

Dear Members

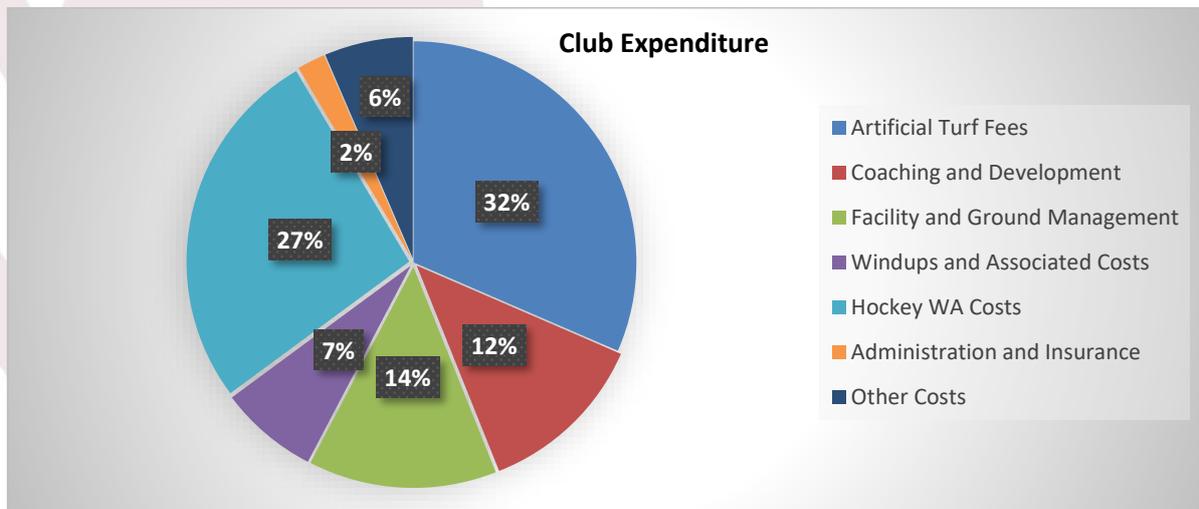
Please see our latest update as to what's happening at the club.

### Fees and Registration

The big question is what is happening with fees and registration. There has been a lot of work put into this area by the Committee led by our treasurer Peter Oudejans. The fees are now available and **REGISTRATIONS ARE NOW OPEN** on our website

<http://www.melvillehockey.com/register/>

The basic fees are as follows and compared to last year. Senior fees are less 20% and Junior fee structure are less 25%. There is an associated pie chart attached included in this newsletter to show the breakdown of the fees and where fees they are assigned. Please note while HWA fees are noted as being reduced by a greater amount, they are only one part of a club fee make up and that is shown in the chart below:



Members who have already paid fees will be eligible for a refund of the difference as noted above. All members in this category have been recorded and further instructions will be out soon to clarify the process. New registrations will automatically come under the new fee structure.

Please register as soon as possible and if there are any queries with registration please contact Colleen Bentley - [registrar@melvillehockey.com](mailto:registrar@melvillehockey.com).

### **Season Commencement**

The season commences Friday 26 – 28 June 2020. Actual fixtures still to be promulgated. Please keep an eye out on the HWA website and our own website as well as looking out for updates from your respective Vice President or Coordinator.

Along with the new season there are several rule changes governing this year's competition. These will also be available on the HWA website.

### **COVID 19 Stage 3 Restrictions**

We have moved into the next stage of Covid-19 easing of restrictions and the rules have significantly opened up on the field and for spectators. Contact now allowed in sport and spectators allowed in higher numbers while social distancing still has to be maintained it a positive move forward. The Turf Committee and Grass Games organisers are putting together new plans to manage these venue events. Please follow all the rules that are promulgated at the event sites at our facilities and while visiting other club sites.

### **Clubrooms and Changerooms**

The **changerooms** are moving along and we are targeting an opening just prior to the first games 26 June they are first class. That is of course dependent on City of Melville approval. The **Clubrooms** are scheduled for opening end of July. This could drag out a bit longer as fit out must take place and is a big job in itself. I must say I have had several visits during the build and to now stand in our clubrooms and look over the turf and fields is spectacular and it made me so proud of our club and the building committee who have been putting this facility together for a long time. Stay tuned and what a way to celebrate coming of COVID-19 restrictions.

### **Clubroom Donations**

With reference to our clubroom donations there is a website set up with the ASF which does make donations tax deductible. There will be more out on this opportunity over the next few weeks.

I must thank all of the Committees involved: MCHC, Junior, Turf and Build Committees for their tireless work in keeping our club going, starting up again and building us a spectacular facility for the future.

See you at the club

### **Gary Bowater | President | Melville City Hockey Club**

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