Hot Line Number 125 - 23 January 2020

Match Committee

Round 3 and 4 of the Men's club triples are scheduled for play as a double round on Saturday 1st February. The reason for this is due to a double round of Watson shield on the 25th January. Not all teams are involved in the Watson shield so some teams can play on the afternoon of Saturday 25th if they so choose. Please put your games on the board.

Also, three teams will be impacted by finals weekend on the 1st and 2nd February. It involves 4 players, mainly skips. If the affected skips could please make use of Sunday 26th January and weeknights to get these games played where you can or to use substitutes, this would be much appreciated as the schedule for the Men's club triples is tight and we would like to avoid hold ups to the program. Thanks in advance for vour cooperation.

On Sunday 26th we have the semi-finals of the Mixed Pairs @10am. Final will be played at 1pm. Come down to support

Bar matters

Last Saturday we had an unannounced visit from a Liquor Licensing Inspector from the City Council who thankfully found our procedures and practices in order. Whilst we do not expect to receive another visit this year there is still the possibility of a visit from the Police and/or a Canterbury Health Inspector. We must, therefore, continue to be vigilant in complying with the requirements of our License and the Liquor Act. If any volunteer bar person is unsure of anything in regard to these requirements then please see Alan Perry.

Bar Duty

The roster for next week is as follows:

27 January 4.00 to 6.00 pm - Mike Small Monday 31 January, 4.00 to 6.00 pm - Brad Sinclair Friday 1 February, 4.00 to 6.00 pm - Kevin Rowe Saturday

Saturday Afternoon Bowls - 25 January 2020

The organised Roll Up is for anyone (women and men) who is not involved in other afternoon events but would like a game of social (but competitive) bowls. Format will depend on numbers and there will be prizes if numbers warrant them; dress is mufti.

Please enter on the entry sheets in either of the match rooms or on the Club's website (click on Tournaments on the top line menu, go to the Enter Club Competitions on-line box and follow the prompts making sure you have the correct date) **or** ring Ken Wilson-Pyne on 3582457. If you enter by 9-00 am on Saturday you will be guaranteed a game. Later entries than this will be accepted only if there are any vacancies. Apologies to those affected by the entry message mix up a fortnight ago. Starting time is 1-30 pm so please register your presence with the day's organiser by 1-20 pm on Saturday. Any gueries please contact Ken Wilson-Pyne at 358 2457.

Shirley Clarke

is sitting on 199 games as a Marker. Next game is the big 200, Way to Go Shirley......















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Inter Club

Inter club this week sees the two Watson Shield teams playing a double round (9am and 1.30pm). These are the **only** teams that will play a double round this week. This also means that the players involved in Watson Shield will not be available to play club triples on Saturday afternoon. Alternative arrangements will need to be made for any games involving them.

There are also two inter club games that will need to be arranged because they could not be played on the assigned date. Firstly, the Burnside 1 Watson Shield team, with their scheduled game against Dunsandel from last Saturday and Secondly, the Men's 8's, Burnside 2 game against New Brighton 1, which is scheduled for Saturday 8 February. New Brighton players are not available to play this date and have asked if we can suggest an alternative date for the game.

Bowls Etiquette

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Next Tuesday, 28 January at 6.30pm in the club lounge, some umpires, coaches and selectors, will be conducting an open forum for all members of our club who wish to attend. The subject for the evening will be 'Bowls Etiquette when Playing' and also 'Etiquette for Markers of Singles'. When we start playing bowls there are many things to remember and we often forget the etiquette of the game. We are all guilty at times and even experienced players get it wrong sometimes. Everyone is invited to attend the session. It is envisaged that the session will last about 2 hours

Bayleys Stewart Buttar Burnside Pairs

A BIG THANK YOU to the 60+ members who volunteered and pitched in to make the Pairs another successful event. Take a bow. Once again, we have shown the bowling fraternity the Burnside way. Hits on website over 3 days 35295 (33563 last year).



The 2020 Champions –Cory Wedlock and Aaron Wilson (Australia) (Photo courtesy of Arjan).

From the Editor's Desk

Do you read the Executive meeting minutes? A copy is available in each Match Room. An interesting fact from the last meeting

"....it cost \$174,000 to run the club last year – we collect approximately. \$60,000 in subscriptions, the rest of the money has to come from Club activities, hire of the club, fundraising events, sponsorship, volunteer efforts and from Trust grants."