

Hotline 274 – 19<sup>th</sup> January 2023

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## Rawleigh's Stuart Buttar Burnside Pairs

Beautiful weather and a great turnout of bowlers and spectators.



Photo: A J van Hasselt

Congratulations to **Richard Hocking** and **Barry Williams** who were **runners up** in the First Division. They played **magnificent** bowls to **win** their **semi final** but could not quite keep up with the eventual winners, Nathan Black and Cohen Litfin from **Australia**.



Red and black bowls from the Burnside pair



Bowls NZ YouTube

- **Tayla Bruce** (with Lance Tusker) and **Hamish Wilson** (with Joseph van der Pennen) qualified for Div 1
- **Kevin Gore** (with Ross Stevens) were semi finalists in Div 3
- **Bowls raffle** was won by Glenn McDonald, Belfast
- **Trolley Bag** was won by John Gray, Te Puke.

### A Big Thank You to...

- **Alan Bryce** for his organisation and oversight
- The army of **volunteers** for creating a great tournament.
- **Jamey** for having the greens in such wonderful condition.
- **Fiona Head** from **Rawleigh's** for her **sponsorship**.



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# Executive Summary

## Key points from the meeting on Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> January

### The Bar:

The Executive, bar staff and management wish to remind all members that the club holds a **license to operate** the bar. Currently we are required to **close** at times **stipulated in the licence** and take the risk of losing our licence should we trade beyond these hours. We ask that all members **respect the authority** of bar staff and adhere to closing times. We now have **3 paid bar staff** and looking to grow this further to provide cover for volunteers.



### Maintenance:

We are currently **obtaining quotes** to replace the **curtains** in all areas of the club as they are in serious disrepair. We are also obtaining quotes to have the **exterior** and parts of the **interior** of the building **painted** and the **roof assessed** for any required repair and maintenance. A date will be booked this week to **install new lighting** in the lounge and some other areas of the club. We are working on **updating all security systems**. Carpet repairs are also in progress.

### Greens:

Just a reminder.... if you are coming to play or practice, **please check** which **greens are open** on the **white board** at the entrance and look for signage indicating if greens are closed. Green maintenance requires **chemicals** to be used on occasions and if you play on any of these greens you may risk **contamination**.

### Membership:

Currently we have **256 members** (46 Non-playing).

### 60<sup>th</sup> Anniversary:

Work is underway to prepare for the club's 60<sup>th</sup> anniversary. We have tentatively booked a date for the celebrations on **Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> December 2023**. We are hoping this will also incorporate our annual Christmas get together.

### Income:

December was a very **favourable** time for the clubs coffers with **corporate bowls** contributing the bulk of the funds and, along with the **Burnside Pairs**, significant contribution to bar sales. Thanks to everyone involved in these events.

### Policies and Procedures:

The Executive are currently **reviewing** all club policies and operating procedures to ensure they are **up to date**.

## Solar Power

As of Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> January we have **saved \$3000** since the installation on 1<sup>st</sup> May 2022.

**Friday night members' draw:**

Come on **Friday** at **6:00pm** for the next draw.

**\$85**

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# Match Committee

## Men's Triples

The draw is out, **round 1** will go ahead as scheduled **this Saturday** at 1:30pm. The following matches are subject to the **result** of the men's **division one 7s** on Saturday morning.

- Richard Hocking vs Lloyd Guest
- Scott Greenland vs Mike Small
- Brad Sinclair vs Barry Williams

If Burnside is still in the 7s, the above three matches will be **postponed** and will need to be played by **own arrangement** at a later date. All members of the above teams should anticipate playing until notified otherwise!

**Round 2** of the men's triples will be moved from the 28<sup>th</sup> January because of a double round of Watson shield that day. This means that the reserve day (**25<sup>th</sup> February**) will now be used and all men's triples players should keep **this date free**.

A reminder that there is a **double round** of men's triples on the 4<sup>th</sup> February (**Waitangi weekend**). If you are intending to be away, please make arrangements for a **substitute** or play your games **prior** to this date.

## Club Mixed Pairs

Entry form is now up in the men's and women's match rooms. Competition played in March and April.

## Men's Handicap singles

Draw is now up. Please play by own arrangement.

## Men's Handicap Pairs

Draw is now up. 1st round is **this Sunday** at **10:00am**.

## Games behind Schedule (Men)

A reminder that games that were meant to be played in **December** need to be played ASAP. Games not caught up by the end of the month will be scratched.

# Burnside Business House Bowls – spread the word.



Let people know about this **great social event** at Burnside for non bowlers

- Runs on **Thursday** evenings at 6pm starting 9<sup>th</sup> February for **5 weeks**
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## Celebrating our Stars

Last **Thursday** evening the club held an event to **celebrate** some of our **stars**. A sizeable **crowd** attended and the club put on some pies and sandwiches. Thanks to the catering team.



**Hamish Wilson** was MC and gave an overview of **Tayla Bruce's** remarkable career. The event was predominantly to congratulate her on her most recent successes. The picture on the right shows:

- The cup and medal for the **World** Champion of Champion Singles (centre)
- Her two **Commonwealth** games bronze medals (right)
- The Gold medal for the 2023 **National** Women's **Pairs** and Silver medal for the 2023 **National** Women's **Singles** (left).



Kevin Smith, Tom and Gaye Boyd

Hamish then outlined **Kevin Smith's** huge **contribution** to Blind and Para Bowls in New Zealand over **15 years**. He has been named the **manager** of the **Blind Jacks** for the World Championships. Kevin gave an interesting **overview** of the **different grades** B1-B4 used to categorise the blind bowlers.

We then acknowledged the **awesome achievement** of **Tom Boyd**. Tom acknowledged his former directors **Chris Iggo** and **Gaye Bunting**. He and current director **Gaye Boyd** are in the **NZ team** for the World Champs.

## Super Sixes

The **Super Sixes** Tournaments is on Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> and Monday 6<sup>th</sup> February (**Waitangi Weekend**) with six provincial centres competing. Two greens each day will be used at Burnside.

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## Good Neighbours Cup

The Good Neighbours Cup 2023 **Interclub friendly** match between **Burnside** and **Bowls Papanui** was played at Bowls Papanui **last Sunday**. Each club was represented by **eight fours** playing two games of 10 ends.

After the **first round** Burnside was leading by **5 wins** to Papanui's **2 wins** with one game drawn. The second round was a different story but the green team hung on to narrowly **retain the Cup** by winning **7 games** to Papanui's **6 games** with **3 games drawn**.

Every one enjoyed the day and Bowls Papanui provided a **great afternoon tea**. The **2024** match will be played at **Burnside**. A more detailed **report** can be read on the Burnside **website** in the News section.



Photo: Shaun Gore  
Treasurer **Alistair Salt** and  
the Good Neighbours Cup

## Saturday Bowls

### Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> January: Festival Bowls/Organised Roll Up

**Start:** 1:30 pm

**Entries:** Close on **Friday 20<sup>th</sup> January at 5:00pm**. Late entries accepted only if there are vacancies. Enter on the sheets in the match rooms or online:

**Fee:** **\$3.00** entry fee for prizes.

**Format:** Depends on numbers, mixed, club uniform.

N.B. This is only for those **NOT** playing Club Championship Triples this afternoon.

Any queries please contact **Ken Wilson-Pyne** 358 2457

## Social Bowls with Cruise Ship Visitors

On **Tuesday, 14<sup>th</sup> February**, we have agreed to host a party of **36 bowlers** from **Australia** who are travelling **around NZ** on a **cruise ship**. This group of passengers is playing bowls **each day** between 10<sup>th</sup> February and 15<sup>th</sup> February in Auckland, Mount Maunganui, Napier, Wellington, Christchurch and Dunedin. i.e. wherever the **ship docks** and there is a **bowling green**.

The present plan is that they will have **lunch** at **Burnside** and play bowls from **1:00 pm**. There is a **time limit** on their stay with us as they have to be **back on the ship** before it leaves for **Port Chalmers** in the late afternoon.

We hope that we can **muster a good number** of Burnside players to enjoy a pleasant afternoon of **social bowls**. Please put your name on the sheets which are in each of the match rooms.

Any queries contact **Alan Bryce** 027 232 1723 or **Ken Wilson-Pyne** 358 2457.

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## Interclub Participation

With the **new system** of on-line entry and participation there have been a **few anomalies** affecting some players.

### Names not appearing

Some names have not appeared in teams so far. This may have been caused by not pushing **'SUBMIT'** when you completed your game choices. If this applies to you then please **contact the selectors**. As these people come to hand you will be **added to the reserves** for future play.



Find interclub functions here

### Tick your name

As there are **no paper copies** of teams in the match room, players need to **tick** their name **on line**. There is a computer in the **main match room** for you to use. Shake the mouse to get started. AJ will provide a **How to tick your name** page near the computer for you. Many players are NOT ticking their names to say they can play and selectors and team captains are left to chase them to confirm.

### Unavailability

If you are unavailable and know **at least 7 days prior** to the event, you can go to the website **Interclub** menu where you will find a ['Player Unavailability'](#) button below the Post Christmas team options. Enter your name, the date you are unavailable and the event concerned.

If you are unavailable **within 7 days** of the event, you must **notify** the appropriate selector as soon as possible **by phone**.

Your **cooperation** is **appreciated**.

## Bar Roster

Monday	16 <sup>th</sup> Jan	4:00pm to 6:00pm	Peter Doell
Friday	20 <sup>th</sup> Jan	4:00pm to 6.30pm	Ray Sefton
Saturday	21 <sup>st</sup> Jan	4:00pm to 6.30pm	Clare Churcher and El Johnson
Monday	23 <sup>rd</sup> Jan	4:00pm to 6:00pm	John Reese
Friday	27 <sup>th</sup> Jan	4:00pm to 6.30pm	Barry Williams and Brian Southen
Saturday	28 <sup>th</sup> Jan	4:00pm to 6.30pm	Pierre Alexandre and Neville Churcher

## Tournaments

### Sydenham Bowling Club

#### Fours – any combination

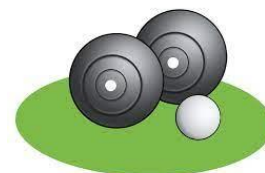
**Date:** Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> March

**Time:** 9:00am

**Cost:** \$60.00 BYO lunch

**Contact:** Waru Paul: 021 173 9006 Vince Casey: 021 124 2358

Email: [Sydenham.bowling@gmail.com](mailto:Sydenham.bowling@gmail.com)



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## Club Hires and Activities

Thursday	19 <sup>th</sup>	10:00am-3:30pm	Greens	Lamb & Hayward Women's Triples
Saturday	21 <sup>th</sup>	9:00am	Greens	Canty Sevens Semi Finals Div 1
		1:00pm	Greens	Canty Sevens Final Div 1
		4:00pm	Greens	C Pero Group (40)
Sunday	22 <sup>nd</sup>	9:00am -5:00pm	Greens/Lounge	Umpire Training: D Conroy
		3:30pm	Greens	Andrew Jones Group (4)
Wednesday	25 <sup>th</sup>	5:30pm	Greens	Canty Women's Team Practice
Thursday	26 <sup>th</sup>	9:00am	Greens	Centre Mixed Fours P/S
		10:00am	Greens	Summerset Group: J Davidson (20)
		5:30pm	Greens	Cobham School (30)



After three long hot days at the Burnside Pairs, there is nothing like a good soak.

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