Dear Members,

As the Board Chair is currently away, I'm writing this in his stead.

I would like to thank members for coming to the AGM and also for bringing such a sumptuous lunch for us all to enjoy. I would also like to thank members for granting me Life Membership. It is a great honour. Thank you!

Leigh did a magnificent job in chairing the meeting and also thanking all the outgoing position holders. I would like to thank Leigh for stepping in as Vice Chair and all his hard work over the last few months. Thanks, also, to those position holders who have put up their hands to continue for another year.

There are still many positions to be filled and I would like you all to think if you can help fill these vacancies over the coming year. Some are big positions, but some are a lot smaller.

Barefoot bowls, one of our main money spinners, is vacant. As bookings are now online, can I suggest a few members get together to see if they can coordinate the running of this and so ease the workload?

The current vacancies are:

Bowls President and Board Secretary – Board of Management positions

Bowls Secretary, MPBD Representatives (2) – Bowls Committee positions

Assistant functions Manager, Membership Officer, Social Media Manager and Social Activities Coordinator/Group.

Remember: The club runs efficiently with volunteers in all positions, so without your help to fill these vacancies, the burden falls on the few.

Please speak to a member of the Board if you can help, even in a small way.

Kind regards,

Susan Gullidge Vice Chair, Board of Management Mornington Bowling Club Inc.