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The Birkenhead Bowling Club

Wednesday, 28 September 2022



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

### On the Greens

Top (A) Green is closed to all play.

Bottom (B) Green is open.

Note: The status of each green may change without notice, always check the greens open/closed board for each green's current status.

Wednesday 28 September - 10am Club Day (AC – Single/Individual Entry) Friday 30 September – 1pm 2-4-2 Pairs (OACP 2-4-2) - Team & Single/Individual Entry – mufti

Saturday 1 October - 1pm Afternoon Roll-up AC-Single Entry

Sunday 2 October – 9am Sunday Tournament (OACT) - Lunch provided

Wednesday 5 October - 10am Club Day (AC – Single/Individual Entry)

Friday 7 October – 1pm 2-4-2 Pairs (OACP 2-4-2) - Team & Single/Individual Entry – mufti

Saturday 8 October 8.30am Handicap Singles (Mixed)

Saturday 9 October 8.30am Handicap Singles (Mixed)

### Inside this Weekend

Due to staff availability, opening and closing times may change without notice.

Friday 30 September - Open 3.30pm - Club Night - \$6 Friday

Raffles, Members Draw, Joker 500

Racing - Te Rapa (Thoroughbred), Addington (Harness), Addington, Palmerston North (Dogs)

NPC\* - 7.05 Hawke's Bay Tasman

Saturday 1 October – Open 11am – 6pm (Ticket required after 6pm)

Private Function 6pm - Let's Rock For Starship (Ticket required)

Racing – Hastings, Riccarton (Thoroughbred), (Harness)

NPC\* - 2.05pm Southland v North Harbour

- 4.35 Auckland v Taranaki

### Sunday 2 October - Open 11am

Racing – Woodville (Thoroughbred), Timaru (Harness), Manukau (Dogs)

NPC\* - 2.05pm Counties Manukau v Wellington

- 2.05pm Northland v Manawatu
- 4.35pm Waikato v Bay of Plenty
- \* Sports viewing selection is determined by the members.

### **Outstanding Subs & Points**

There are still some outstanding subs out there. Those with outstanding subs after the end of September will be unable to accrue or access any BeeRewards points until the outstanding subscription has been paid. The reinstatement of BeeRewards may take up to two weeks to process from the date of payment.

### Starship Charity Gig this Saturday

This Saturday, 1 October, the Soul Agents take to the stage in the Birkenhead Bowling Club on a mission to beat the \$21,000 raised last time for the Starship Foundation. This is a Barfoot and Thompson event, tickets (\$25 each) are available via them. The Club has a limited number of tickets to sell. Contact Emmie if you are after tickets. As this is a private function members without tickets are required to vacate the Club by 6pm.



### Quiz Night - Free Entry 7pm Thursday 13 October

Non-members welcome Enter on the night

Quiz Partners:

Tim Roskruge of Barfoot & Thompson Birkenhead, and Bill Hansen





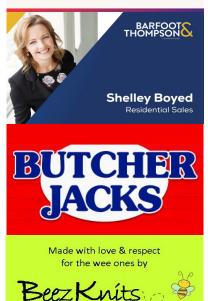
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# \$6 Friday

# This Friday 30 September

Standard tap beer pints, bottle beer, glass of wine All discounted to \$6 per item for the day!

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

### Long Weekend Wrap

The unexpected Queen's Memorial Day long weekend saw bowls and darts at the forefront of the happenings at the Club.

Saturday, BNH Ivan Kostanich Memorial (Men's) Singles were played on carpet greens across the Centre. Birkenhead had seven entries in, playing games of first to 21 shots, a departure from the sets format of previous years. After Saturday's play Birkenhead's hopes of claiming a fourth Centre win in a row lay with Jack Huriwai and David Eades. Unfortunately, Sunday saw both Huriwai (14-21) and Eades (15-21) bow out first round of post section. The overall winner was the ever-steady Bart Robinson (Helensville).

Monday, Queen's Memorial Day, a short notice tournament put together at the Club by Terry Moverley, in partnership with Emmie Swart Limited, "Hello Summer" afternoon tournament saw thirtysix players assemble for the afternoon chasing a prize pool of \$600. Open, single entry, drawn graded, two bowl, afternoon tournament proved popular with a good spread from across the grades, including a six first year players. The only three winner of the afternoon's three games was Linda Chisholm, Kieran Jones and Peter Kawana (s) walking away with \$210 for their efforts.

Saturday and the Stingers were away at Club Onehunga and returned to "The Hive" with their un-

Hello Summer Afternoon Tournament winning Skip, Peter Kawana in action Monday.

defeated record intact. Hobsonville RSA were welcomed into "The Hive" Sunday afternoon for the return leg of a friendly. After a staggering start, possibly to much All Blacks celebrating the night before, The Stingers manged to get the overall win and start celebrating all over again.

"Hello Summer" Afternoon Tournament – results at a glance First: Linda Chisholm, Kieran Jones and Peter Kawana (s) – 3 Wins Second: Mark Van Echten, Muy Chhour, Curtis Ennor (s) - 2 Wins, 1 Draw Third: Gillian Rainbow, John Hannan. Daymon Pierson (s) – 2 Wins, 19 Ends Mystery Prize (seventh): Pat Geraghty, Faye Judge, John Hindmarch (s) Consolation (last game): Dan Smith, Don Teroriero, Gary Wallace



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### **Christmas, Book Today**

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cess 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 flexible catering options. The club can cater for a large number of guests and is generally cheaper to hire with 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 Coordinator Emmie (0275 297 297) or email privatefunction@bowlsbirkenhead.co.nz



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#### **Darts Section Partners**

















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### Stingers remain undefeated with hard fought draw

By Alan Oliver

The Stingers remain undefeated-all-season with a great draw against Tamex at Club One-hunga.

Up to the oche for the Stingers this time were Alex (Fighting Rabbit), Bryce (The Thumb), Steve Arms (Armsy) and Steve Harrison (Yorkie Pud).

In the first four games of reverse pairs, the pairings of Bryce & Alex and Steve & Steve each won one game out of two, giving The Stingers a score of 2-2 heading into the singles.

In a to and fro game, each of the four rounds of four singles games ended 3-1 to each team twice and a result of ten-all. As such, The Stingers remain undefeated this season! Special mention must go to Steve H for hitting not one, but two 180s!

In the 100+ scoring stakes, Bryce hobbled in front with nine including two 140s and a 105 finish. Steve H hit six including those two 180s. Alex hit an efficient five including two 140s and a 112 finish. Armsy did it in style, hitting a 140!

Next week, The Stingers are playing the season's penultimate game at home against MOA's from Swanson RSA. Games begin at 2pm for anyone wanting to come down and support the lads.

We'd love to take this opportunity to thank our generous sponsors again without whom there would be no multiple 180s scored by Yorkie Pud!

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- Emmie Swart Limited (ESL)
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This week's featured sponsor is Spray & Relax Moss & Mould Treatment owned by a great friend of The Stingers, Dean Fairfield AKA 'Stretch'.

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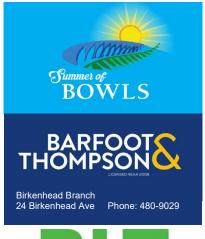
If you'd like to know more, visit <a href="www.sprayandrelax.co.nz">www.sprayandrelax.co.nz</a> or have a chat with the big fella next time he's in the club.







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### **Line Dancing Beginners Classes**

By Elaine Utting

Line Dancing Beginners Classes – with Dominic Tesoriero – starting on Tuesday 18 th October from 2pm to 3pm in the club rooms - \$5 each – proceeds going to Beezknits for the Middlemore Premature Babies. Everyone welcome. Enquiries to Elaine Utting 0274861023.

### **Crochet and Wine Tuesdays**

Following on from the success of the crochet session last week. The first Tuesday in each month at 2pm will be "Crochet and Wine". Come along and learn a new skill, bring your crochet or knitting, come have a natter while enjoying some like-minded company. Wine will be available for purchase from the bar, while tea and coffee are free from the kitchen.

This is not only just for the ladies, any Tom Daleys out there are most welcome to come along. Non-members welcome.

\$5 per person with all money going towards supporting the Middlemore Foundation for the prem babies. Further info contact Emmie 0275 297297.

Pencil in your diary for 2pm on Tuesday 4 October and 1 November with more dates to follow.

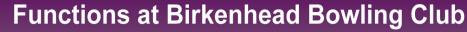




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### Club Facebook

For those members that are on Facebook, please 'like' our "Birkenhead Bowling Club" page. Also, get your friends & family to 'like' our page! The page is a great way to keep in touch with what is happening at the Club! For cancellations go to the Club's facebook page "Birkenhead Bowling Club".

### Spotlight on Club Partners

This week we put the spotlight on new Club Partner Summerset at Monterey Park, out there on the waters edge at Hobsonville. Summerset has been involved in bowls in recent years as sponsor of the Bowls New Zealand Nationals and a number of other Bowls New Zealand events. We welcome Summerset at Monterey Park to Birkenhead Bowling Club and look forward to a rewarding partnership going both ways.

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