

## **PENNANT GRADES 2020**

The Pennant Grades and initial trial teams for the 2020 season have been released (see separate listing). The reserves list is also shown. The names as they appear are not final as it is the intention of the selectors to run trials prior to the commencement of the Pennant season on Saturday 29 February 2020. It is the intention to involve the reserves as they play a very important part in the make up of the Grades/Teams prior to the commencement of the season and as the season progresses.

It is important to remember that 2020 is a transition year now that Bowls NSW is gender neutral. In respect to this there has been a lot of discussion and decisions have been made taking into consideration the best interests of the club and primarily the bowlers. The aim for 2020 is to win a flag and the only way that can be achieved is based on training, hard work and the will to win. If we do not have those aspects in place, then we will not achieve the aim. More details relating to those aspects will be advised shortly.

In all trials where bowlers have been selected, those bowlers will be expected to be involved. Unless this takes place, it is difficult for the selectors to gauge how the combinations are working and if alterations are required.

On the Notice Board are details of the entitlements a bowler will receive from the club in 2020. The purpose of doing this is to be as transparent as possible. If a bowler has a concern, the selectors are ready to listen to the concern so that it may be discussed when the selectors meet which is on a regular basis. The opportunity is yours.

More details about trials will be made available shortly. Remember the aim is to win a flag.