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The Birkenhead Bowling Club

Wednesday, 25 November 2020



## **Bowls North Harbour Club of the Year**

#### **On the Greens**

Note: The status of each green may change without notice, always check the greens open/closed board for current status. Corporates: During November and December the Club hosts a large number of Corporates that use our greens, these are not list below Wednesday 25 November - 10am Club Day (AC Single Entry) Friday 27 November – 1pm 2-4-2 AC Pairs – mufti Saturday 28 November – BNH Men's Fours & Women's Fours – 1 green Sunday 29 November – BNH Men's Fours & Women's Fours – 2 greens - Cancelled Monday 30 November – 6pm "YOU Travel Birkenhead" Social Bowls3Five (5) Wednesday 1 December - 10am Club Day (AC Single Entry) Sunday 6 December – 6pm "YOU Travel Birkenhead" Social Bowls3Five (6) Tuesday 8 December – 6pm "YOU Travel Birkenhead" Social Bowls3Five (6) Tuesday 8 December – 5.30pm Christmas Shield – postponed to Tuesday 12 January Wednesday 9 December - 10am Club Day (AC Single Entry) Friday 11 December – 1pm 2-4-2 AC Pairs – mufti



## **Inside this Weekend**

Friday 27 November - Club Night - \$5 Friday (*Ts & Cs apply*) Raffles, Members Draw, Joker 500 Racing – Cromwell (Thoroughbreds), Alexandra Park & Addington (Harness), Addington & Wanganui (Dogs) and from across Australia Rugby Mitre 10 Cup Championship Final\* – 7.05pm Hawke's Bay v Northland Cricket T20\*: - 7pm New Zealand v West Indies Saturday 28 November Racing – Ellerslie & Wanganui (Thoroughbreds), Geraldine (Harness) and from across Australia Rugby Mitre 10 Cup Premiership Final\* – 6.35pm Auckland v Tasman Sunday 29 November Racing – Cromwell (Thoroughbreds), Addington (Harness), Manukau (Dogs) and from across Australia \* viewing selection is determined by the members.

# Standard tap beer pints, bottle beer and a glass wine all discounted to \$5 for the day!

\* Terms & Conditions apply, excludes craft beer, spirits, RTDs, champagne

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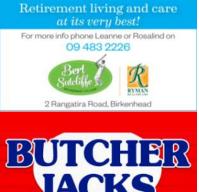
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15 - 19 February 2021 NORTH HARBOUR Z MASTERS Headquarters - Birkenhead **Enter Now! Entries close 16 December** 

## Two Out of Seven

Bowls3Five National Interclub got under way last Saturday in the Bowls North Harbour Centre. Birkenhead entered seven teams all named after Club partners. Sunday and post section it was left to John Hindmarch's "Emmie Swart Limited" and Lionel Drew's "Carpet Mill" teams waving the Birkenhead flag. Hindmarch's trio won the first round (last sixteen) and progressed to the second round were they bowed out. Drew's trio lost their first round match and dropped into the plate section were they lost again and exited the event. The event was won by one of the nineteen Takapuna teams, Simon Poppleton, Lisa Parlane and Wendy Jensen beating Northcote's Shaun Bayne, Anne Osborne and Mike Haggart.

## To Go Around

For the first time is season rain wasn't forecast for Monday, but for Tuesday, as "YOU Travel Birkenhead Social Bowls3Five" (4) got underway with twenty six teams last Monday. As the weather played its part and the days are longer the three games of five ends with no time limit were easily accommodated.

As having fun and socialising are just as important as winning at "YOU Travel Birkenhead Social Bowls3Five" the rules are a little different. One such rule is that playing winners that claim a prize the previous week can't claim a prize the following week. Last Monday was such an occasion with two teams, "The Drop Kicks" and "Bowling Stones" being in the winner's circle the previous Monday. As a result Monday saw the prizes stretch out to fifth spot surprising teams that thought their only hope of a prize was via the lucky draws. First place went to "1/4 Pounders" Trevor, Taffy and Mike Pugh (s), a fitting birthday present for young Mike Pugh who turned sixty on the day and was serenaded by the dulcet tones of the one and only Jimmy Larsen.

#### The evening's honours went to:

First: 1/4 Pounders - 3 Wins, 13 ends, 30 points for Second: Bowling Stones\* - 3 wins, 9 ends, 16 points for Third: The Drop Kicks\* - 3 Wins, 8 ends, 19 points for Fourth: JSD - 2 Wins, 9 ends, 18 points for Fifth: Bowled and Underlined - 2 Wins, 9 ends, 16 points for Consolation (on the last game): Green Dog - Win, 5 ends, 5 points for \* denotes teams that picked up a playing prize the previous week.

## BOWLS BIRKENHEAD **KIDS CHRISTMAS PAR** SATURDAY 5 DECEMBER MIDDAY START Proudly sponsored by: Tim Roskruge BARFOOT 0274 923 125 AH 09 418 3846 t.roskruge@barfoot.co.nz Office 09 480 9029 barfoot.co.nz THOMPSON & John Hindmarch

The Birkenhead Bowling Club



#### Damn Nematodes

After last week reporting an A minus grading of the Club's greens it is vastly different picture this week for our two greens. As with this time over the past three years the nematodes have again attacked the top green (Maniototo). What was looking fantastic is now a shadow of the former green. While the bottom green (Starweed) has its own problem with Sclerotina currently present making the surface bumpy in places.

As a result Sections 1-4 Centre Fours Saturday, Centre Fours Post Section Sunday and The Battle of the Bridge – Men's Section (6 December) have all been pulled from Birkenhead and moved to other clubs. Possibly a blessing in disguise as it gives Brendon time to continue to spray to knockback the nematodes and give the green time to recover for a busy 2021 of our own marque tournaments.

In good news – The Kids Christmas Party, Midday Saturday 5 December, can't be pulled from us and summer is coming!

### **Continuous Ham and Salmon Raffles**

Continuous Christmas ham raffles and Salmon raffles are now on sale at the bar and will continue to be until Wednesday 16 December. Both raffles are 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 Wednesday 16 December from Birkenhead Bowling Club.

Results to date:

#### Ham Raffles:

Raffle 1 - #36 Warren Lush Raffle 3 - #33 Logan Smith Raffle 5 - #19 Shona Chambers Raffle 7 - #17 Terry Moverley Raffle 9 - #7 AmyKim Weston Raffle 11 - # 34 Raymond Munce Raffle 13 - #42 Michelle Salmon Raffles: Raffle 2 - #21 Emmie Swart Raffle 4 - #38 Mick Moodie Raffle 6 - #10 Vaughan Henderson Raffle 8 - #21 Emmie Swart Raffle 10 - # 40 Evan Thomas Raffle 12 – *Still to be drawn* 

Raffle S1 - #15 Terry Moverley & #41 Graeme Norton

## **Kids Christmas Party - Midday**

Pencil this one in for the little ones, Saturday 5 December the club is taken over by the kids. The Kids Christmas Party (12 years of age and under) is again kindly supported by Tim Roskruge (Barfoot Thompson agent) and John Hindmarch. Starting at the new earlier time of midday with entertainment and afternoon tea for the kids, followed by Santa and his sack. Bring a present to the value of \$15 with your child's name and age on it for Santa's sack. To assist with catering, member's name and numbers of children attending on the white board in the club please. This is for all Club Member's children and grandchildren.



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# JOKER 500 WEDNESDAY & FRIDAY \$500 UP FOR GRABS EACH DRAW

### **Battle of the Bridge Selections**

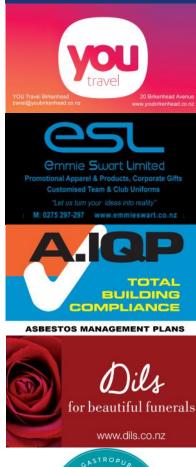
The Bowls North Harbour teams have been announced to play the 'Battle of the Bridge' event against Auckland on Sunday 6th December 2020. The 1-5s are at at Blockhouse Bay while the Open teams are this side of the bridge.

Congratulations to the Birkenhead players that have made their respective teams. Open Men: Randall Watkins, Daymon Pierson, Peter Nathan, Jack Huriwai, Jim Heath Open Women: Ruth Lynch, Millie Nathan 1-5 Men: Stacy Munro, Adam Richardson 1-5 Women: Judi Farkash **BNH Open Men:** Fours - Maroon Team 1 - Randall Watkins (s), B.Malcolm, Daymon Pierson, S.Cox Maroon Team 2 – G. Skellern (s), B.O'Riley, Peter Nathan, B.Robertson Black Team 1 – S.Poppleton (s), J.Brosnan, J.Belcher, B.Wilson Black Team 2 - Jack Huriwai (s), G.Taylor, W.Howden, Jim Heath Pairs -Maroon Team 1 - Randall Watkins (s), Daymon Pierson Marron Team 2 – B.Malcolm (s), S.Cox Maroon Team 3 – G.Skellern (s), Peter Nathan Maroon Team 4 – B.O'Riley (s), B.Robertson Black Team 1 – S.Poppleton (s), B.Wilson Black Team 2 – J.Brosnan (s), J.Belcher Black Team 3 – Jack Huriwai (s), Jim Heath Black Team 4 – W.Howden (s), G.Taylor **BNH Open Women:** Fours - Premier One - Ruth Lynch, D.Presland, E.McClintock, A.Dorreen Premier One - L.Parlane, S.Smith, W.Jensen, L.Mills Premier Two - S.Wellington, R.Walker, Millie Nathan, J.Chen Premier Two - A.Ineson, C.Dalzell, T.Hardy, T.Rogers Premier One - L.Parlane, W.Jensen Pairs -Premier One - D.Presland, L.Mills Premier One - S.Smith, A.Dorreen Premier One - Ruth Lynch, E.McClintock Premier Two - A.Ineson, J.Chen Premier Two - S.Wellington, T.Hardy Premier Two - C.Dalzell, T.Rogers Premier Two - R.Walker, Millie Nathan BNH 1-5 Men: Fours - Red Team – M.Higginson (s), Z.Ross, L.Kean & A.Langley Blue Team - Stacy Munro (s), K.Benson, C.Searle, Adam Richardson Pairs – M.Higginson (s) & L.Kean, Stacy Munro (s), Adam Richardson, Z.Ross (s), A.Langley, K.Benson (s), C.Searle BNH 1-5 Women: Fours - Red Team – G.Horne (s), J.Watkinson, H.Shahwan, K.Stevens Blue Team - Judi Farkash (s), J.Calcott, S.Renes, M.Macdonald Pairs – G.Horne (s), H.Shawhan J.Watkinson (s), K.Stevens Judi Farkash (s), J.Calcott, S.Renes (s), M.Macdonald TAB at Birkenhead Bowling Club. ΤΑΒ

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Congratulations Ann Lepper







## MEMBERS DRAW

Wednesday between 5-6pm & Friday between 5-7pm

#### **Club for Hire**

The Club is for hire by members as well as outside individuals and organisations not only during the summer but also over winter. Both lounge areas are north facing and offer a warm well-lit venue during the day. The facilities are available for hire for corporate functions, birthdays, wedding anniversaries and family reunions to name a few. We can assist you to run your own outdoor or indoor Bowls Tournament.

There are two bar areas. The main bar and large lounge located upstairs can comfortably seat 120 people buffet style or 220 for a cocktail function. The downstairs bar area is ideal for smaller functions and is right beside the bowling area, it can comfortably seat 45 people buffet style or 60 for a cocktail function. Relax on the deck off the main bar upstairs which overlooks the main green. Full catering options are available. A commercial grade kitchen and cooking facilities are also available.

All functions, including catering options, are to be booked with the club's Function Coordinator Emmie (0275 297 297)

#### **Each Month**

Quiz Night in partnership with Barfoot & Thompson Birkenhead, Tim Ruskruge, and Bill Hansen:- 7pm the second Thursday in the month. Housie! with Scratchy: - 7pm the third Thursday in the month.

#### **From the Centre**

The information below is direct from the Centre (Received 23/11/20 - email)

#### 1. Entries to Centre Events

You will all be aware, both clubs and club members, that entry to events run by Bowls North Harbour now have to be made on line through the website. This change was made at the beginning of this season and has generally been well accepted. One of the issues around this new process places an awareness on the entries being made no later than the published closing date as from that date the event is deleted from the entry window on the website. Recently we have had examples where clubs and members have missed the closing date of entries by not following the correct procedure for lodging entries and this has been disappointing to both the members and BNH. Please ensure all your entries are lodged online by the due date and do not use the entry form which is printed in the handbook for this season. This form is for your internal reference only.

#### 2. Centre Events.

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Men's and Women's Fours – played on Sat 28<sup>th</sup> and Sun 29<sup>th</sup> November Please note the Headquarters has been moved from Birkenhead to Orewa, so post section on Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> Nov will be at Orewa. Sections 1-4 for the men on Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> Nov have also been moved from Birkenhead to Helensville

#### 3. Club Centre Events.

There are no more club centre events until the Cadness Cup in March 2021

4. Masters Entries – played over 5 days 15 – 19 February.

Closing date is 16<sup>th</sup> December

Entries can be put in two ways:

- a. Register online (preferred method)
  - Either use the url https://www.bowlsnorthharbour.com/masters/ or
- navigate to Masters Online Entry on the BNH website
- b. Complete and send in a completed entry form with your payment

We are looking for as many entries as possible so we can run all the disciplines. Especially for the 75+ Disciplines

## The Good Home Birkenhead \$6,500 Women's Pairs Saturday 13 & Sunday 14 February





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New Years Day \$1,000 Pairs Afternoon Any Combination – Mufti

Friday 1 January 2021 12.30pm Start \$400 First Prize \$20 Entry Per Team First 32 Paid Entries Accepted

Birkenhead Bowling Club, 93 Mokoia Road, Birkenhead





## **Spotlight on Club Partners**

This week it's our friend Graeme Rutherford's Wheels On Wairau. Wheels On Wairau have in past years sponsored a Sunday Tournament. A couple of years back they increased their Club Partnership arrangement and now are Club Partner for the annual two day Seafood Tournament. Many club members have purchased cars and regularly use the vehicle service centre at Wheels On Wairau and the reports back are all good. Thanks Wheels On Wairau for your continued support.

From Wheels On Wairau website

#### Who we are

Wheels On Wairau is a used vehicle sales business in the heart of Wairau valley, Glen-

field, established in late 1997. We specialise in late model, low mileage Japanese imported vehicles which have been AA appraised with all the km's AA certified. However we can source most types of vehicles as we hand pick all our stock direct from Japan which we visit monthly. Our philosophy is quite simple, high turnover and low margins which gives us the luxury of fresh stock arriving weekly direct from Japan to provide a constant flow of cars to our clients.

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