

**Hotline # 224 – 2<sup>nd</sup> February 2022**

**BurnsideHotline@gmail.com**



## Thank You Bill Fowlie

Bill says::

*After holding the baton for 210 editions over 4.5 years, taking over from the Founding Editor Mort Young, the time has come to pass it on. Clare Churcher has been the stand-in editor for the past two editions and will now have full control. Thanks for the support you have given me and I will now enjoy my Thursday morning read.*

Clare says:

*That's a lot of Hotlines! (and in my recollection all on time) Many thanks Bill for your commitment, reliability and humour. I will be happy if I can do half as well.*

Please send all contributions to **BurnsideHotline@gmail.com**

## President's Forum

### Coming to the Club?

**Mask wearing** is encouraged inside the pavilion, dining room or lounge except when you are seated for eating or drinking. We are asking anyone serving food or drinks to wear a mask at Burnside.

Protect yourself and others from the spread of COVID.

## New Club Jackets

Remember to write your name on the little white tag – your club jacket looks just like everyone else's and it will make returning the 'left behind' jackets easier.

Remember that the jackets belong to the club. They were paid for by a generous donation from Pub Charity which was applied for by Alan Bryce on behalf of the club, our subscriptions do not cover them. When you leave the club they are to be returned.

Do you realise the jackets are made from recycled plastic bottles?

# John Phillips

Harcourts | GRENADIER



**KEVIN HICKMAN**  
RETIREMENT VILLAGE



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## Bar Roster

Here is the roster for the week ending 12th February 2022

Monday	7th February	Ken Wilson- Pyne (Shift manager for the week) Mike Brereton	4:00pm to 6.30pm
Wednesday	9th February	Gordon Morrison	4:00pm to 6.30pm
Friday	11th February	Dave Straker	4.30pm to 6.30pm
Saturday	12th February	Lou Dent Jack O'Dea	4:00pm to 6.30pm

## From the Selectors

### Interclub Availability

As the second half of our Interclub gets underway, some competitions are having difficulty in getting teams on the green. On Monday this week, the Over 60's Sevens commenced with 3 teams representing Burnside requiring 21 players (combined men and women). The selector published the teams and within 3 days, 8 players had marked themselves down as unavailable.

As you can imagine this makes a selector's job very difficult and requires other members stepping up when they only wished to be a reserve, the Club would have needed to default a team. The selectors asked everyone to make a commitment to play almost every week when they put their name forward. The selectors entered teams into all competitions based on the people who wished to play weekly. That involved a financial commitment from our club. We realise that some unavailability is unavoidable, but also remember that **seven days notice** is required in most cases.

Think of the other members in your team that you are letting down. Finally, if you haven't put your name down to play interclub and you would now like to play, then please let your selectors know. You will be considered when players are required.

Thank you.

**REMINDER: there are no over 60 SEVENS this coming Monday Waitangi Day!**

## Success in Canterbury Champs

Congratulations to the **Women's Fours** team of Tayla Bruce (S), Emily Miller, Angela Mitchell & Tracy Wilkinson who have progressed to the **final**.

Kudos also to the **Men's Fours** team of Richard Hocking (S), Barry Williams, Matt Small & Mike Small who have progressed to the **semi finals**.

These matches will be played at the Centre finals weekend of the **30th April/1st May**

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## Burnside corner to corner

The Burnside Bowling Club corner to corner will be run **this Friday (4 Feb 2022)**.

- Cost **\$2.00**
- Registration **5:00pm**
- Competition starts around **5:15pm**
- **\$50 prize** for the winner. (There may be other prizes depending on numbers.)

Competitors cannot be late because of the format which will be the same as the "Grants Whiskey" competition which has been run in the past. You will need 2 bowls.

The competition is open to all club members (full or social).

For those club members who are unfamiliar with this competition it is initially just a bit of fun with a little bit of skill. Come along and have a go or at least come along for a look.

The bar will be open.

Organiser **Trev Paterson**

## Saturday Afternoon Bowls

### Elmburn Shield

Last Saturday afternoon, in the 43<sup>rd</sup> playing of this event, Burnside retained the Shield by recording its 22<sup>nd</sup> success.

Burnside led 6-2 after the first round of nine-end games and despite Elmwood Park's very strong comeback, held on to win 4 games in the second half to retain the Shield.

### Festival Bowls

Festival Bowls is on this **Saturday 5 February 2022** – at Burnside starting at **1-30pm**.

Entries close on **Friday, 4 February at 5-00 pm**

Entry sheets are posted in the match rooms or you can enter on line. Late entries may be accepted if there are vacancies.

Usual conditions; Club uniform, mixed, format depends on numbers, \$3 entry if numbers warrant this. Please register at the Club's Office window between **12-55 pm and 1-15 pm**.

This event is for all members not playing Women's 8s, Manning Cup or Championship Triples this afternoon.

The manager on Saturday will be **John Ross**. Any queries please contact **Ken Wilson-Pyne 3582457**

## Ladies Triples Tournament

Thank you very much to **Judy Davidson** and her team for a marvellous tournament on Monday 31 Jan. There were two full greens and Judy even arranged perfect weather (with just enough wind to keep everyone on their toes).

Eighteen clubs were represented and there were nine Burnside teams. As always there was enough afternoon tea for two tournaments and an awesome raffle.

Many thanks also to **AJ** and **Robert Clarke** for all their work in setting up the draw, managing the results and Robert also for umpiring. We had many congratulatory comments about the excellent greens – Thanks **Jamie**.



Myra presented the Kirwee winners with their prize - generously donated by **Lamb and Hayward**



Burnside team Jill, Clare and Sharyn were astonished and delighted to take out second place.



The main event



Thanks Judy and team (Philippa, Judith and Gordon, Jenny, Rhonda, Pam, and Brenda).