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The Birkenhead Bowling Club

Wednesday, 24 June 2020



















Members Draw \$500 Must Be Won Today

On the Greens

The Greens are closed.

Inside this Weekend

Friday 26 June - Club Night

Raffles, Members Draw, Joker 500

Racing – Addington (Harness) Addington & Wanganui (Dogs) and from across Australia NRL* – 8pm Storm v Warriors

Saturday 27 June

Racing – Riccarton (Thoroughbreds) Invercargill (Harness) Invercargill (Dogs) and from across Australia

NRL* – 5pm Cowboys v Knights

- 7.30pm Broncos v Titans

Super Rugby Aotearoa* - 7.05pm Blues v Highlanders

Sunday 28 June

Racing – Addington (Harness) Manukau (Dogs) and across Australia Super Rugby Aotearoa* - 3.35pm Crusaders v Chiefs

NRL* - 6pm Seas eagles v Sharks

* viewing selection is determined by the members.

Craft Beer on Tap

Lion Breweries are discontinuing the Triple Hop Pilsner that the Club currently has on tap. This will be replaced with the Club's first craft beer on tap, Panhead Pilsner. The per keg price is a bit more than our usual keg range but a group of Friday night social members are subsidising the difference so members can enjoy a pint or two at the Club's regular tap beer prices.

From the brewers: Pilsner is famously Czech in origin, but here we've gone for a South Pacific hop profile in keeping with the people who brew it and drink it. Passionfruit, grapefruit and sauvignon blanc



characters abound, stacked up on a robust malt base that's partly German, partly Kiwi.

Big Thank you

Thank you, those that paid their 2020-21 subs before Saturday 6 June 2020 and saved a few dollars for their efforts.

Those that made a donation to help the Club's cash flow as we emerged from 59 days of forced closure, a big thank you. The response from both options was fantastic and is testament to the sprite of our members that drives the Club forward.

Our members and visitors that have been frequenting the Club since we emerged from lockdown on Thursday 21 May, thanks, we are sure you have enjoyed the discount drinks. But all good things do come to an end and the Club's "Welcome Back Everyone" specials will finish on Tuesday 30 June. The following day Wednesday 1 July will not only signify the start of the 2020-2021 bowling year but our bar prices will return to those of pre-covid times.



15 - 19 February 2021 Headquarters - Birkenhead

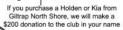




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North Shore Giltrap









Memorial for Dale Ineson Saturday 27th June 1:00pm - 4:00pm **Birkenhead Bowling Club**



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\$500 Goes Today

Two Members Draws today, draw No.93 starts off at \$45 today after draw No.92 was won by Emmie Swart on Friday evening. The other draw, draw No.90, of \$500 has run its course and must be struck tonight. Members Draw drawn between 5-6pm, got to be there to win. Members Draws are for all members, with the exception of "Introductory" members. If you are waiting on a card, it's probably waiting for you at the Club. You will have a number and that number will be in the draw, but you have to be at the Club if your number comes out. One certainty is that one member will leave the Club tonight \$500 better off.

Monday Social Indoor Bowls

It's a bit too chilly and dark to be out on the greens this time of year on a Monday evening but we can have just as much fun inside and it's not so far to the refreshment stand. Come join us for a short sharp four Monday evenings of Social Bowls. Starting 6.30pm Monday 29 June and playing three games per night. The Social Indoor Bowls League continues Monday 6, 13 July and concludes on 20 July with a meal and a prize-giving that will cover the four weeks. Cost for the first three evenings is \$5 per player per evening (no meal), while it's \$10 for the final night which includes a meal and prize-giving. The traditional meat raffles will be on sale and drawn each Monday evening. Get your team of three together and phone either Louise (021 2367121) or Debbie (021

781374) to enter your team, team members can change players from week to week. All bowls and equipment provided along with some free coaching, all you need is a smile and a fun attitude.



Quiz Night 7pm Thursday 9 July **Enter free on the Night**

Quiz Partners: Barfoot & Thompson Birkenhead, Bill Hansen and Tim Roskruge













Housie! - Thursday 16 July

Caller: Kevin "Scratchy" George

Cash Prizes First Game 7pm Housie cards only \$1 per card

Further info ph: 0275 297297, Entry restricted to 18 years and over Housie! Bingo! every third Thursday in the month



Open Everyday Over Winter

The greens maybe closed but the club is still open, don't forget to support your club during the winter. TAB facilities with two screens of racing action, Gaming Room with "Jackpot", Sky Sport*, pool table, darts, indoor bowls all available during opening hours. With a northerly sunny aspect the upstairs lounge and viewing deck are pleasant spots to while away a winter afternoon socialising. Check notice boards, Club website and Club facebook for "just announced" events at the Club.

Mondays & Tuesdays - 3.30pm opening

Pop in for a chat, catch up on the weekend's happenings. Watch "The Chase", try your luck in the Gaming Room.

Wednesdays - 3.30pm opening

4.30pm - 5.30pm Happy Hour

5pm - 6pm Members Draw

6pm Joker 500 draw (numbers on sale from 4.30pm)

Thursdays - 3.30pm opening

Second Thursday in the month Quiz Night

Third Thursday in the month Housie/Bingo

Fridays - Club Night - 2.30pm opening

4.30ish Raffles with Merv "the Swerve"

5pm - 6pm Happy hour

5pm - 7pm Members Draw

6pm Joker 500 draw (numbers on sale from 4.30pm), \$500 available every draw.

Horse racing: TAB facilities and two screens of racing action.

Live sport* on the main screen

Saturdays - 11am opening

All day Saturday pool - shoot some pockets and see how long you can hold the table for.

Horse racing: TAB facilities and two screens of racing action

Live sport* on the main screen (NRL, Rugby etc)

Sundays - 11am opening

Horse racing TAB facilities with two screens of racing action Live sport* on the main screen with Super Rugby Aotearoa at 3.35pm and NRL a little later.*

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Locked In For Summer 2020-2021

2020

Saturday 22 August - Opening Day

Monday 2 November – "YOU Travel Birkenhead" Social Bowls3Five

Wednesday 16 December - Rod Mahon Memorial – Ham (OACT)

Sunday 20 December – Ham Tournament OACT)

Thursday 24 December - Stuie's Birthday Mini Tournament (OAC, Single Entry) **2021**

Monday 18 January - "YOU Travel Birkenhead" Social Bowls3Five

Saturday 6 February - Birkenhead Charity Tournament (OACF)

Sunday 7 & Monday 8 February - \$5,500 "Carpet Mill" Men's Pairs

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

Monday 15 – Friday 19 February - Bowls North Harbour NZ Masters – Birkenhead Headquarters

Friday 2 & Saturday 3 April - Easter Triples (OACT)

Saturday 10 & Sunday 11 April - "Wheels On Wairau" Seafood Tournament (OACF) Saturday 15 May – Closing Day & Prize Giving.





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Arabian Night

Take in the aromas of the Middle-East and transport your taste buds with authentic flavours from our Arabian inspired meal. Get lost in a trance by the beautiful art of belly dancing. Dance the night away to sounds of our DJ spinning English and Arabian music. Arabian Night promises to be magical - get your friends, family and colleagues together and be among the first to enjoy the first ever Arabian Night.

Birkenhead Bowling Club Saturday 15th August at \$35 per person, tickets available from Emmie (0275 297297) or Joseph (021 2635606).

Centre Winter Coaching

For all players – junior or not!. At Orewa under the roof on Saturday 15th, 22nd & 29th August between 9.00 and 12.00. There will be several coaches on hand to assist. Tea and coffee available, a sausage sizzle will be provided on 29th. The cost per day is only \$5. Email bowls@bowlsnorthharbour.co.nz to book into the coaching sessions or ask the club secretary to send in your name in.









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Club Night - Every Friday

Open from 2.30pm
Raffles, Members Draw, Joker 500 and more

Still Open and Kicking

Covid continues to disrupt business and our Club Partners / sponsors aren't immune from it. This has been horrendous for the travel industry, and in particular for our friends and long time Club supporters, Caroline and the girls at YOU Travel Birkenhead, the girls are all having to hunker down! The travel industry has taken a king hit and had to revaluate how it operate to survive. Here is our chance to give something back.

Many have seen the shop has been vacated in Birkenhead Ave. That doesn't mean they have gone. Caroline has given up the lease on the shop and is now working remotely for the foreseeable future. It's still business as usual just won't have a retail space for a while.

What this means for you is that when you want to catch up with the girls or they need to see you then they'll come



to you! They'll meet at a suitable location and even shout you a coffee - or a tea! The shop phone number now goes straight through to Caroline and email address is the same.

They are really looking forward to helping your new "normal" include travelling again.

YOU Travel Birkenhead

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Records Update

Have you changed address, phone number or email during the past year? Have you notified the Club Secretary in writing? Are your details incorrect in the Club hand book? Here is your opportunity to tidy it all up. Fill in a yellow "Change of Details" form available at the Club with your correct details and hand it to the Club Secretary or to the bar. Your details will be updated and you won't miss anymore of the Club's communications.

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JOKER 500 WEDNESDYS & FRIDAYS

Bee Hibernating

The Bee will be hibernating over the winter months. The "Bee Express" will be published sporadically between to-day until Wednesday 12 August when the summer season rolls round. Opening Day is Saturday 22 August 2020. News and updates will be posted to the Club's facebook page. Those playing winter bowls, all the best and those not playing, enjoy the break



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 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)

Spotlight on Club Partners

This week we put the spotlight on "New World Birkenhead". A long time Club Partner. Our Friday raffles and tournament meat prizes all come from Steve's store. The Sunday Triples Ham Tournament in December is sponsored by New World Birkenhead with all the hams from Steve's store.

Source http://http://www.newworld.co.nz/upper-north-island/auckland/birkenhead/

Welcome to New World Birkenhead, at home on the North Shore since March 2003, and a major employer in the local area. We aim to provide the best in service, value and quality

products and all in a pleasant shopping environment. Our large car park off Mokoia Road provides easy parking and access, even on the busiest days.

About your local store

Hi, and welcome to your local supermarket, New World Birkenhead.

As the owner/operator of New World Birkenhead I'm continually working to ensure that we provide the best in all we do. We have a great team of people at New World Birkenhead, and I'm proud to work alongside them.



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If we can help you in any way, just let us know. Thank you for your support, see you instore soon!

Regards Steve Purton - Owner/Operator



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