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SUNDAY TOURNAMENT 29 OCTOBER - CANCELLED

On The Greens

Bottom Green (B Green) is now open for practice, scrims must be used and mats on the 2 metre. Bowl onto the scrim.

Top Green (A Green) is only open for overflow from the Bottom Green (B Green) for club events. No practice on A Green.

Always check the "Greens Open/Closed Board" to confirm which greens are available and if any conditions of use apply.

Wednesday 25 October – 10am Club Day (AC, Single Entry)

Friday 27 October - 1pm 2-4-2 Pairs (OACP 2-4-2)

Sunday 29 October – 9am Sunday Tournament (OACT) - cancelled

Monday 30 October – 6pm "YOU Travel Birkenhead" Social Bowls (1)

Wednesday 1 November – 10am Club Day (AC, Single Entry)

Friday 3 November - 1pm 2-4-2 Pairs (OACP 2-4-2)

Monday 6 November – 6pm "YOU Travel Birkenhead" Social Bowls (2)

Inside This Weekend

Friday 27 October – Club Night

Raffles, Happy Hour, Membership Draw, Joker 500

Racing – Oamaru (Thoroughbreds), Alexandra Park (Harness), Addington & Wanganui (Dogs) and racing from across Australia including Moonee Valley – Manikato Stakes

Hypnotist Show - 7pm show starts, ticket required, available from Sabrina or Emmie

Saturday 28 October

Racing – Eilerslie, Thentham & Riccarton (Thoroughbreds) and racing from across Australia including Moonee Valley – Cox Plate

Mitre 10 Cup* – 7.35pm Canterbury v Tasman (Premiership Final)

Rugby League World Cup* - 6pm PNG v Wales

- 8.10pm New Zealand v Samoa

Sunday 29 October

Racing – Invercargill, Kiakoura (Harness), Manukau (Dogs) & racing from across Australia

Rugby League World Cup* - 5pm Ireland v Italy

- 6pm France v Lebanon

* viewing selection is determined by the members.

One Day Out of Three

The labour weekend weather halted both the Men's & Women's Championship Singles partway through. Saturday saw a full day of play for both championships. The women with a small but quality field, playing a two life system, got as far as a potential final. They say cream rises to the top and in the case of North Harbours two most decorated women players that was certainly the case with both Ruth Lynch with two lives and Carole Fredrick with one life playing each other in a potential final on the Sunday. But the weather put a halt to this, a new date to be advised.

The Men's Championship Singles saw twenty take to the greens Saturday and after four games the top eight were found with Lionel drew taking the top spot with 4 wins and +45 differential. Other four winners were John Hindmarch, Shane Gibson and Randall Watkins. Three winners Jimmy Heath, Jerome Rusk and Mark Rumble. Third year bowler Gary Wallace filled out the eighth position with two wins and +20 differential. Past winners Jack Huriwai, Merv Garred, Curtis Ennor and Keith Burgess all missed the cut. The "get out of jail" for the day must go to Randall Watkins playing John Janssen with Janssen up 20-10 and looking good for the win, until Watkins nailed it with a four, a four and a three to take the game 20-21. Monday's post section knockout was postponed thanks again to the weather gods. The continuation will be on a date to be advised.

A special thanks to all those that came along and marked.

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Tuesday 7 November
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Melbourne Cup Day - Tuesday 7th November

Join us for the race that stops two Nations. Come and make a day of it in the exclusive Winning Post Lounge with all the trimmings or enjoy the casual atmosphere of the Stuie's Punters Bar with a full bar operating. Whichever way you go, be at Birkenhead Bowling Club Tuesday 7th November for the 157th running of the Melbourne Cup. TAB facilities available, four large screen televisions tuned to the racing action, Full Bar, Open from 11am.

Continuous Ham Raffles

Christmas is fast approaching and again the continuous ham raffles are now on sale at the bar. Two dollars per, number per raffle. Each raffle is drawn the Friday after it is sold out. Drawn during the club membership draw time slot. Winning raffles may be collected after 5pm Thursday 14 December from Birkenhead Bowling Club. Raffles not collected on the 14 December will be named and placed in the chiller for collection, the club and persons running the raffle are not responsible for any raffles left in the chiller. The list of winners will be published each week in the Bee Express.

Social Bowls - Starts Monday

Monday evening social bowls commences on the 30th October. This is a chance for club members to get people involved. You may well have family, friends, or know of business groups who would enjoy participating. We need teams of 3, 1 bowler can play per team if necessary, but most teams are non-bowlers or new bowlers. It is a good way to get people to try the game in a semi-competitive environment.

Some team are sometimes short of a player so again, if club members can come down on a Monday evening around 5.30pm to be available to make up a triple team if required, that would be a help, particularly in the first couple of weeks when we are getting teams established.

Any help would be appreciated in either getting people involved or helping out. Let Evan Thomas (0210575491) know if you are aware of people who would like to play, or if you can be at the club to help out on Monday 30th October

Club Membership Draw & Joker 500 Draw

Club Membership and Joker 500 draws drawn Wednesdays and Fridays. Club Membership drawn Wednesdays between 5pm - 6pm and Fridays between 5.30 - 6.30pm. Members must be present at the draw to claim the prize. Each Wednesday and Friday the draw is not struck it jackpots.

Joker 500, numbers on sale from 4.30pm - 6pm every Wednesday and Friday. Purchase a number or numbers, a winning number is drawn at just after 6pm. The purchaser of that winning number selects a card from the Joker cabinet and receive the corresponding prize with the top prize being \$500. Every card has a cash prize behind it.



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Friday 27 October
Birkenhead Bowling Club
Show starts at 7pm
Tickets \$10 available from



Men's Centre Pairs & Women's Centre Pairs Entries closes Sunday 29th October

Christmas, Book Today

Looking for somewhere to hold your Christmas function? Everywhere to expensive? Why not try the club? Set in a central location that Birkenhead is, with great facilities and access to two bowling greens where you can 'have a roll up'. The bowling club will give you a unique not to be forgotten Christmas function. The Club is a great venue for your Christmas Function. The clubrooms offer good kitchen and bar facilities and offer flexible catering options. The club can cater for a large number of guests and are generally cheaper to hire and have better bar prices than other function venues. If you're interested, let us know what you had in mind, our Function Co-ordinator will assist you from start to finish. It is never too early to book your Christmas bowls function, phone the club's Function Co-ordinator Emmie (0275 297 297) or email privatefunction@bowlsbirkenhead.co.nz

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75th Jubilee – Be the First

Register your interest today to be the first to be offered entry into the 75th Jubilee tournaments and events.

“Registration of Interest” forms available from the Club, the Club’s website or contact the Club Secretary email: secretary@bowlsbirkenhead.co.nz or phone/text 027 6661618

There is something for everyone during the five days of celebration

Thursday 29 March

Jubilee \$1,000 2-4-2 Pairs (Open Any Combination Pairs - mufti - half day)

Jubilee 70s vr 80s

Jubilee Meet & Greet

Jubilee Quiz Night

Friday 30 March

Jubilee \$5,000 Classic (Open Any Combination Fours - playing fours & pairs) - day 1 of 2

Club Night - Raffles, Membership Draw, Joker 500

Live Music – The Love Jones - *ticketed event*

Saturday 31 March

Jubilee \$5,000 Classic (OACF) - day 2 of 2

Jubilee Classic Prize Giving

Evening - A chance to catch your breath, chill out, socialise in the club, Live sport on the screens (7.30pm Roosters v Warriors).

Sunday 1 April

Jubilee \$1,000 Triples (Open Any Combination Triples)

75th Jubilee Gala Dinner & Mermaids Dance Band - *ticketed event*

Monday 2 April

Jubilee \$600 Social Bowls Afternoon

End of Celebrations BBQ

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BNH Centre Event Closing Dates
All Centre event closing dates stated below are with the Club Secretary.
Men's & Women's Centre Pairs closes Sunday 29th October 2017
Men's Dick Bree Memorial Triples & Women's Centre Singles closes Sunday 12th November 2017
Men's Centre Singles & Women's Centre Triples closes Sunday 24 December 2017
Men's & Women's 1-5 Year Centre Singles closes Sunday 11th February 2018
Men's & Women's 1-5 Year Centre Triples closes Sunday 4th March 2018
Men's & Women's 1-5 Year Centre Pairs closes Sunday 6th May 2018

The Trusts New Zealand Open
The Trusts New Zealand Open will be next played from the 10 - 18 February 2018. All entries must be submitted through the online system.
Entries close on Wednesday 20th December 2017 at 5pm.



75th JUBILEE - EASTER 2018
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Spotlight on Club Partners
This week we put the spotlight on Club Partner Galbraith Plumbing & Drainage Ltd, and since coming on board the club has been grateful for their prompt efficient service.
From Galbraith Plumbing and Drainage website

Galbraith Plumbing and Drainage has been operating on the North Shore of Auckland for over 100 years, we are based in Barrys Point Road, Takapuna. Kelvin Houten is the Manager and owner of Galbraith Plumbing and Drainage; Kelvin originally completed his apprenticeship under Galbraith Plumbing Limited upon leaving school. Kelvin is a Registered and Craftsman Plumber and has been plumbing for over 30 years. Kelvin is also IQP Backflow Registered.



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