

# Hot Line Number 112 - 18 October 2019

## Interclub

We are nearing the start date for all inter club events. The first teams to roll the jack/kitty will be the over 60's double pairs which starts next Monday 21 October. The draw has not been uploaded yet, but if you have entered this competition, then please keep an eye on the Bowls Canterbury website or the match room boards for an update.

With competitions on every day except Sunday, there are well over 100 Burnside members involved with inter club. A reminder about unavailability, please enter your name, competition and date that you cannot play on the sheet in the men's match room at least 7 days before the play date of the event. If you are within this time then please contact Mike direct on 027 6712213 asap.

With teams having been entered to the Centre on the basis of names received by 26 September, these players will be given priority with other players initially being reserves. The selectors will give the reserves an opportunity to play wherever possible in the weeks leading up to Christmas. New competitions will be available in the New Year and further 'availability sheets' will be displayed later next month in the match rooms.

If anyone has a question regarding inter club, then please contact Mike on 027 6712213, or ask someone at the Club. Have fun everyone.

Mike Small  
Convenor of Selectors.

## Bar Duty

Monday 21 October	4.00 to 6.00 pm -	Bill Fowlie
Friday 25 October	4.00 to 6.00 pm -	Paul Beecroft
Saturday 26 October	4.00 to 6.00 pm -	Geoff Clark

## Match Committee

Important dates to remember –

Saturday 20 October:

Men's Fours Round 1 - 1.30pm. Round 2 is next Saturday. If you cannot play next Saturday then consider playing this round on this Saturday morning prior to round 1. If you do schedule this earlier game then be sure you put your name on the board so green/s can be prepared.

Closing date for: Men's Championship Singles, Pairs and Colts Singles

Closing date for: Women's Championship Singles, Pairs, Triples, Fours and Under 5's Singles  
Closing date for: Championship Mixed Pairs

## Bowls3Fives

The second season of Bowls3Fives commences on Tuesday 22 October. Burnside is represented by Bruce Wakefield in the Parajacks team. Tune into SKY television Channel 8 at 7.10pm to watch the action.



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## Umpire's Corner

### Question Corner (iv)

The lead in team A delivers the jack which comes to rest in the front ditch. The lead in team B then delivers the jack which comes to rest less than the minimum distance from the mat line. What happens next?

### Answer

The jack should be centred with the nearest point of the jack to the mat line 2 metres from the front ditch (on the spot). The mat should be placed by the first player where he/she wants in line with Law 6.1.1 and play first. Law 10.3

N.B. It's worth a look at Appendix B.3 page 92 which shows the correct position for a 'spotted' jack. I often see it placed exactly on the cross – which is wrong.

### Question Corner (v)

You are told that the pace of the green at 10am was 10 seconds and that at 3pm it was 14 seconds. Was the green faster or slower at 3pm?

## Bits & Bobs

Saturday Afternoon Bowls - Organised Roll Up - Saturday 19 October at 1-30 pm

The format of this event will depend on numbers. Dress code is mufti, the event is mixed and the entry sheets and the web site are already gathering names. Entry fee is \$3 per person for prizes. If you enter on the sheets in the match rooms or via the web site by Friday 5.00 pm you will be guaranteed a game. Late entries are possible but only if there are gaps. If numbers warrant (and at present it looks likely) Festival Bowls is a strong possibility but whatever this should be an enjoyable and competitive afternoon for everyone. This will be an excellent warm up for those wishing to play inter club next week but please do not enter if you are in the Men's Fours Championship also being played this Saturday afternoon. Please register at the office window by 1-15 pm. Any queries contact Ken Wilson-Pyne 3582 457.

## From the Editor's desk

Quote of the week in recognition of the start of competition play –

“The healthiest competition occurs when average people win by putting in above average effort.”  
Colin Luther Powell (An American politician and retired four-star general in the United States Army.)