# 2021 AMG

**24 February - Sport Meeting** 





### Agenda

- General Manager Update
- Registrations Update
- Sport Team Update
- Questions
- Next Meeting

# GM Update



### Registrations

- Thank you!
- Opened registrations on 18 January 2021 with 40 sports
- Now 43 sports live in the system with more to come
- Planning full steam ahead and registrations tracking well
- Updated <u>Cancellation & Refund Policy</u> = reduced risk
- Planning in line with advice from the Chief Health Officer



### Workforce

- New staff:
  - Administration and Registrations Coordinator Tess Roberts
  - Workforce Coordinator Libby McGee
- Digital Marketing Specialist recruitment
- Team will continue to grow
- Volunteer applications will open in March

### Marketing & Communications

 Implementation of the overall Games marketing and communication plan has begun

- Inside out strategy
- Focusing on:
  - Activating our 'inner circle'
  - 3 key pillars (sport, social & tourism)
  - Improving consumer certainty (e.g. Risk free travel information)
  - WA market
- Partnership: Games + Sport



### How can you help?

- Start spreading the word
- Submit Sport Specific Marketing & Communications Plans
- Implement your plan:
  - OUtilise content we provide at key milestones across your channels
  - Share Games content you're tagged in on social media
  - Create your own content, seek approval and tag
    @AustralianMastersGames on Facebook or @ausmastersgames on Instagram #2021AMG #PLAYTIMEINPERTH
  - Tag in NSO, other SSOs, clubs etc to amplify message

### **Games Central**

- Formerly known as Games Village
- Central hub for Games related services and information
- Place for participants to connect
- Centrally located in Forrest Place (CBD)
- Close to:
  - Transport hubs
  - Accommodation
  - Main retail precincts
  - Food and beverage outlets
- Working with partners to bring the city to life during the event



### Services

- Games Accreditation Centre
- Merchandise outlet
- Medal engraving service
- Tourism and visitor information services

- Customer service desk and lost property
- Satellite Games office
- Sport (indoor rowing TBC)

# Social Program & Special Events

- Deliver an engaging and memorable social program that:
  - Complements the Games sporting focus
  - Provides an opportunity for participants to socialise and connect with others
  - Celebrates the Games and participant success on the sporting arena
  - Showcases Perth and Western Australia





### Overview

#### Formal Events (i.e. special events)

- Managed and delivered by 2021 AMG
- Opening Ceremony
- Closing Ceremony
- Mid-week function

#### **Informal Events**

- Not managed and delivered by 2021 AMG
- Sport specific social functions
- Social program partners' happy hour
- City partner driven events

### **Opening Ceremony**

- Saturday 9 October
- Optus Stadium
- From 6.30pm
- Accessible via public transport and onsite parking
- User pays F&B
- Unique WA sporting experience
- Format:
  - Participant march
  - Welcome to Country
  - National anthem and AMG flag raising
  - Speeches and athletes' oath
  - Concert



### Mid-Week Function

- Wednesday 13 October
- Coast Port Beach
- From 6.00pm
- Accessible via public transport and onsite parking
- User pays F&B
- Unique WA tourism experience
- Format:
  - Informal beach BBQ



### **Closing Ceremony**

- Saturday 16 October
- WA Museum Boola Bardip
- From 6.30pm
- Accessible via public transport and nearby parking
- User pays F&B
- Unique WA cultural experience
- Format:
  - Choose your own adventure
  - Speeches
  - Explore the museum
  - Concert



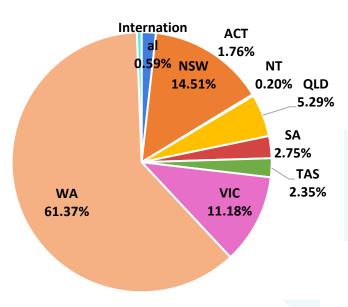
# Registrations Update



### Registrations Update

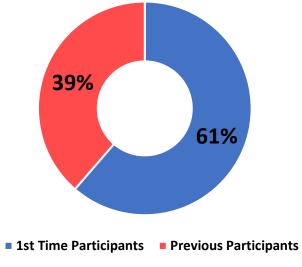
| Competitors | Non-Playing<br>Officials | Supporters | Total<br>Participants |
|-------------|--------------------------|------------|-----------------------|
| 529         | 31                       | 12         | <b>573</b>            |

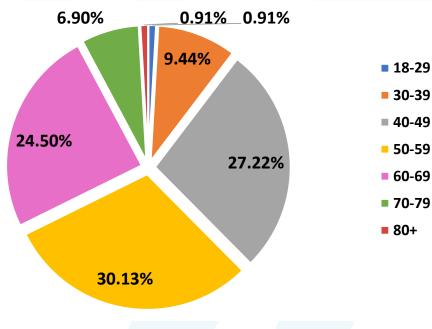
### Demographics



2021AMG Competitors By Location







2021AMG Participants by Age

### **Interesting Stats**

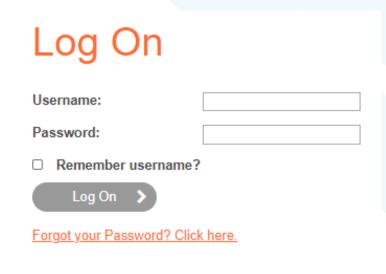
- Oldest participant: 91 (Athletics)
- Youngest Participant: 1 year old supporter
- Most popular sport: 53 teams and 214 competitors
- 87% of participants belong to a club
- Croquet has reached 40% of registration target already!

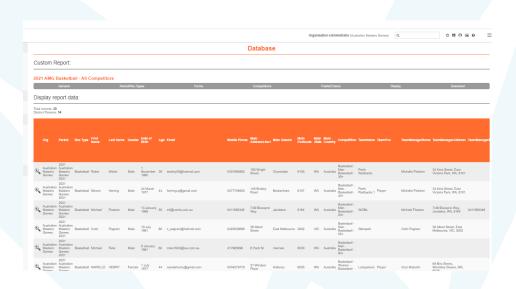


### Registration System

### **Accessing Fusesport**

- Fusesport.com
- Log in details for Fusesport will be included in sport handbook
- How to guide sent following meeting





# Sport Team Update



### Marketing Plans

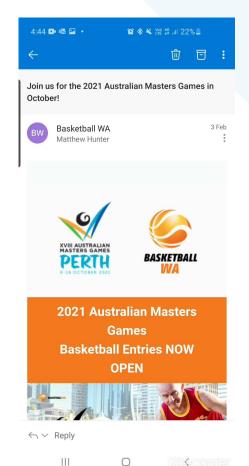
- Plans due by end of February\*
- Template available
- Tracked in collaboration with AMG
- Sport specific posts

\*unless otherwise approved by sport coordinator



### Marketing - Spotlight!

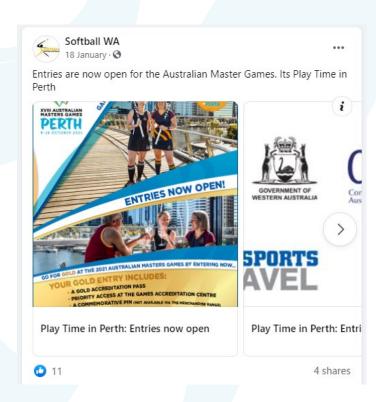
#### **BASKETBALL WA E-NEWS**



#### **VOLLEYBALL WA NEWS ITEM**



#### SOFTBALL WA FACEBOOK POST

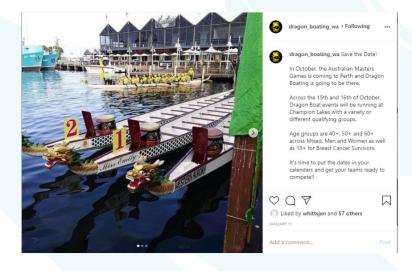


### Marketing - Spotlight!

#### TENNIS WEST FACEBOOK POST



#### DRAGON BOATING WA INSTAGRAM



#### **NETBALL WA BANNERS**





#### WAISA WEB PAGE



#### WACA MEMBERS NEWSLETTER



#### DUDLEY PARK BOWLING CLUB WEB PAGE



### **Activations**

#### Contact your sport coordinator to:

- Use the countdown clock
- Borrow our pull-up banners
- Collect 2021 AMG posters and postcards
- Provide assistance or staff to attend promotions, awards nights etc.

#### Activations so far:

- Windsurfer LT State Titles Mounts Bay Sailing Club
- Beach Volleyball Masters Championships
- Whiteman Park Complex Shooting Awards Nights



### **Success Stories**

- Lawn Bowls
- Shared AMG social media post
- 40 shares and 10 comments from the AMG community
- 224 link clicks highest clicks a post has received on AMG's Facebook account
- 13,418 people reached



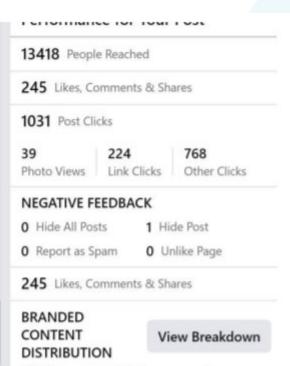
Bowlers are you at the ready? With 3 days until entries open, we are excited to announce that Lawn Bowls has been added to this year's sports program.

Press your uniforms and grab your partners because Lawn Bowls will be taking place from 9 - 16 October. This year you will have an experience like no other as you compete at the home of The Everest of Bowls Dudley Park Bowling & Recreation Club in the beautiful seaside village of Mandurah.

For more information about times,... See More



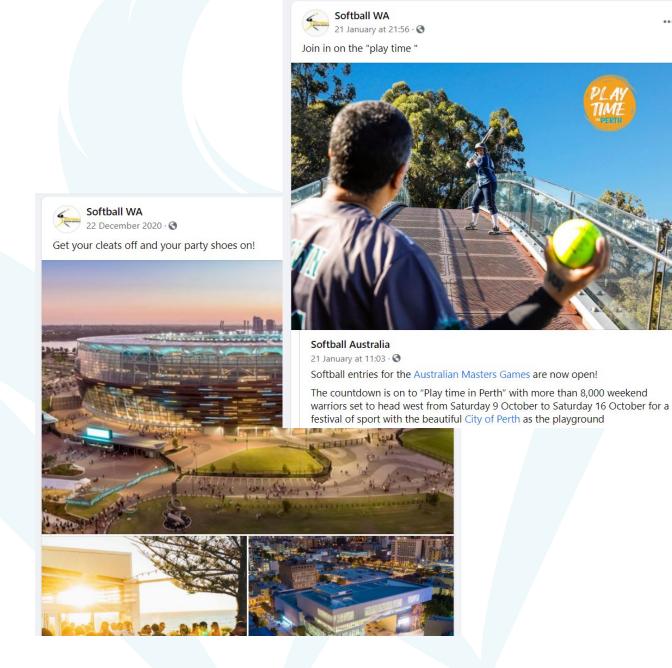
10 Comments 40 Shares





### **Success Stories**

- Softball
- 15+ Facebook shares/posts
- 214 participants registered
- 53 teams registered



### Critical Tasks Update

#### **DUE NOW:**

- 2.0 Sports Medicine Coverage
- 2.1 Venue Confirmation
- 2.2 Body/Venue Sponsors
- 2.3 Sport Progress Report
- 3.0 Venue Audit & Site Plans Matt & Alex will organise
- Please use the template provided for submissions
- Most sports are up to date
- Sport medicine allocations will be communicated



### Critical Tasks Update

#### **DUE 30 APRIL:**

- 4.0 Submit Preliminary Sport Medal Requirements
- 4.1 Identify Sport Specific Functions
- 4.2 Confirm Sport Rules for Publishing
- 4.3 Confirmation of Appeals Committee Structure Policy
- 4.4 Confirm Sport Workforce Headcount
- Template for these submissions will be provided postmeeting



### Sport Handbook

- Provides operational information
- Induction document for new committee members/staff
- Contents include:
- Specific 2021 AMG functional area information
- 2021 AMG registration system log-in information
- Further key information around registration phases, sport expectations, logo use, merchandising and much more



# Questions



## Next Meeting

Proposed date: Wednesday 21 April

Venue: TBC

Time: TBC

