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Housie! - Thursday 15 January

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! the third Thursday in the month



Charity Tournament Needs You

All Welcome, Thursday 6 February 8.30am start. Join us for a fun day out on the greens and inside the Club. Open Any Combination Fours, in the spirit of the tournament teams are encouraged to include a non-bowler and dress-up if your game enough, there will be prizes for the best dressed. You will not be playing for the town hall clock but there are playing prizes up for grabs, loads of raffles and items to be auctioned off. This year the funds raised are going to Harbour Hospice. This tournament usually raises quite a few thousand and hopefully this year is no exception. Entry is via the white board in the club, team and single entry available. Entry \$60 per team or single entry \$15 per person, morning tea and lunch included.

Further information or to enter (if you can't make it into the Club) contact John Croy phone: 0274 844991 email: croyj44@gmail.com

Items to donate for raffles and auctions ring Louise Fox 021 2357121

Santa's Lasting Memories

Sunday 22 December saw the Club overrun by small kids for the Club's Annual Kids Christmas Party. The Club rocked with a disco to entertain the 50 plus kids. Charlie Harvey (Santa) and Bailey Watkins (the Elf) dawned the outfits and of course when they arrived in the big red fire engine all those little eyes lit up.

Thanks to Sabrina Cox, dressed as a strawberry this year, Miwa Ennor our face painting expert, the merry troop of helpers that co-ordinated the day and fed and watered all the kids and the Birkenhead Volunteer Fire Brigade ensuring Santa's arrival left lasting memories, and that we know it certainly did.

Elaine Riley had her grandchildren visiting from Germany and they came along on the day.

Elaine asked her granddaughter "what will you tell everybody when you get home, what the best part of your holiday was?". Her reply was "Santa that arrived on the Fire Engine." Thanks must also go out to Tim Roskrige of Barfoot and Thompson, United Gaming and John Hindmarch for their generous joint-sponsorship of the day.



Sabrina Cox (Strawberry) Charlie Harvey (Santa) and Bailey Watkins (the Elf)

Texas Hold'em - 7pm second Wednesday in the month (registration from 6pm).

Quiz Night in partnership with Barefoot & Thompson Birkenhead, Tim Ruskruge, and Bill Hansen:- 7pm second Thursday in the month.

Housie! with Scratchy: - 7pm third Thursday in the month.



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Club Night - Every Friday

Raffles, Members Draw, Happy Hour, Joker 500 and more

No Free Beer for a Year

Possibly the best weekend weather wise greeted those chasing the Club Championship Pairs titles on Saturday. The Women with two entries playing the two life system saw Barbara Staal/Ruth Lynch take on Lauranne Croot/Mavis Smith. Staal/Lynch took out the first game (19-14) sending Croot/Smith below the line. A potential final and Staal/Lynch triumphed again (21-13) to take out the Women's Championship Pairs title for 2019-2020. The Men's with an 8.30am start for qualifying on Saturday, four games with the top eight into post section knockout Sunday. A long hot day for some and the recently opened top green proved the undoing of some. The top eight made up of a four winner (Tony Grantham/Randall Watkins), one three wins and draw (Sandy Cleghorn/Evan Thomas), and six three winners (Doug Parlane/Mick Moodie, Barry Reyland/Charlie Harvey, Mike Haggart, John Hindmarch, Jimmy Heath/Jack Huriwai, Adman Richardson/Jerome Rusk and Garry Stevens/Doug Campbell). Sunday dawned and Mother Nature had put on a stunning day for bowls, no blaming the wind today.

First round saw Grantham/Watkins over Stevens/Campbell (24-9), Harvey retired injured Saturday, so was replaced by Curtis Ennor Sunday. Reyland/Ennor, an untried pair up against Haggart/Hindmarch, Reyland/Ennor got way to a good lead and never relinquished it coming away the victors (21-8).

Heath/Huriwai won over Parlane/Moodie picking up two fours in the process (18-5), Cleghorn/Thomas all locked up after 16 ends (16-16), the seventh end was a tied end, with each team touching the jack. The eighth end and Cleghorn/Thomas picked up a single shot for the win (17-16).

Into the semi-finals and Grantham/Watkins played with confidence to account for Reyland/Ennor (18-9), Cleghorn/Thomas joined Grantham/Watkins in the final comfortable taking down Heath/Huriwai (24-6).

A Grantham/Watkins, Cleghorn/Thomas final and Grantham/Watkins top qualifier Saturday, two confident wins Sunday to reach the final, the bookies favourite for the title. The first two ends went the way of Cleghorn/Thomas (4-0) before Grantham/Watkins got on the board. Cleghorn/Thomas continued to accrue shots and after thirteen ends were up (17-7) and tracking pretty well. The following two ends went to Grantham/Watkins drawing closer (17-11). End sixteen and the crowd in the Club gasped, Cleghorn/Thomas dropped a six!. All squared up (17-17) with two ends to play. Cleghorn/Thomas picked up one shot on end seventeen to be in front (18-17) with one end to play.

The eighteenth end Cleghorn holding shot at the changeover. Thomas couldn't add to it and Watkins drew inside to claim shot. Thomas couldn't change the head, Watkins drew another shot. Thomas ran at the head hitting both Watkins bowls but only one out of the count. Watkins holding one and one bowl to play, possibly the last of the game. If he didn't make it count it's an extra end, draw another shot and that's the title. All quite in the Club as Watkins sent his bowl on its way..... it rolled up the green on a great line and the weight was coming off as it bent in to the head to finish inside Cleghorn's bowl and count for two. The 2019-2020 Men's Championship Pairs title belonged to Grantham and Watkins. A disappointed Evan Thomas at the immediate conclusion his first words were "thought I was going to get free beer for a year for a while there".



Men's Champ Pairs: Runners-up - Sandy Cleghorn, Evan Thomas, Winners - Tony Grantham, Randall Watkins



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@ Birkenhead Bowling Club
 Thursday 13 February 10am - Midday or 1pm - 3pm
 Friday 14 February 10am - Midday or 1pm - 3pm

Bowls Clinics open to Men and Women

Secure your spot today email secretary@bowlsbirkenhead.co.nz

Birkenhead it Is

With the setbacks of Birkenhead's top green for the first half of the season it wasn't looking good for Chairperson Emmie Swart's wish to secure Birkenhead as the headquarters for the inaugural Bowls North Harbour NZ Masters. Birkenhead was always going to play its part in the event, but with only one green up to scratch it was only going to be section play. Swart secured the opening function on Sunday 16 February for Birkenhead, but the state of the top green was still in doubt and being headquarters looked a distant dream. With some intensive work and management by the Club's green keeper Brendon Kelly the green passed BNH inspection a couple of weeks back and has since continued to improve. Two greens up to starch for February and Birkenhead has been awarded Headquarters for the inaugural event with the clubs greens in use each day with all semis and finals played on Thursday 20 and Friday 21 at Birkenhead. Finals day Friday will see selected finals streamed live from the top green at Birkenhead, thanks to the assistance from Bowls New Zealand. Kevin Hickland and guests will provide the commentary for the streaming.

If you are able to assist over the week of the Masters put your name on the board set up in the Club. We need people to set up the greens each day and there are other areas that all contribute to the smooth running of such an event.

Social Bowls 2020

Social Bowls for 2020 starts Monday 3 February at 6pm and will see the Birkenhead greens inundated with social bowlers as the Club commences the first of six evenings of YOU Travel Birkenhead Social Bowls for 2020. If you're keen to enter a team or would like to play and don't have a team, give Evan a call 021 057-5491. Free loan bowls, no experience necessary, greens open for practice from 5pm.

Teams may comprise of three non-bowlers (never been a playing member of a club) or to non-bowlers and a bowler. Spare bowlers are also required most evening, contact Evan if you can help out there.

Can Still Get In

The Bowls North Harbour NZ Masters entries closed in December and over the Christmas break the draws for the various disciplines/categories were drawn by the Centre. There are a few team spots to fill in various sections. If you're keen to join the 277 individuals and be one of more than 185 teams entered, contact Lesley Langer at Bowls North Harbour, phone: 09 475 9941 email: bowls@bowlsnorthharbour.co.nz Remember players can play down an age group.

- At time of going to print the following team spots were available:
- 60-74 Men's Fours – two teams (section play at Browns Bay)
 - 60-74 Women's Pairs - two teams (section play at Milford)
 - 60-74 Men's Pairs – two teams (section play at Birkenhead)
 - 75+ Men's Pairs – one team (section play at Mairangi Bay)
 - 60-74 Mixed Pairs – one team (section play Milford)
 - 75+ Mixed Pairs – one team (section play at Mairangi Bay)

Thursday 6 February - Charity Tournament



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New for 2020

Giltrap North Shore recently came on board as solo tournament partner for the \$2,500 Easter Triples, but that is not where they have stopped. They have since then also committed to a new tournament for late May 2020 as a platinum tournament partner. From John Hindmarch's initial idea and developed out to a weekend tournament the Birkenhead Power Play Pairs has been born. With \$2,400 for first place out of a total prize pool of \$5,000 it is certainly good prize money. Played over the weekend of 23-24 May will see sides of three teams of pairs battling it out in a playing format similar to Bowls North Harbour's PPL. All culminating in the Elimination finals, Semi-finals' and the Grand final on Sunday afternoon

Limited to sixteen sides with sides made up of full or life members of the same club, no composite sides. Morning tea and lunch to the usual Birkenhead standard is included both days.

Entry forms are available from the Club and the Club's website. Entry confirmed upon receiving both a completed entry form and full entry fee.

Birkenhead Power Play Pairs is currently looking for a tournament partner to join Giltrap North Shore as joint platinum partner or a number of smaller gold, silver or bronze partners. Further details on the contact Emmie (ph: 0275 297297)

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\$5,000 Prize pool

\$2,400 First prize

23 & 24 May 2020

Limited to 16 Sides (Sides of 3 AC Pairs)

Morning tea & lunch included

Entry \$300 per Side (6 players per side)

**Entry forms available from the Club or
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February the Month to Shine

February will certainly be the month for Birkenhead to shine with three "Summer of Bowls" events on the Birkenhead greens. The Carpet Mill \$5,500 Birkenhead Men's Pairs is the first of the big tournaments (Saturday 8 & Sunday 9). The tournament filled back in early November and promises some fine battles on day one alone.

During the following week back to back World Singles Champion Karen Murphy arrives for her two days of Bowls Clinics (Thursday 14 & Friday 15). Murphy then stays on for the \$6.500 Good Home Birkenhead Women's Pairs (Saturday 15 & Sunday 16), pairing up with one of her Bowls Clinics attendees. This year the field comprise visiting players from South Africa and Australia, along with teams from as far south as Queenstown and the West Coast and add the New Zealand high performance players, this is certainly the premier Women's tournament in North Harbour.

With the Women's Pairs coming to its conclusion with prize giving around 5pm on Sunday 16, the next tournament/event kicks off an hour and a half later with its official opening/welcoming at Birkenhead. The Bowls North Harbour NZ Masters will open the event 6.30pm Sunday 16. This will signal the start of a week-long of 60 years and over bowls, with a total prize pool in excess of \$10,000. With three major events at the Club over February, Birkenhead will undoubtedly be the place to be.

BNH Centre Closing Dates

Bowls North Harbour Centre event entry forms can be found in the BNH Centre book All closing dates are with the Birkenhead Club Secretary.

- Women's Centre Pairs - Sunday 19 January
Men's Centre Pairs - Sunday 26 January
Women's Centre Singles - Sunday 2 February
Men's Dick Bree Memorial Triples - Sunday 2 February
Women's Centre Fours - Sunday 23 February
Men's Centre Fours - Sunday 23 February
Women's Centre Fours - Sunday 23 February
Women's Centre Triples - Sunday 8 March
Men's Centre Singles - Sunday 8 March
Women's 1-5 Year Centre Pairs - Thursday 9 April
Men's 1-5 Year Centre Pairs - Thursday 9 April
Women's 1-8 Year Centre Triples - Sunday 19 April
Men's 1-8 Year Centre Triples - Sunday 19 April
Women's 1-8 Year Centre Fours - Sunday 26 April
Men's 1-8 Year Centre Fours - Sunday 26 April
Women's 1-5 Year Centre Singles - Sunday 3 May
Men's 1-5 Year Centre singles - Sunday 3 May

Members Cash Draw

Club Members Draw is drawn Wednesdays between 5 - 6pm, and Fridays between 5 - 7pm. Draws jackpot up to \$500 cash. Members must be present at the draw to claim the cash prize (members have two minutes to make themselves known to the draw caller).

Joker Draws

Joker 500 draws drawn Wednesdays & Fridays. Joker 500, numbers on sale from 5pm - 6pm. 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 receives the corresponding prize with the top prize available being \$500 every Wednesday and Friday. Every card has a cash prize.

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Teams Confirmed for #BPL11

Reproduced from Bowls Australia website 14th January 2020

With the 11th instalment of the Bowls Premier League a little over a month away, teams have confirmed their line-ups for the event in Moama.

Few changes have been made across the board from BPL10, with host team the Moama Murray Steamers swinging the most significant personnel moves.

In a big coup, New Zealand Blackjacks stalwart and former Brisbane Pirate Jo Edwards

returns to the BPL with the Steamers, who have also recalled local favourite and long-time Steamer representative, Michael Walker. The duo replaces David Ferguson, who has moved into the coaches' chair, as well as the unavailable Ellen Ryan.

Elsewhere, there are no other changes to playing personnel from the remaining teams, although the Perth Suns have made a coaching change with Ross Dempsey filling the void of the unavailable Pieter Harris.

Last November saw three new teams enter the competition and two of those teams in the Melbourne Pulse and Tweed Heads Ospreys going on to make the finals at Club Pine Rivers in Queensland, with the latter taking out the title and Aaron Teys the tournament MVP.

Bowls Premier League 11 – #BPL11

February 25-28, 2020

Moama Bowling Club, NSW

Day Sessions: From 11am AEDT (Stream via Bowls Australia Facebook)

Night Sessions: From 5pm AEDT (Watch live via Fox Sports, Kayo Sports & Sky Sport NZ)

Teams:

Adelaide Pioneers: Wayne Ruediger, Scott Thulborn, Bec Van Asch (Coach – Les Carter)

Brisbane Pirates: Alex Marshall, Michael Breen, Kelsey Cottrell (Coach – Dave Edwards)

Melbourne Pulse: Gary Kelly, Barrie Lester, Natasha Scott (Coach – Rob Wilson)

Melbourne Roys: Aaron Wilson, Matt Flapper, Carla Krizanic (Coach – Ian Ewing)

Murray Steamers: Ryan Bester, Michael Walker, **Jo Edwards** (Coach – David Ferguson)

Perth Suns: Lee Schraner, Cody Packer, Kristina Krstic (Coach – Ross Dempsey)

Sydney Lions: Aron Sherriff, **Ben Twist, Karen Murphy** (Coach – Steve Glasson)

Tweed Heads Ospreys: Aaron Teys, Kurt Brown, Chloe Stewart (Coach – Wayne Turley)

Facebook and Cancellations

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 our facebook page www.facebook.com/BowlsBirkenhead or ring the club.



BCiB Sydney Lions BPL11: Ben Twist, Karen Murphy, Aron Sherriff, Steve Glasson - Coach



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Spotlight on Club Partners

New comer Giltrap North Shore have dived in boots and all and have not only taken up the vacant Easter Triples Tournament Partner spot, but will now be one of the tournament partners for the new Birkenhead Power Play Pairs in May 2020. The Club thanks Alan Yates for his assistance in bring Birkenhead Bowling Club and Giltrap North Shore together. We all look forward to a long and mutually beneficial partnership. You will see Alan out on the green as he has joined the club, he has bowled before.

By Alan Yates Business Development Manager

Giltrap North Shore New Tournament Partner of Easter Triples

Giltrap North shore are proud to be the Major Tournament Partner of the Birkenhead Bowling Club Easter Triples.

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Our Company is proud to support sport on the Shore, already Birkenhead Bowling Club members have purchased vehicles from our dealership, and we would like to announce that any vehicles sold to members, and the Club will receive a donation of \$200 per vehicle.

The Holden Acadia has just won the NZ Herald Drive Magazine Car of the Year, 2019. The Kia Seltos is breaking all records, already over 200 vehicles sold in NZ, and the Kia Sportage is the number one selling passenger vehicle on the North Shore. Alan Yates is your contact for any vehicle enquires, he has been associated with sport on the shore for 49 years.

Giltrap North Shore are looking forward to our new association with the Birkenhead Bowling Club and supporting the 2020 Easter Triples, good bowling.

