



MEMO

- TO: Metropolitan Member Clubs
- FROM: Match & Program Committee

DATE: Sunday 8 December 2019

SUBJECT: Updates and reminders

Bowlslink issues – we are aware that some Clubs had problems entering results for Saturday's round of matches. It would appear that this was caused by some system errors which we are investigating.

If a problem cannot be resolved, we (Match and Program) can enter results directly but to do so need a copy of the cards to be emailed to us **at the address below.**

Drawing of the cards/rinks - It has come to our attention that some side managers are drawing the cards and rinks of play more than 15 minutes before the scheduled start of trial ends and allowing practice to continue once the rinks have been drawn. The Conditions of Play are quite specific about when the rinks should be drawn (Rules 3.12.4). Umpires are reminded that as per Rule 4.1.2 they are to supervise the drawing of the cards ensuring they are done at the appropriate time and that practice ceases once the rinks are drawn.

Availability of greens for practice - Clubs are reminded that greens should be available be available for practice at least 1 hour before the starting time of the match (refer Rule 3.12.1)

If there are any questions regarding the above or further clarification required, please contact Match & Program (<u>matchcommittee@bowlssa.com.au</u>)

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