


BEAUMONT BOWLING CLUB INC	
SMOKE-FREE POLICY	
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Policy Statement

Tobacco smoking is the leading cause of preventable disease and death in Australia. Exposure to passive smoking is a significant health and safety hazard. Exposure to passive smoking can cause symptoms of ill health, particularly for people with pre-existing medical condition. There is no recognized safe level of tobacco smoke exposure.

The Beaumont Bowling Club No Smoking Policy relates to cigarettes, cigars, pipes and electronic cigarettes and applies to all areas of the Club including premises greens and surrounds.

Being smoke-free is a positive step towards a healthier future for all who enjoy the Clubs facilities and the Club has a duty of care to ensure that a safe and healthy environment is provided to everyone who enters onto and uses our facilities.

Aim

To minimise the exposure of members, players, contractors, volunteers, visitors, and employees to the hazards of tobacco smoke.

Scope

All persons at the club premises are expected to comply with the policy. This includes members, players contractors, volunteers, visitors and employees.

Communication

The smoke-free policy is to be communicated to all personnel.

It is the obligation and responsibility of each Member to remind all players, volunteers, officials, staff and spectators that a No Smoking Policy applies and direct anyone in breach of the policy to extinguish their cigarette, cigar or pipe and refrain from using an electronic cigarette or, otherwise move outside of the Club premises and grounds.

All persons applying for membership will be informed of the smoke-free policy.

Appropriate signage will be displayed on the Clubs premises and grounds.

Compliance

All personnel are required to abide by the conditions of this policy. Personnel who do not will be asked to leave the Clubs premises and grounds.

If a player persists in breaching this policy Bowls SA has directed that the most senior official or most senior representative present will be obliged to issue an Infringement Notice and advise the player that the incident will be formally reported to the Players Club Executive Board and, if considered necessary, to Bowls SA.

Signed *David Thomas*

President, Beaumont Bowling Club