

Welcome to our weekly newsletter ~

Coming Events ~

23rd March – Wednesday Mixed Hagggle 12.30pm start
 25th March - Friday Triples 12.30pm start
 28th March – Monday Mixed Roll-up 12.30pm start
 30th March – Wednesday Hagggle 12.30pm start
 1st April – Friday Triples 12.30pm start
 2nd April – Saturday – Jack & Jill Pairs 9.00am start
 4th April – Monday Mixed Roll-up 12.30pm start
 6th April – Wednesday Hagggle 12.30pm start
 7th April – Thursday – Open Optional Triples 9am start
 8th April – Friday Triples 12.30pm start
 9th April – Mixed Championship Triples 8.30am start
 10th April – Mixed Championship Triples – Post Section
 Play 8.30am start
 11th April – Monday Mixed Roll-up 12.30pm start
 12th April – Tuesday – BD Mixed Variation Triples
 9.00am start
 13th April – Wednesday – Mixed Hagggle 12.30pm start

Open Tournaments in the Western Bay Division

23rd March – Wednesday – Te Puke Men's Pairs
 24th March – Thursday -Tauranga Optional 3B Triples
 29th March – Katikati – Optional Variety Triples
 2nd & 3rd April – Saturday & Sunday – Te Puke Mixed
 Triples over 60
 6th April – Wednesday – Te Puke – Mixed Triples
 7th April – Thursday – Matua – Optional Triples
 12th April – Tuesday – Tga South Optional 2B Triples
 14th April – Thursday – Mount – Optional Triples

Centre Events

Bowls 3Five

Saturday & Sunday 26th & 27th March
 Headquarters Mount Maunganui

Champion of Champion Events

Saturday 2nd April 9.00am Start

Junior Singles Men & Women @ Whakatane
 Senior Singles Men & Women @ Tga South

Sunday 3rd April 8.30am start (Daylight Saving finished)

Pairs Men @ Tauranga
 Pairs Women @ Mount Maunganui

Please note change of venues

Results from the past week ~

16th March - Wednesday Mixed Hagggle

1st Grant Turner, Barrie Owen
 2nd Bil de Graaf, Paul Gregory, Pat Bryant
 3rd Steve Rusbatch, Ray Nicholas, Diana Foster

18th March – Friday Triples

1st Paul Schmidt, Marj Flowerdy, Colin Handley
 2nd Gerry McLean, Helen Wreaks, Jim Lenne
 3rd Jean Sheary, Barry Sheary, Ave Andrews
 4th Peter Sanders, Pat Bryant, Lynne Dean
 5th Sue Taylor, Bob Taylor, Phil Andrews
 6th George Hooper, Mike Sandlant

Althorp v's Matua

A successful morning of bowls was had by all that participated.

Prizes were kindly donated by Hope Family
 Funeral Services



Hope Family Funeral Services

Health and Safety

reporting of an injury

In the match committee room, there is a book to report injuries and any dangerous situations.

Please ensure all instances are recorded.

Defibrillator

The Club has a defibrillator in the foyer.

How many know how to use it?

Pop into the office for a basic instruction booklet or email

bowls.matua@extra.co.nz

for a copy.

This machine was purchased through the generosity of many members of the Club and as we know you never know when it might be needed to save the life of a fellow club member.



Project Synthetic

Your board is pleased to bring you some good news. Steven Rogerson, Project Manager for Berry Bowling Services, is booked to be in Tauranga at the end of this month. The Berry plan is to commence the excavation of Green 1 in the third week of April (THIS YEAR). Steven is still a Registered Drainlayer in N.Z. and will manage this part of the operation with an experienced NZ crew. Berry has also applied to NZ Immigration for visas to allow Australian experts to cross the border to subsequently handle the sewing and installation of the loomed carpet. One would assume that border control will permit, but we will keep a close eye on this. Green 2 will be closed soon to allow Murray Bruning and his member crew to replace the wooden plinth surrounding this green. There is also peripheral work (shrub and hedge removal, fence installation etc.) to take place but the end result ought to be completion of the project by early June. Members have been great in putting up with our unfortunate situation over the past 24 months, but the light at the end of the tunnel is now shining brightly.

Brian Bluck

Mixed Championship Fours

10 teams entered this Championship, with them having to win 2 or 3 games out of the 3 scheduled to be played to qualify for Post Section Play which was scheduled for the Sunday.

5 teams managed to obtain the 2 or more wins. Play for Sunday was cancelled and new date for Post Section Play is to be found.

Qualifiers'

Ron Dockary, Helen Wreaks, Carol Hubert, Ken Boyle
Jean Sheary, Lynne Taylor, Pete Sander, Ross Harold
Mike Boyce, Noelene Schmidt, Hilary Stanley, Paul Schmidt

Peter Keaney, Mike Hammond, Raelyn Hayes, Lynne Gurden

Pat Gillon, Ray Nicholas, Jan Ford, Graeme Troy

Draw for Post Section

Round 1

Gillon to play Keaney

Round 2

Winner of Round 1 to play Boyce

Dockary to play Sheary

Bowls Results broadcast each

Saturday at 8.50am on

Village Radio 1368AM

Wanted

Size 4 lawn bowls

Willing to pay up to \$150.00 if suitable

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