

WEST COAST ROLBAL / BOWLS



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		Action
1.	Call to Order A west Coast Executive Bowls Zoom meeting was held on Monday 24 th January 2022 at 18h30 and was presided over by Leon Meyer, with Rika Mitchell as secretary.	
	Opening Leon welcomed all present Apologies – None	
	Attendees - Leon Meyer LM (President) - Rika Mitchell RM(Coach Convener and Secretary) - Jannie Roos JR (business league & development) - Karien Terblanche KT (Treasurer) - Tertius Loubser TL (School representative) - Kiewiet van Rooyen KvR (Transformation and Women) - Roleyn Nortier RN (Technical Officials) - Annatjie Rademan AR- Competition secretary	
2.	Previous Minutes The previous minutes were accepted by JR and seconded by AR	
3.	WC DCAS TRI LATERALS 2022- 2023: we have been allocated a time slot as a federation and the presentation will take place on Thursday the 3 rd February in Saldana. LM and RM to attend. LM has already prepared the presentation Expenditure of Funding: Admin R12483 Development: R2898. Capacity building: R16 100 not forthcoming to assist. We expect to spend more money on Junior Nationals from this funding as Boland is Each junior has to pay R1300, clothing etc. If shortfall we must ask clubs to assist	RM LM
	with fund raising. KT to forward claim forms for communication etc. to LM, AR and RM LM advised KT to perhaps follow Sports Council approach to distribute R5000 data funds not used yet. for these claims.	KT

	RN to submit travel claim and printing cost claims for TO course.	RN
	JR to attend Municipal meeting- discuss junior funding	JR
	A CASE FOR SPORT: LM has completed the 30 page document. time consuming as related to statistics etc.	
4.	 Sports Council Awards & AGM The sports council AGM was attended by LM. 9 Federations were present. 1 vote per federation, but current exco one vote each member- Only one representative per federation was invited. EXCO votes responsible for voting in same committee in again, ignoring nominees from federations. Constitution outdated-been calls from 2019 for revision by federations but nothing done, Financialcial reports circulated too lateIn general federations unhappy with this administration. Sports Council awards went to Netball and Athletics Federations- well deserved especially juniors. 	
5.	Schools- Juniors TL The recruitment at school level will commence again once TL returns from holiday Langebaan and Longacres primary have been visited. Vredenburg and Curro planned next on list. Problem with long school hours. Too late in the afternoon, may have to revert to weekends to coach. Home schooling drive still to be planned and implemented.	TL RM TL
6.	Women and transformation KvR -Ladies Classic planned for 26 th and 27 th March at Yzerfontein. Invite gone to Boland, WP and West Coast clubs. This will be over and above women's day celebrations -Clanwilliam and Porterville women representation none or littleKVR read Esta Visgaie- Sports Council report on Women- it remains a problem more men than women players inall clubs. Good representation on committees Transformation LM reported expectations to improve racial profile at clubs via Business league. We now have 3 black players at LBW- Coached by Dave and Gerhard. They participated in the men's Novice.	RM
7.	Finances KT Bank balance as at 21/01/2022 R67364.81	KT
8.	Business league and Marketing JR JR received some information from Clubs , but not all definte dates. Yzerfontein in February 9 th ,16 th and 23 rd LM advised JR to read OUT OF THE Box article on Gauteng website for ideas and forward to clubs again. EG New formats for business league etc should be used ie. 2 ball trips only 8 heads and 3 ball pairs. 4's should be discouraged.	JR

-Clubs to forward their Marketing person's name to EXCO.	LM
10 Coaching RM	
L 1 Coaching badges and certificates have been received from BSA and	LM
handover to be planned	RM
11 Green keeping LM	LM
Greenkeepers course has been cancelled, new dates to be planned with Lampies.	
RN enquired if greens should be inspected for suitability before Boland Games LM confirmed that it should be done, but has not been done by Boland for some time.	
Velddrif green was not in good shape. And LCE provided only 2 rinks for overflow	
12 Technical Officials RN	
RN confirmed that LCE is more suited for the planned TO and markers course in May than Yzerfontein.	
RN raised her concern about the lack of interest in this courseDeadline in February 2022. Only one formal application from KvR. Must have 10 applicants. TL asked if the 3 years of active playing before qualifying for TO may not be a deterrent to apply,. Too strict.	RN
RN thought that the lack of interest may also be attributed to too many informal markers courses being presented at clubs Re circulate invite and explanation of content of course to all clubs	RM
13 Boland and West Coast Competitions -Boland:	
Feedback from EXCO meeting by LM: -more games should be played on a 2 ball Trips and 3 ball pairs basis as this is the new trend here and overseas.	
 No indication yet from Boland when inter district trials will commence. LM to enquire LM to call on all clubs to now start identifying their Mens, Ladies and Veteran 	LM
players via their selection committees and with the aid of coaches, who can afterwards assist the players with special coaching. These names must be forwarded to RM asap and she will re- direct info to Boland Selectors, who will monitor these players for final selection.	RM
-Juniors Nationals: No contact at all yet from Archie, Junior Team manager with west coast juniors- in the dark as exact costs, timings etc. TL to make contact with	TL
himClubs must be asked to support our Juniors- Porterville 5 th March- who do they pay	TL
-Boland vs WP 13 th February 2022. Final decisions if Worcester or Hermanus will be made on 30 th January after inspection of Worcester greens. Free accommodation offered to West Coast Boland Players in Hermanus. Petrol contributions? -The recent heat wave, bringing temperatures up to 44 Degrees celcius in some	LM

cases, caused many of the Ladies Novice and Mens Open players to suffer discomfort and, and some heat stroke incidents were reported. Conditions of Play was discussed as to Boland Conditions in clash with BSA conditions vs Club conditions under these dangerous circumstances. LM reported that Boland felt if cricket players can endure so should Bowlers. This was disputed and RN reminded the meeting that we as EXCO was warned about this heat wave and could have postponed the competitions. More info needed. To be investigated. Discussion around unhappiness of scrapping total game when 1 player withdraws during a game due to heat stress. Unfair when aggrerates has to come into play and that the 2 points are allocated to remaining player. BSA rules. West Coast 66 entries for Mens Open- encouraging, but not enough greens available. Ladies open and mens Novice also well supported Looking forward to Veterans open and trips.	AR RN
14 Data Base and affiliations: Despite numerous reminders and offers to assist to remove non paying/playing members from club data bases, a few clubs did not comply by end December as requested. Unhappiness from Darling Club, Their letter to TT brought up KT suggested that a print out of outstanding members be circulated to clubs before BSA final corrections Garth de Villiers to be trained by LM at Lagoon to take over as Information Officer	LM LM
15 Representatives Meeting Planned for Tuesday 15ht February at 18h30- notification to be sent out	RM

The meeting adjourned at 20h30