of Minutes: 31st October 2022

**Resolution : Moved** Joan Garner **Seconded** Jan Canniford. That the minutes of the Delegates meeting held on 31<sup>st</sup> October 2022 as previously circulated be confirmed.

4. Correspondence Inwards

#### Outwards

Clubs have all now been distributed with the fixture for this coming Bowls Season 2023. Match Committee have been able to revamp State games schedules so that two events can occur of an extended weekend as sought.

5. Business arising and ongoing from prior Minutes:

# Ongoing Bowls NT re writing the Conditions of play to ensure all anomalies are corrected.

Board to take this on board so to ensure such attended by the middle of March 2023 prior to any State Events.

### General Business (Ongoing)

#### Humpty Doo.

Club has received a Grant for \$5,000 from Litchfield Council Good result. Berry's due to visit Club when they are up in NT March to have a look at their green and offer advice.

#### Darwin

Intention is to hold BPL Cup this Year as one of their events.

Club has scheduled an event at their Club on the weekend of the Champion of Champions. **Nightcliff** 

AGM for the Sports Club approaching 26<sup>th</sup> February 2023.

#### Alice Springs

Greens improving and there may be consideration of applying for State events where they could be accommodated.

#### Katherine

Berry's to install the new green surface in March 2023. Some prior works to be done on shade cover and drainage upgrades.

#### Outstanding.

Feedback and comment required from Clubs as to the changes that occurred with this season's pennant.

No written comments received back from any Club however during the meeting suggestions morning games and/or Friday evenings be considered by Board. Will be referred to the Match Committee when appointed for 2023.

Bowls NT put out a survey to all those players that had competed within the Sides and Senior sides in 2022 and sought their feedback as to the arrangements and what could be done better to improve such for the players. The feedback received was extremely poor with a response rate of around 25% so if Clubs receive any negative comments back from their players please remind them they were all given an opportunity to voice their opinions.

It should also be highlighted that the Bowls NT Board election process is an independent process and not controlled by Clubs. Nominations come from individual persons who are nominated and seconded outside of the Club controls.

#### 6. Next Meeting will be : Monday 27th February 2023

8. Meeting Closed : 6.00pm

Marty Garnett President Bowls NT