

From the Secretary - 30th September 2016
What's happening at Somerton.

1. SATURDAY 1 OCTOBER PENNANT TRIALS CANCELLED: Unfortunately the greens are far too wet/soft and the greenkeeper has called a stop to our final Pennants Trials tomorrow. Refer to our website: www.somertonseagulls.com.au.

2. EXTENSION FOR 2016-17 CLUB TOURNAMENTS: With trials off tomorrow nominations for Club Tournaments will now close Saturday, 8 OCTOBER for:

MEN'S CHAMPIONSHIP SINGLES

MEN'S PAIR (Sectionals will STILL be played on Sunday 16 October from 10.30am)

LADIES CHAMPIONSHIP SINGLES

LADIES PAIR

OPEN HANDICAP SINGLES and MIXED PAIRS

OPEN 'B-GRADE' SINGLES for 3rd side or lower will close on 8 October, once initial sides have been selected.

These events are open only to financial pennant members. Entry envelopes can be found below posted conditions of play on the noticeboard. Nomination fee is \$5 for each entry per person. Tournament directors will strictly adhere to play-by dates so once events are drawn please play promptly.

3. PENNANT AND FULL NON-PENNANT SUBSCRIPTIONS: We still have a couple of outstanding payments but we have been able pay capitation for all our members to Bowls SA. If you still have paid please do it immediately, either over the bar or via Internet Banking our details are:- BSB: 015-220. Account No: 405629739. Account Name: Somerton Bowling Clubs Inc.

4. UPDATE OF PAINTING IF CLUBROOMS: Please be aware that painting of the external clubroom walls will commence soon. There will be an undercoat followed by the final colour. Ignore the undercoat colour (and various existing paint colour test strips). The final paint surface will be comparable to the existing building colour. As for the internal painting, the external painting is funded and implemented through the MADEC scheme which on-site Supervisor Daryl and his team are doing. We are grateful to them for their support and effort.

5. HAMILTON HOLDEN SUMMER MEDLEY: Pencil in SUNDAY, 4 DECEMBER at Somerton. The tournament with a prize pool of \$1800 costs \$100 a team (\$25 each per player) for Game 1 4x12 ends; games 2 and 3 of pairs x8 ends and game 4 4x12 ends. Lunch is included in the entry fee. If you wish to get a team together ring the Club 8296 8829 or give a call to either Dean Adam 0401 878 233 and Brad Beck 0402 902 350 or e-mail somertonseagull@australiaonline.net.au.

6. FRIDAY HAPPY HOUR/MEMBERS DRAW: Come down for a roll-up and/or practice Friday afternoons then stay on for a drink at Happy Hour Prices (they are posted on the noticeboard). The Members Draw is held at 5.30pm; you must be present to collect the prize. There have been a few lucky winner in the past few weeks but you have to be there to win it.

Tony Reed
Secretary