# Hot Line Number 35 - 15 February 2018

#### Women's National 7's Finals

Team selection for National Sevens Finals at the Bowls NZ Finals at Naenae 3 and 4 March 2018

	Division 1 Playing at Naenae	Division 2 Playing at Wainuiomata
Singles	Mandy Boyd	Beryl Murphy
Pairs Lead	Emily Miller	Brenda Turner
Pairs Skip	Angela Boyd	Carol Dawe
Fours Lead	Tessa Hocking	Pauline Huggins
Fours Second	Estelle Jarvis	Judy Davidson
Fours Third	Rachel Davies	Philippa Johnston
Fours Skip	Kirsten Rowe	Pam Clark
Manager – Jan Harman		

The Team is travelling up to Wellington on Jetstar leaving 4-50pm Friday 2 March 2018 and returning on Sunday 4 March on 6-10pm flight. Any Burnside support at the greens would be great.

### Trivia Night - 28 February 2018.

A fundraiser for the Women's Sevens teams at 7pm - HOLD THE DATE. More details in Hotline next week

## **Regional Finals Greymouth - March 2018**

Due to the amount of time off work and costs involved the women who qualified to play in the Regional Finals Singles, Triples and Fours at Greymouth will not be attending.

The Men's Triples of Richard Hocking, Barry Williams and Mike Small will be playing in the Regional Triples finals at Greymouth on Sunday 10 and Monday 11 March. We look forward to them winning at Greymouth and then they will then go to National Finals in Auckland 23 and 24 April 2018.

# **Ryman Healthcare Norwest-Sixes**

This popular two-day end of season event (14 – 15 April 2018) is now open for entries. Sheets have been placed in the respective matchrooms. If you have any direct enquiries then contact Kevin Harris at either <a href="mailto:kjharris@xtra.co.nz">kjharris@xtra.co.nz</a> or 021 1167567

























#### **Lost Sunglasses**

Kevin Maguire has lost his prescription Sunglasses. They were in a solid black glass case and have a head strap on them. The club has been searched to no avail. Have you seen these glasses in your travels, if so please contact Kevin on 021 02415829.

## World Golden Oldies Lawn Bowls Festival 23<sup>rd</sup> to 27<sup>th</sup> April

This event is now **FREE** to all bowlers affiliated to Bowls Canterbury. Those who have paid their entries will have them refunded. This has been made possible through the excellent support received from the large number of Canterbury volunteers making themselves available for the four weeks of the festival throughout the whole month of April.

The free entry is for the four days of bowls but does not include any functions, admission prices for these will be advised shortly. There are also a couple of major changes to the bowls week format. Most entries received have been mixed teams so, to ensure players meet as many different players as possible there will now be only two sections -

Any Combination 4s OR Any Combination Pairs. Teams can only enter one format.

Secondly, we have introduced a very exciting event for the afternoon of Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> (Anzac Day) All players registered for the four days of bowls will have free entry into a Corner to Corner competition where everyone will have the chance to win a \$10,000.00 cash prize (or a share of the \$10,000.00 if there is more than one winner). This will certainly create huge interest and will ensure a great social atmosphere throughout the afternoon Full details on how the Corner to Corner will operate can be found on the Lawn Bowls section of the site <a href="https://www.christchurchgoldenoldies.com">www.christchurchgoldenoldies.com</a>

#### **BBQ**

Did Santa deliver a new BBQ to your house at Christmas and your old unit is now taking up space in the garage. If this is the case and you would like to retake the space it is occupying then a donation of the said working unit to the club would be much appreciated.

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#### From the Editor's desk

One of the great features of Burnside is the way that members muck in where required and tasks get done seemingly without request and / or instruction – it happens. I call this "the Burnside Way".

One area that this is not always happening is the Saturday morning Duty Team/s. This maybe because of lack of knowledge of what is required or complete ignorance that this task even exists.

In a sentence or two – Each Tuesday when the selectors list their teams a Duty team/s is assigned for the Saturday morning tasks. These tasks include putting out the mats, jacks, jack indicators and chalk as well as marking the 2-metre mark. The ideal is that this be completed by 8.40am. The tasks are not onerous and we should remember the old adage – "Many hands make light work". It would be helpful if Duty Team/s Skips could remind the teams of their Saturday responsibilities.