

Hotline 325 – 11th January 2024
BurnsideHotline@gmail.com



Greens Thursday January 11

The forecast indicates a temperature of **32 degrees** tomorrow (Thursday) so the **greens will be closed** to all, with the exception of the Burnside Pairs participants practice, and Club Championship games, from 10:00 am.

Gardens

Our gardens are looking so **colourful** and so **pretty!** There were a lot of **compliments** about them received during Nationals, both from visitors to the club and from people watching from afar via the live streaming. Thanks very much to **Bruce Wallace, Chris Iggo and team** for all of their time and work.



Solar Panels

Solar panels have given us a total of **\$3972.00** in **savings** for the calendar year.

Rawleigh's Stewart Buttar Burnside Pairs

This prestigious tournament is being held at the club **this weekend** from Friday to Sunday. Make sure you get along to see some awesome bowls.

Information and **results** are available [here](#).

Hotline on Holiday

The editor and chief proof reader will be **off air** for a **fortnight** so there will be no Hotline for the **next two weeks**. HOWEVER - keep sending information to BurnsideHotline@gmail.com as the email will be monitored and any **important notices** will be **sent out** as required.

News will still be **available** on the [Web Page](#) and the [Facebook Page](#).

Next edition will be on February 1.

Fiona Head
Rawleigh's
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Nationals wrap-up

Richard Bruce

The 2024 Summerset **National Singles and Pairs** is over. **Burnside** was one of the **host clubs** for this prestigious event on the national bowling calendar, and we had bowls here every day for **all eight days** of the event. As the **headquarters club**, we were the sole host to both exciting finals days.

The **first finals day**, last Friday 5 January, was the only day during the event with **poor weather** but this did not affect the **quality of play**. Spectators, both at the club and watching through Sky Sport and YouTube, were treated to some **stunning play**.

Tuesday's finals day was also a showcase of great bowls. We were thrilled to see Burnside club member **Graham "Snow" Reardon** playing in the **final** of the National Open Disability Singles and we were proud to see him come away with the **silver medal**.

Throughout the event, we received many **favourable comments** about our warm **hospitality**, our **facility**, our **volunteers**, the **gardens**, the high quality of our **greens**, and about the **food** provided by Catering by Nikki.

Many **volunteers helped** over many days, especially in the areas of **marking** games, **umpiring**, the **bar**, **greens** preparation, and **tea and coffee** provision.

Special thanks go to **Margaret Gray** for arranging the many markers; **Kerrie Bruce** for taking the lead on tea and coffee and catering liaison; **Alan Bryce** who was key in the lead-up to the event and the day-to-day running of the event; and **Hamish Wilson** for his work in the bar area. This event is centred around the players and providing them with outstanding greens to play on and my thanks goes to **Jamey Ferris**, our greenkeeper, for all the great work he did before and during the tournament.

As a club, I believe we can be **very proud** of how we **showcased Burnside** to the bowling community. **Well done** to everyone who contributed in some way.

(And **many thanks** to **Richard** for his marvellous management of the tournament. ed)

Message regarding Nationals

Steve Godfrey from **Club Redcliffs** asked for the following message to be relayed to Burnside members:

*I had the **pleasure** of playing the **singles** at Burnside today (Finals day Friday January 5) on what turned out to be a **very wet day**. I'd just like to pass on my **sincere thanks** to all your **members** who helped today. The markers, umpires, greens staff, kitchen/bar staff, etc. **Great effort** from all and I hope that those who **were outside** didn't take too long to **dry out**. Many thanks - it was much appreciated.*



Snow Reardon. Runner up Para Singles

Match Committee

Final

The final of the **Mixed U8 2x4x2 Pairs** is on January 11 at 3:30pm. The final is Lyn Martin and Ken Stevens versus Andy Cockcroft and Wayne England.

Entries

Entries are open for the **Men's Handicap Singles** and **Pairs** and close Sunday January 14. Entry forms are on the wall in the men's match room.

Club Mixed Pairs

Entries for the club **Mixed Pairs** are now open. Entry form is located on the match room wall.

Late Matches

The following games need to be played ASAP and will be scratched if not played by Saturday 20 January 20. Note the greens will be open for championship games on 11 January 11.

Men's pairs: Barry Williams vs Geoff Clarke

Men's Singles Barry Williams vs Kevin Rowe

Men's U5 Singles: Jayden Owens vs Lon Anderson.

Interclub

Women's interclub teams

Please find the Women's **post Christmas** interclub teams here: [Sevens](#) and [Double Triples](#)

Skips are responsible for **arranging transport** for their teams. Please message your team weekly to make sure they are all good to play.

Players please **notify your skip** ASAP if you are **unavailable**. Skips, once you are notified of an unavailable player, **please contact** one of the selectors (Pam Clarke, Pam Clark or Karolyn Boon) to find a replacement.

If any player has a **concern about anything** at all, please contact one of the **selectors directly** to discuss.

Happy Bowling!

Burnside Pairs Bar Roster

We are still **needing volunteers** to do some bar shifts. Time slots are:

Friday January 12

- 12:30 pm to 6:30 pm
- 6:00 pm to 8:00 pm

Please contact Hamish on 027 333 4070 if you're able to help.

The current Burnside pairs bar roster can be viewed [here](#) as well as on the website under the bar roster tab.

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Saturday Afternoon Bowls

Saturday January 13: Elmburn Shield

Burnside v Elmwood Park Interclub Friendly

Time: 1:00 pm

Place: Elmwood Park Heaton Street

Format: Fours, mixed, club uniform, 2 games of 9 or 10 ends (TBA)

Teams:

	Skip	Third	Second	Lead
1	Brian Clarkson	Selwyn Manning	Jan Spang	Don McClelland
2	Scott Greenland	Gordon Morrison	Winnie Lui	Graham Tate
3	Pat Bonham	Mike Murphy	Kazumi Cuthbertson	Roger Brown
4	Neil Anderson**	Pauline Huggins	Paul McOscar	Millie Knox
5	Neil Cornelius	Lyn Martin	Cliff Johns	Pat Hopkins
6	Peter Doell	John Reese**	Keith Battersby	Liz Reese
7	Ray Moody	Michael Weeks	Helen Moody	Alistair Salt

** Managers for the day

Skips please contact your team to **confirm availability** and to **arrange transport**.

Meet in the **Club's car park** at **12:25 pm** or if going direct please tell your skip.

Team 1 will play their first game on Rink 1, Team 2 on Rink2 and so on.

Reserves: Tony Dell*; Beryl Heperi*; *Guaranteed a place in Good Neighbours Cup V Bowls Papanui at Burnside on Saturday, February 3 if entered for this event.

Any queries to **Ken Wilson-Pyne** at kmwp@xtra.co.nz or 027 2544320.

Saturday January 20 and 27: Festival Bowls

Time: 1:30 pm

Entries: In the match room or [on-line](#) by 5pm the previous Friday. \$3.00 for prizes.

Format: Club uniform

Saturday February 3: Good Neighbours Trophy.

Interclub Friendly against **Bowls Papanui**. Note this is the same weekend as the Bowls Canterbury Super Sixes Tournament.

Time: 1:00 pm

Place: Burnside

Entries: In the match room or [on-line](#) by Tuesday January 30, 2:00 pm
(Note there will not be another Hotline before this date.)

Format: Fours, mixed, club uniform, one green, two games of 9 or 10 ends (TBA)

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MarketPlace

For Sale

Bowls: **Taylor Blue Line, Size 4**
\$400.00
Contact **Murray Harper** 027 433 2424



Corporate Bowls Helpers Needed

Our next Corporate Bowls Event is **Saturday January 20** 4:00pm-6:00pm.
55 bowlers are expected and we **need two helpers** on the greens.
Please call **Alistair Salt** on 027 220 6978 if you are able to help.

Raffles

There are **two raffles** being run this weekend:

- Burnside Pairs **Tournament Raffle** 200 tickets at \$5.00 each.
1st prize: Voucher for a set of Henselite Bowls
2nd prize: Bowls Carry Bag
3rd prize: \$100.00 gift voucher from Bowls Canterbury
- Burnside Bowls **Club Cash Raffle** 50 tickets at \$5:00 each with generous cash prizes.

Both raffles are on **sale from Friday**. Get your tickets when you are watching the Pairs.
GET IN QUICK!!!

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

Contact the Hotline

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Deadline: 5pm Wednesdays

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Club Hires and Activities

Fri 12 Jan – Sun 14 Jan				Stewart Buttar Pairs
Tue	16 Jan	930		Over 60s Sevens Rd 1
Sat	20 Jan	900		Men's Watson Shield, Women's Sevens
		900		AC Eights, U5 Fours
		1330		Manning Cup Rd 1
		1330-1600	Green Only	Women's and Men's Club Triples
		1330-1600	Green Only	Festival Bowls
Sun	21 Jan	0900-1600	Green Only	Women's 1&2 Year Singles
		1000-1230	Green Only	Men's Handicap Pairs Round 1
Tue	23 Jan	1900-2200	Executive	Club Executive Meeting
		930		Over 60s Sevens Rd 2
Thu	25 Jan	900		Centre Mixed Fours
Fri	26 Jan	1230-1630	Green Only	Medley Fours Fiona Head Rawleighs
Sat	27 Jan	900		Men's Watson Shield, Women's Sevens
		900		AC Eights, U5 Fours
		1330		Manning Cup Rd 2
		1330-1600	Green Only	Women's and Men's Club Triples
		1300-1600	Green Only	Festival Bowls
Sun	28 Jan	0900-1600	Green Only	Women's 1&2 Year Singles
		1000-1230	Green Only	Men's Handicap Pairs Round 2
		1500-1700	Lounge	Kerry Clark Function
Tue	30 Jan	930		O 60s Sevens Rd 3

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