Matua Bowling Club





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To all members and their families

Have a fun filled Merry Xmas and take care of each other. Celebrate New Year in style and we look forward to seeing you all on the greens or in the Clubrooms in 2022





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A big thank you to all members who generously offered their support to the Club by way of donation and loan to enable the upgrades of green one and two.







Club Captains Ramblings

Well what a year it has been,





It started with losing green one and then all the hullabaloo of Covid, but what has remained constant is our incredible club spirit and camaraderie.

We have a culture of fellowship which I'm sure is the envy of many other clubs, but please make sure that we extend that fellowship to newer members whenever possible.

Can I take this opportunity to thank our large band of volunteers: General maintenance, Lawn mowing, Rolling, Green marking, Set up, Match committee, Bar duties, Kitchen duties, Inter Club, Twilight, Corporate events, the list goes on and on, but the club would cease to function without the many people who give up their time for us. Please consider putting your name forward to help out if you possibly can.

The club has acquitted itself quite well at interclub this year and we have a number of up and coming players to swell our ranks next year.

Can I thank you all for the manner in which everyone addressed our Covid response protocol which has gone very smoothly.

Finally to the many people who rallied behind our capital raising for Project Rethink a huge thank you,

again a reflection of our tremendous club spirit.

I wish everyone a very Happy Christmas and a Healthy New Year

Derek Vincent

Club Captain









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Communication is key in a club and we are very appreciative of the hard work Carol Hubert does each week providing us with upcoming events and the latest results. Thankyou Carol



We welcome your contributions, especially photos of our members in all types of activities, well almost all.







Coming Up

- > Tournaments and Events on the horizon:
- ► Jan 10th Eves Twilight recommences
- ▶ Jan 10th Combined Clubs Women's Fours
- ▶ Jan 22nd 23rd Centre Women's Fours
- ▶ Jan 25th Open optional triples supported by Elliot's Funeral Services
- ▶ Jan 29th 30th Centre Men's Fours
- ► Feb 9th Open Optional Triples supported by Hobec
- ▶ Feb 23rd Open Optional Triples supported by Jones & Co Funeral Services

Supporters of the artificial greens project to date



















Winners on the Day











Cobblestone Court Motel

Ibbotson Memorial Rosebowl winners Trevor and Derek





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Sponsor of the Melbourne Cup Tournament



Twilight bowls



Thanks to the family of Geoff Crammond for the sponsorship of a free drink to a worthy recipient each night

Thanks to Our Sponsor





Chef Colin on the Bar B Que Meat pack prizes and raffles from our friends at







Each Monday up to 26 teams of four show Twilight is as popular as ever. There is a range of experience from very new, to regular twilighters and "retired" bowlers enjoying the relaxed form of the game. Thanks to **Jean Morris** for bring three teams from her street to play.



Corporate Bowls and Events



15 events in November and December











Thanks to the Corporate Team Cliff, Richard, David, Paul, Ron, Mike S Earning valuable club funds and creating relationships.





6 Welcome

New and changing Memberships

A big welcome to our new members. We are sure you will make them welcome.



Full playing -Current #'s 96 Life 10



Limited-Current #'s 29

Current #'s 59

Associated-Current # 20

Casual-

Social-

Current #'s 109







Laughter - The best medicine



Major Sponsors:

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Thanks to everyone for their support in making Bowls Matua a safe place for all







Insert a caption that suits these characters

Triple

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Double.....









Around the Club



Thanks to Matua Residents Assn for their generous gift of two aircon units to improve the comfort of Legacy room users



Have a cool refreshing drink on Mike. Our thanks to the family of Mike and Faye Spring.

IN MEMORY OF MIKE

Refresh yourself at Mike's Spring





The Board is investigating the feasibility of catching the water from the roof and storing in two tanks to use when watering the greens.







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