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Life membership for Wal Nixon

Mr. Wal Nixon has been made a life member of the Corowa Services Bowling Club.

It gave him much pleasure in presenting his report for 1979-80 and what a terrific season it has been for Corowa Services Bowling Club to win its first Pennant Premiership; and to have the Ovens & Murray Champion of Champions in the club.

'Without picking out any individual players I wish to congratulate our Gold Pennant side for a great team effort in winning the Pennant flat; but I cannot let this occasion pass without paying a special tribute to our Club Champion who went on to win not only the O & M Champion of Champions, but also the Group Championship at Benalla.

'Congratulations to Doug Davidson.

'Doug has been a great acquisition to our club and I feel that his fine play and sportsmanship should be an inspiration to us all to try and do a little better.

'Our annual tournament

went off well and our social bowls have been quite good; but it would be nice to see a few more of our own bowlers taking part.

'Our relationship with the RSL has been very cordial and on our behalf I wish to thank them for the new green.

'I also wish to thank our green keeper, George Mc Kinnon, who although hampered by a very dry summer and a lack of water, did a very fine job in preparing our green.

'My committee have done their usual good job, for which I thank them, but a little more help from the rest of the members would not go astray.

'Your Publicity Officer has also done a good job and I am sure you must have all enjoyed his comments in the local paper.

'Once again I must thank our ladies' committee who although few in numbers have provided us with excellent service throughout the season.

'In conclusion bowlers, I can only say success breeds success. We are now on the map and can enter the new season full of confidence.'

Doug Davidson as secretary, thanked Wally for the kind words in his report.

Doug then went on to thank Norm Parr, who prior to his resignation was bowls secretary, and was heading the club in the right direction.

Doug also thanked Wal Nixon for his moral support in matters related to bowls.

Bowls committee members please note the next meeting is to be held on Monday July 21 at 8 p.m.