

Hot Line Number 150 - 9 July 2020

150th edition of the Hot Line



The original Hot Lines (#1 - #8) were edited by Mort Young with the editions from # 9 edited by Bill Fowlie. Mort edited various news bulletins before the new look Hot Lines were introduced in July 2017. I, like Mort have enjoyed being involved in producing the weekly read and will continue to do so as long as there is a need. Contributions and suggestions for content are warmly welcomed. Let's look forward to the next 150 editions.

Umpire's corner

Question (xxiii)

While carrying out a measure, the marker accidentally knocks over a bowl which is lying at an angle when lining up the pointer of the tape measure with the nearest point of the bowl. What should happen?

Answer

The marker should put the bowl back to a position agreed by the opponents. If they cannot agree, the marker should put the bowl back to its former position. (Law 37.4.2)

This raises an interesting point. In UK measuring is usually done by the marker or umpire. In the southern hemisphere it is usually one of the players who measures. A bowl accidentally displaced would be replaced by his opponent. (Law 37.4.1) All the more reason to carry and use wedges. (Available at Bowls Canterbury)

If a bowl is displaced by an umpire the umpire replaces it – no argument! (Law 37.4.3)

All the above apply equally to accidental movement of a jack (Law 38.4)

Question (xxiv)

During the course of an end the mat is found to be out of line with the centre line of the rink. What should happen?



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Bar Duty

The roster for the week is as follows.

Monday 13 July,	4.00 to 6.00 pm -	Ken Wilson-Pyne (also Shift Manager for the week)
Friday 17 July,	4.00 to 6.30 pm -	Matt Small
Saturday 18 July,	4.00 to 6.30 pm	Kevin Maguire

Indoor Bowls

The dining hall will be in use for an external function from 2:00 pm on Friday 10th July, so our regular indoor bowls matches will not take place on that day. However, indoor bowlers can have a casual roll-up until 2:00 pm, if you wish.

Indoor Bowls – New bowlers are welcome

If you have friends or family who wish to try Indoor Bowls, bring them along at 12.50pm on Monday, Wednesday and/or Friday afternoons.

If they are not already Burnside members, they will be asked to pay \$3 each day towards heating and consumables from 6 July.

Elections Reminder

We have hired the Dining Room to Elections NZ for a polling booth for the Ilam electorate from Monday 7 September to Friday 18 September. If you would like to apply for a job during that period, click on the link <https://elections.nz/jobs/> and <https://work.elections.nz/application>

Put Burnside Bowling Club in the General Comments and you can put Alan Bryce as a reference

Sponsors of the Week



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Need a caterer then contact Nikki or Sheena

From the Editor's desk

Somewhat appropriate in this time of Covid-19 "escapes" -

"If you truly want to be respected by people you love, you must prove to them that you can survive without them." (albeit only 2 weeks).

Author - Michael Bassey Johnson, (Nigerian Playwright and Poet)

N.B - Editor added the additional comment.