

# Hot Line Number 116-14 November 2019

## Selectors Report:

Firstly, there is no inter club this week, so there is a great opportunity to play other club competitions. Secondly, today a list has been placed in the match room for the Men's and Under 5's inter-club competitions for post-Christmas play. These competitions are open to all players and especially any new players who would like to play mid-week and / or on Saturday. The selectors must have club entries in by 6 December and therefore you will have **until Saturday 30 November** to place your name on the list. Women's entries to be listed on notice board in their match room.

On Saturdays' there are Men's and Under 5's events in the morning and Manning Cup (a great event for brand new players) and women in the afternoon. Monday (am) has Over 60's 7's, Tuesday (6pm), Men's Triples, Wednesday (am), Women's Triples, Wednesday (6pm), Under 5's and Open Bowls3Five. The under 5's team is any combination of 3 players, but the open teams comprise 3 x triples teams which must be mixed (at least 1 man and/or 1 women). That is 9 players for one team in the open event. This is similar to what you have seen on TV recently. Finally, the Under 5's have a Triples competition on Thursday evening. Get your name down soon.

## Bar Till Operation

We appreciate the members who assist behind the Bar and Colin James who "balances the till" and does the banking. Since the start of the new season on May 1<sup>st</sup>, there have been numerous weeks where significant losses have been recorded in the Till operation.

We believe that a number of these "losses" are possibly due to a sale being rung up and then needing to be corrected or just left but the customer only charged for the correct amount, which results in an "**OVER RING**" being recorded on the till tape of transactions. As you can imagine this makes it very difficult to establish what is in fact a true loss against a paper loss.

If you are operating the till and do have an over ring, please place a note in the till where the EFTPOS dockets are placed detailing the date and amount of the over ring. This can then be deducted from the Total Sales for the period and a more accurate till operation recorded.

Your assistance with the above would be greatly appreciated, and hopefully give us a more accurate picture of the Bar Trading account.

## Lounge Booking

The bar & lounge will not be available until 4-30pm on Monday 18 November due to a corporate booking.

## House Sales

Santa John is ready to open his wallet again and pay \$1000 to the Club when he sells a house that is owned by a club member or that of family or friends who you have put John in touch with. Give John Phillips a ring now.



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## Lost property

A member has lost somewhere at the club a pair of Black Bolle Frameless Sunglasses. Give Bill a ring if you know of their whereabouts.

## Umpire's Corner

### Question Corner (vii)

A player delivers a bowl belonging to a member of the opposing team. Another player immediately calls for the return of the bowl. What should happen?

### Answer

Wait until the wrong bowl has come to rest, then replace it with the player's own bowl. Law 29.2.1 (This may be a job for the umpire)

### Question corner (viii)

A bowl which is in a measure for shot is leaning against a bowl which is preventing a measurement being taken. What should happen?

## Saturday Afternoon Bowls

Festival Bowls 16 November starting at 1-30 pm Mixed, mufti, entry fee \$3 pp for prizes, format depends on numbers.

There are no interclub games programmed this Saturday. The third round of the Women's Club Championship Fours is programmed for the morning and no doubt some Men's Championship games may be played. Entries for Festival Bowls are growing so we should have a good field in the afternoon.

We do need to know the numbers by Friday 5-00 pm so please enter on the website or on the match room lists to be guaranteed a game. Register and pick up your card by 1-15 pm at the office window on Saturday. Late entries accepted only if there are vacancies.

Queries to Ken Wilson-Pyne 3582457

## Match Committee

Men's club champs' draws are now up on the website and will be updated weekly. This Friday is scheduled for Men's club pairs and singles for those that still have games due. **Please write your game on the board so the Greenkeeper knows how many Greens / Rinks are needed.**

**DO NOT LEAVE IT FOR GLEN TO GUESS. HE IS NOT A MIND-READER (Ed)**

## Bowls Canterbury News

### Catchup Games

A reminder that teams must notify Katie of the date they plan to play the catch-up game from Round 1 of the Under 5's Pairs and Mixed Tens that was rained off on October 24<sup>th</sup>. If you wish to use the Centre green to play these games please the Centre know. Please note, these games must be played before the last round of play unless otherwise organised with Katie at the Centre. These dates are as follows: Under 5's Pairs by December 5<sup>th</sup> and Mixed Tens by December 12<sup>th</sup>. Some of you have already played these games which is great, thank you for organising these so promptly.

### Green Closures Reminder

A reminder of the green closure process below. In recent times we had greens closed that Katie was not notified of, which makes it difficult for players/teams to know if games are on or not. Please remind relevant club personnel of this process.

If the weather is inclement then the Club's Greenkeeper will decide if the green is playable or not. The host club responsible for the cancellation of play must inform Katie that their club's green is closed by calling Katie on her cell phone (027 530 2233) as soon as possible (preferably by 7.30am). Please do not call the Centre as she is not in the office until 9.00am

The host club responsible for the cancellation of play must also inform the opposition to stop them from making unnecessary journeys, if the oppositions green is open then the game is to be played there. Katie will update the information line at 7.30am the day of the competition – please advise members they either call the information line (03 351 2225) or the club they are playing at if they are unsure if the green is open.

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