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Preliminary Finals and Grand Finals rescheduled 16th and 17th March.

Due to predicted weather conditions for tomorrow SUNDAY the 10th and the likely hood of another Total Fire Ban being declared for Sunday, considering the duty of care for all, the GBR Pennant Committee, with GBR Board approval, have made the **decision to postpone tomorrows Preliminary Finals.**

No bowls tomorrow.

This means we will play a double header for the weekend of the 16th and 17th March.

The **Preliminary Finals** will now be held on **Saturday the 16thMarch** starting at **10.00am** with roll up commencing at 9.40am.

The **Grand Finals** will be held on **Sunday the 17th of March** with staggered start times as below: -

Division 1 Section 2 down to Division 6 Section 2, starting at 10.00am with roll up commencing at 9.40am.

Premier and Division 1 Section 1, will commence at 2.00pm. The 2nd named team will have practice from 12.00pm to 12.30pm and the top named team will have practice from 12.30pm to 1.00pm.

Clubs will be advised where Preliminary and Grand Finals will be held in the next couple of days.

While this is not ideal, we feel it is the best scenario, so that clubs competing in the preliminary finals get their chance to advance to the Grand Finals.

This early notification is provided so members are not waiting around for a decision tonight! Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions. Kind Regards Jandi Slattery GBR Pennant Chair Ph: 0427541512 Email: <u>pennant@geelongregionbowls.org.au</u>

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