

Hot Line Number 42 - 4 April 2018

Bowls Papanui Challenge

Saturday 7 April 2018

The good news is that all who have entered their names so far and those who do so by 2-00 pm Thursday will be guaranteed a game on Saturday afternoon either in the;

1. Friendly match at Burnside against Bowls Papanui for the Good Neighbours Cup. This fixture starts at 1-30 pm, whites are to be worn, and the games are mixed fours. 24 players will be involved in this match. Teams will be notified by email by Friday.

Or in a;

2. Club tournament. So far over 20 players will be playing in this event. The final decision as to its format will be made after the close of entries on Thursday at 2-00 pm

Depending on final numbers it could be pairs, triples, fours, fives or sixes or a combination!!!! Dress for this event is mufti and will be mixed and will also start at 1-30 pm. Prizes will be awarded so entry fee will be \$3.00 pp. Players in this event will also be notified by email on Friday.

Afternoon tea in the lounge for all players will follow both events thanks to Jan Harmon and her helpers.

Any queries to Ken Wilson-Pyne at 3582 457 or at kmwp@xtra.co.nz

Nor – West Sixes

Saturday 14 April and Sunday 15 April.

This iconic Burnside two-day tournament is sponsored by Ryman Healthcare and for the first time in the last few years has a full field of 24 teams (x 6 players) thanks to the efforts of the convenor – Kevin Harris. The draw is on the Burnside website.

Presidents Trophy Charity Day

Saturday 21 April. President's Trophy and Charity Day

The charity chosen for 2018 is Prostrate Cancer Research. All money raised today goes to the chosen charity.

12-30 pm Charity Corner to Corner – throw your money (\$1 or \$2) in the bucket and have a go.

1-00 pm President's Trophy

Entry fee is \$5.00, mixed, drawn teams and to finish the season in style – whites. After all they maybe in the wardrobe for some time after today!

4-00 pm Presentation of 2017-18 Trophies in lounge. Raffles (so everyone gets a chance to take something home) and refreshments.

Match Committee

Congratulations to all the winners of the Club Championship Triples and Fours who this weekend will play their respective C of C events. The triples event is played on Saturday 7 April with our ladies' team playing at Canterbury 2017 and Kevin Gore's men's winners playing at Christchurch. On Sunday 8 April our winning fours teams will take on all comers with our ladies' team playing at Woolston Park and Murray Croy's Four playing at Halswell. All games start at 9am.



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Trophies

Please return your last season trophies this week so they can be engraved for presentation. Cleaned and polished would be most helpful.

Executive

Nominations are required for Executive and Non-Executive office for the 2018-2019 Season. Nomination forms are available from the club foyer, and all the various roles are listed in the front of our Programme Book.

Commonwealth Games 2018

What an Opening. Somewhat slow to start but colourful and showing the “out there aussie way”. Great to see Bowls at the forefront with Karen Murphy, a great friend of Burnside, taking the Oath on behalf of all the Athletes.

Bowls competition commences today with Women’s Singles, Fours and Men’s Pairs and Triples. Schedule and results can be found at:

<https://results.gc2018.com/en/lawn-bowls/daily-schedule.htm>

Sections can be found at: https://www.gc2018.com/sites/default/files/2018-03/GC2018_Lawn_Bowls_Draw.pdf

TVNZ Bowls coverage looks sparse with delayed coverage later in the day the common thread. Television schedule can be found here: <https://www.tvnz.co.nz/shows/commonwealth-games/schedule>

From the Editor’s Desk

Go Mandy. Go Tayla, Go Bruce – GO KIWIS

