

Hotline 259 – 6<sup>th</sup> October 2022

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## Living House Burnside U26 Singles

The U26 tournament gets underway this **Friday 7<sup>th</sup> October**. There will be **140 games** all up, with the semi-finals and **finals** being played on **Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> October**, starting at **9:00am**. The mixed **field of 32** includes 20 North Island players, nine South Island players, one player from Australia, and two from the Cook Islands.

You will see players coming in to **practise** on our greens on **Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> October** so please **say hello** and welcome them to our club. Of special mention is the **President** of Cook Islands **Bowls, Mr Unakea Kauvai**, who has accompanied the two Cook Islands players, Emily Jim and Royden Aperau, to NZ.

For all tournament **details**, please visit: [Burnside Under 26 Singles](#). **Thank you** to the many **volunteers** who will be putting in the hard work over the next few days.

(Please see **revised bar roster** on page 5)

## Match Committees

- **Entries close** this Saturday **8<sup>th</sup>** for the **U8 drawn 2x4x2 mixed Pairs**. The entry form is in the men's match room.
- The **entry forms** for the **Women's Drawn Handicap Pairs** ( to be played by arrangement) are up in the match room with a **closing date** of 29<sup>th</sup> October 2022 4:00pm.
- The draw for the **Thiele Fours** (Monday 10<sup>th</sup> and 17<sup>th</sup> October) are on the web page (home page and club champs) [at this link](#).

## Name Badges - Last Chance

Wearing a name badge **helps** both new and old members to **discover** or **remember** your name.

We are only a **few orders short** of qualifying for the **discounted** rate for these, so we are extending the closure date for orders to **Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> October**.

**Don't procrastinate!** If you want a name badge please e-mail [rwmitchell@xtra.co.nz](mailto:rwmitchell@xtra.co.nz) or phone 021 225 8270 **now**. Please specify which attachment type you want – **pin** or **magnet**. Cost is **\$13.50** with pin, **\$15.00** with magnet.

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## Spring Clean

There was a **wonderful** spring cleaning session at the club on **Sunday morning** resulting in the **disposal** of a large amount of **surplus** items. So much **more** was **achieved** than **expected** and it's great seeing the club sparkling and **free of clutter**.

**Huge thanks** to Alan B, Bea, Brenda, George, Graham L, Graham T, Jill, John R, Kay, Kaz, Kerrie, Lisa, Lynne, Mike M, Pam Clarke, Paul Mc, Rhonda, Richard B, Rod, and Sharyn. Thank you too to Lynne for the **scones**

**Great work team!**



Ladies' junk



Gentlemen's junk



Definitely not junk.

## Errors in Bowls Canterbury Book

There were a few mistakes in this year's handbook. The full changes are on the noticeboards in the match rooms. Here is a summary of the most important errors.

- **Over 60's Sevens:** There is no longer singles in this new format.
- **Over 60's Fives:** Start date should be Monday 31<sup>st</sup> **October** NOT November.
- **Centre Over 60's Fours:** Section play is Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> **February** 2023 NOT March
- **Watson Shield and Men's 3x4 Pennants:** Check for changes to promotions/relegation

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## Saturday Interclub Teams

The Interclub teams are required at the Centre office so that the draws can be completed.

To help with this the selectors will **display** the teams for **Saturday competitions** in the **Match Room**. There are no 'Home/Away' or 'Opponents' on these sheets, but we would like you **to check the teams** and **tick your names** off. If for some reason you are **unavailable** make sure you **let us know**.

The **first** round will be played on **Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> October** at 9:00am. The lists will only be displayed in the Match Room for this exercise. Once we get underway next week, the **teams** will be on **the website**. We encourage you all to **tick your name on line** during the playing season.

Remember if you are **unavailable**, you must let the selectors know at **least 7 days** before the event. For any **unexpected** unavailability, please let the selectors know **ASAP**. The **reserves** will definitely be **rotated** in teams. At this stage we have just a **few extra players** for most competitions and every endeavour will be made to give you all an **equal playing** opportunity.

The **midweek competitions** will commence on Wednesday **26<sup>th</sup> October** with a number of events.

Mike Small for Selectors

## Saturday Afternoon Bowls

### This Week, 8<sup>th</sup> October Festival Bowls

**Start:** 1:30 pm (please note starting time)

**Entries:** Close on **Friday at 5:00 pm**. Enter on the sheets in the match rooms or online.  
\$3.00 entry fee for prizes.

**Register:** 12:55 and 1:20 pm

**Format:** Club uniform.

Any queries please contact **Ken Wilson-Pyne** at 358 2457 or kmwp@xtra.co.nz

The Under 26 tournament is on so **come early** and see some **great bowls**. Please **do not** enter if you are **marking** in the **afternoon**. **Limited** to the first **64 entries** as only one green will be available.

### Next Week, 15<sup>th</sup> October

**Interclub** starts this morning.

**Festival Bowls** for all those **not playing** in the Men's or Women's **fours champs**. As above

Any news, bowls equipment to buy or sell, stories, notices?

Contact the Hotline

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Deadline: 5pm Wednesdays

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## Social Night

On Friday 30<sup>th</sup> September a **social night** was held to congratulate **Kevin** and **Tayla** on their recent successes in the **NZ Bowls awards**.

There were **fish and chips** to follow, and then the **first** of the new **jackpot draws** was held. The winner wasn't in attendance so the money will jackpot to **\$50 next week**. The first of the new **cash raffles** did find winners



**Kevin Smith, Richard Bruce, Tayla Bruce**



**Ross Bell** got lucky with number 67



**Lynne Brown** setting up the fish and chips

## Open Days

After a couple of weeks of members putting **flyers** in local **letterboxes**, the **open days** took place on Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> and 28<sup>th</sup> and Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> **September**.

Despite an unexpected **long weekend** in the middle, about **17 visitors** tried their hands, plus **four** of **Judy Davidson's retirement village friends**.

Currently we have had **seven new member** applications as a result. **Excellent!**

Thanks to **Richard Mitchell** for all his organisation, and to **those who helped** with the flyers and on the days.



**Richard Mitchell**

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**Introducing:** bowlers who joined us last year.

### **Paul McOscar**

Paul is a **Christchurch** native. He married **Fay** in 1972 and started work at **The Press**. At the end of 1972, they both began work at the **Outward Bound** School, Anakiwa, before moving back to Christchurch in **1975**. For the **next 30 years** Paul worked in **sports facility management**, community **advocacy** and operational/policy **planning**.



Their **two sons**, James and Simon, travelled to **Scotland** to play rugby in 1999 and 2004 respectively and never came home. So at **age 58**, Paul and Fay took a **late OE**, living and working in Scotland. The British withdrawal from the EU (with all its problems) plus Covid has **reunited** the whole **family** back **home in NZ**.

In **2008** Paul and Fay established an **accommodation** business on their **Glentunnel** property, catering mainly for overseas visitors. Because of **Covid** the business **closed** and the property sold. They moved **back to town** in 12 months ago and now live in **Avonhead**.

## **Tournaments**

### **Kaiapoi Riverside Bowling Club**

**Women's 3 Bowl Triples** Tournament

**Date:** Monday 28<sup>th</sup> November 2022

**Time:** 9:15am for Morning Tea, 10:00am start

**Cost:** \$30:00 per team

**Contact:** Jenny Blackler 0274 582 192

Colleen Bailey 03 327 7517 by 14<sup>th</sup> November



### **Papanui Club**

Ngaio Marsh **Women's 3 Bowl Triples** Tournament

**Date:** Friday 28<sup>th</sup> October 2022

**Time:** 9:15am for Morning Tea, 10:00am start

**Cost:** \$30:00 per team

**Contact:** Nina Rae: designonline4u@gmail.com, 0210477827

Fay Sampson: faysampson@xtra.co.nz, 0211546449

Kay Dent: ozybaz@slingshot.co.nz, 02102288522

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## Festival Hilarity

With **Ken away** last Saturday, **AJ** tried something **new**. The participants were divided into **two teams of ten**. So far so good. Then each team had to **arrange themselves** into a four and two triples. But **half way through** the **first end**, the fours realised they were **missing a skip** and one triples match was struggling to accommodate **7 players**. It got sorted.

Then for the **second match** each team of ten were to **rearrange themselves**. **Chaos** ensued. People had **differing recollections** of which **people** on the other rinks were **in their team**. Even on the same rink, after 30 mins of amiably chatting with someone, it was possible to immediately forget whether you were playing **with** them or **against** them. Such is the **magic of festival bowls**.



**Rhonda** broke out the **best bikkies** for afternoon tea. Thanks! And then the rearranging started again. At the end of the afternoon **10 people** were in a **winning** team and took home **\$6.00 each**. The other 10 weren't and didn't.

**Thanks AJ** for a memorable afternoon.

## MarketPlace

### For Sale

Taylor **RedlineSR** Bowls **Size 3** \$90.00.

Were part of a team that **won two** Burnside Fours championships. Now too big for arthritic hands.

**Contact:** Graham Tate 352 6230 or 027 358 3394



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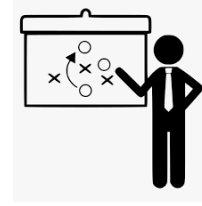
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## Bowls Tactics

### Forcing Shots

When should they be played?

- you want to **remove** a bowl to gain a shot
- **reduce** the count against you
- you want to remove a **danger**
- you want to **disrupt the head** when you are down



## Bar Rosters

Revised Roster for **Under 26 Singles** this weekend

Thursday	6 <sup>th</sup>	John Switella	4:00pm to 6.00pm
Friday	7 <sup>th</sup>	Michael Mehaffey: Bottom Bar	11:00am to 1.30pm
		Jan Harmon	1.30pm to 4.30 m
		Pierre Alexandra, David Wilson: Top Bar	4:00pm to 6:00pm
		Barry Bunting, Jill Lee	6:00pm to 8:00pm
		Alister Salt	8:00pm to 11:00pm
Saturday	8 <sup>th</sup>	John Reese: Bottom Bar	11:30am to 2:00pm
		Bill Fowlie: Bottom Bar	2:00pm to 4.00pm
		Neville Churcher, El Johnson: Top Bar	4:00pm to 6:00pm
		Barry Bunting, Amanda Carides	6:00pm to 8:00pm
		Pam Clarke	8:00pm to 11:00pm
Sunday	9 <sup>th</sup>	Richard Mitchell: Bottom Bar	11:30am to 1:30pm
		Gordon Morrison: Bottom Bar	1:30pm to 4:00pm
		Jan Harmon: Top Bar	4:00pm to 6:00pm

Here is the roster for the week ending 15<sup>th</sup> October 2022

Monday	10 <sup>th</sup>	Trevor Paterson	5:00pm to 6:00pm
Wednesday	12 <sup>th</sup>	Don Lyall and Jan Harmon	After Triples
Friday	14 <sup>th</sup>	Lindsay Hodder	4:00pm to 6.30pm
Saturday	15 <sup>th</sup>	Richard Mitchell and Alistair Salt	4.00pm to 6.30pm

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## Club Hires and Activities

Friday	7 <sup>th</sup>			U26 Singles
Saturday	8 <sup>th</sup>			U26 Singles
Sunday	9 <sup>th</sup>			U26 Singles
Monday	10 <sup>th</sup>	6:00-9:00pm	Lounge	Rotary
		6:00-8:00pm	Dining Room	St Johns Fendalton
Tuesday	11 <sup>th</sup>	10.00-12.00pm	Lounge	Friendship Club
Wednesday	12 <sup>th</sup>	12.30pm		Russley Village Triples
Thursday	13 <sup>th</sup>	5.30pm	Greens	Gary Cockram

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