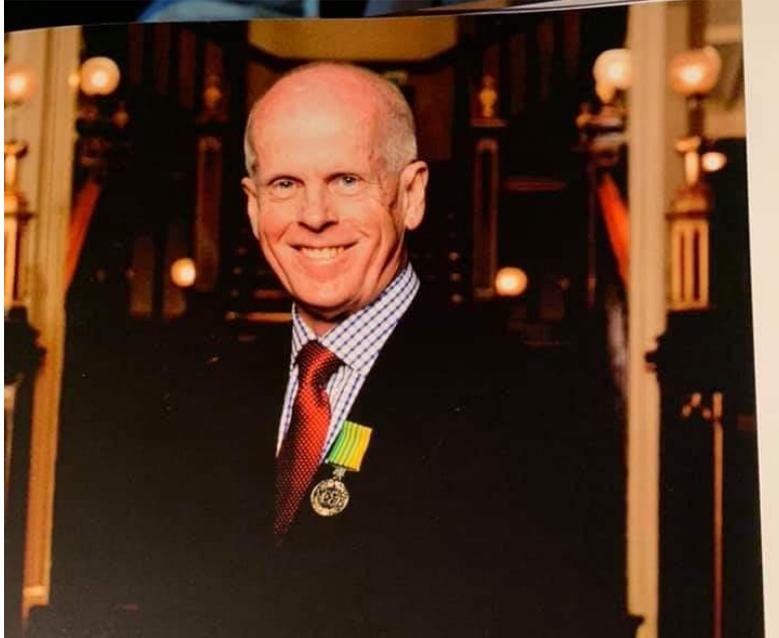




BLUE MOUNTAINS BASEBALL Winter 2020

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VALE PETER JOHNSON



We have lost one of our favourite sons. Peter passed away this week after bravely battling with Asbestosis.

Peter was so many things to our club, apart from being a proud parent, he was our official photographer, our contact with government, advisor on legal matters, involved in registrations, securing our presentation venues, not to mention being at Surveyors Creek and Lomatia out of love for the club.

Along with long distinguished career in Education – a life of duty lived in humility and service.

To his family we wish to send you our sincerest heartfelt condolences and to know that he will always be in our memories.

Peter was 63.





SEASON UPDATE FROM THE SYDNEY METRO BASEBALL!

Following is the latest (and only) communique from this week.....

Had this ready to go after Friday's announcements but hesitated because some of the media was intimating that community sport was back.

It's NOT – at least not quite SMBL position is no different as we wait for the easing of restrictions the only change is that Baseball training is now possible.

Training is allowed but you still should meet all the requirements – not just the distancing. eg: handwashing, don't share equipment, have extra balls available so you can wash and dry balls thoroughly.

Club and player insurance is governed by adhering to BNSW regulations. Check out the link below for paperwork that needs to be completed

The latest update from the government has meant that Baseball NSW is prepared to allow training under SPECIFIC CONDITIONS.

Here is the link to the latest update on their website

<https://www.baseballnsw.com.au/latest-news/covidsafe-training-back-to-activity-documents>

It is looking probably that we will be able to play one round 6-7 weeks from early July. We will be looking to find who wants to play later in June. BBNSW will charge players (who did not play last summer) \$60. SMBL will charge a token amount depending on whether there is a presentation at the conclusion to commemorate the shortest season ever.

We will continue to update as information becomes available

That's it folks – stand your distance, and wash your hands.

As soon as we hear - you will know.

Wil, Steve, Dave, Kurt and AT.