

### **Back on the Cotula**

*It's great to be back playing on our cotula green again - when the weather allows. Over the winter the greens team have put in a lot of work to bring it back into play in as good a condition as possible. If the day on the green for the first gala is anything to go by it augurs well for the summer season. While it was damp and we required scrimms at the eastern end the green played with good speed and without any hint of deviations in the running line. So well done Arne and the team and thanks to the Waitarere Beach club for the loan of their scrimms for the day.*

### **Levin Bowls Website**

**Webmaster Stuart Fieldes is busy updating our club website at**

**[www.sporty.co.nz/levin\\_bowls](http://www.sporty.co.nz/levin_bowls)**

**On it you can now access our club Programme for the 2021-22 season, as well as the list of Gala details, club Officers and Appointments for the season. And, there is more coming.**

### **Your Elected Leaders for 2021-22**

President	<b>Jim Bagnall</b>
Vice President	<b>Les Galloway</b>
Secretary	<b>Liz Galloway</b>
Treasurer	<b>Dave Grigg</b>
Executive Members	<b>Kay Lahman</b>
	<b>Bronwyn McMahon</b>
	<b>Jim Winter</b>

#### **Match Committee**

(Convenor)	<b>Margaret Wilson</b>
	<b>Kathy Field</b>
	<b>Margaret Griffin</b>
	<b>Heather Stempa</b>
	<b>Julie Stichbury</b>
	<b>Wendy Whitelaw</b>
	<b>Rob Cotter</b>
	<b>Wayne Judd</b>

### **Congratulations**

*To the following women were selected to play in the Kapiti Coast team against the Wanganui centre reps in Whanganui on Sunday 10 October - **Bronwyn McMahon** (in the Senior team), **Valda Anderson**, **Mary Van der Velden**, **Gloria Michael**, **Janet Olliver** (in the Development team.) And, also to **Kathy Field** the team manager.*

### **Coming Events**

#### **November**

Sat 06	Men's Pairs qualifying
Sun 07	Men's Pairs post section
Wed 10	Rotary Round 2: Shannon
Fri 12	Horowhenua 5's Round 3: Central Levin
Sat 13	BKC M & W Open Pairs
Sun 14	BKC M & W Open Pairs
Wed 17	Levin Glassworks Triples Gala
Sat 20	Women's Interclub Day 1
Sun 21	Men's & Div III Interclub Day 1

### **Thanks to Higgins**

***The club wishes to acknowledge the help of Higgins Contractors recently in clearing the drains around the cotula green and providing a quantity of stones to refill the corner sumps.***

### **Welcome - and welcome back**

*The club welcomes new members **Adrienne Gray** (from Whitby) and **Brett Connell** (a first year bowler), and welcomes back three former members - **Marion Ball** (from Levin Women's), **Shaun Brown** and **Barry Cross** who is now a dual full member of Central Levin and our club.*

### **Start Times for Centre Open Events**

**Please note that this season's centre open events are all starting at 8.30 am not at 9 am as stated in our club handbook. This decision was made after our handbook went for printing so apologies for any inconvenience.**

## **Club Responsibilities 2021-22**

Greens Superintendent	<b>Arne Jansson</b>
Greens Spraying	<b>Trevor Turnbull</b>
	<b>Graeme Mathie</b>
Dales Green Manager	<b>Greg Hutchings</b>
Match Convenor	<b>Margaret Wilson</b>
Gala Convenor	<b>Rob Cotter</b>
Rotary & Horowhenua Fives	<b>Carol Turnbull</b>
	<b>Trevor Turnbull</b>
Business House Bowls	<b>Brian Cooper</b>
Club Coach	<b>Grahame Law</b>
Bar Manager	<b>John Dunlop</b>
Purchasing Officer	<b>John Dunlop</b>
Maintenance Convenor	<b>Jim Winter</b>
Kitchen Convenor	<b>Ralda Adams</b>
Publicity	<b>Grahame Law</b>
Bowls NZ Liaison	<b>Ken Hayward</b>
House Manager	<b>Alice Spicer</b>
Health & Safety	<b>Kathy Field</b>
Signage Advertising	<b>Trevor Turnbull</b>
Handbook Advertising	<b>Margaret Griffin</b>
Raffles	<b>Margaret Wilson</b>
Handbook & Newsletter	<b>Ken Hayward</b>
Gala Sponsorship	<b>Margaret Griffin</b>
Legal Adviser	<b>Doug Rowan</b>
Webmaster	<b>Stuart Fieldes</b>

## **Rules with Jules**

### **Rule 40 Skips Duties** **40.1.10**

*Skips can at any time delegate their own powers and any of their duties (except those of Law 40.1.7) to any other members of the team so long as they tell the opposing skip immediately.*

### **40.1.7**

*The skip MUST be responsible for the card.*

### **Appendix A 4 Restricting the movement of players during play**

#### **A 4.1.1.1**

*... a Singles player can walk up to the head after delivery of their third and fourth bowls.*

#### **But**

**A 4.2** *In exceptional and limited circumstances, a Singles player can ask the marker for permission to walk up to the head...*

(This makes sense as in all team games the player has someone on the head to advise them of the situation of the head.)

## **Pennants 2021-22**

**The second round of games is on Tuesday 23 November. Play begins at 10 am. Teams for the second round will be published at least a week prior to that date.**

## **Club Champions**

### **Women's Triples**

**Irene Poletti (s), Ralda Adams & Chloe Eastham**

### **Women's Balloted Pairs**

**Bronwyn McMahon & Elisabeth Glinkovska**

### **Men's Balloted Pairs**

**Duncan Mann & Frank Cottis**

## **A Message from Ralda**

**A roster has been made up for help in the kitchen with club events. Club members please check to see when you are rostered on to help.**

## **Club Selectors**

**Women:** **Irene Poletti & Pat Segedin**

**Men:** **Ken Hayward & Neville Turnbull**

**Interclub & Pennants Coordinator** **Wendy Whitelaw**

## **Interclub Starting Dates**

**Women** **Saturday 20 November**

**Men & Div III** **Sunday 21 November**

**We have entered the following teams for Interclub:**

**Men** **Premier I** **1 team**  
**Premier II** **2 teams**

**Women** **Premier I** **1 team**  
**Premier II** **1 team**

**A/C Div III** **2 teams**

**Note: Play starts at 8.30 am each day.**

## ***And, More Rules with Jules!***

This month **Umpire Julie** hopes that the following guide to the Laws will help our less experience players sort out the differences between **Practice Ends** and **Trial Ends** which has caused some confusion recently.

**Practice Ends** These can take place if a player or team is due to meet a player or team that has already played on the same day.

### ***Law 4. Practice Ends***

- 4.1 If a player/team that has not yet played is due to meet a player/team that has already played on the same day, the player/team that has not yet played can practice as long as:
  - 4.1.1 The Controlling Body (CB) gives its approval.
  - 4.1.2 There is enough time without delaying the start of play.
  - 4.1.3 Another rink is available apart from that which the player/team has been drawn to play on later that day.
- 4.2 If a player/team has already played in the same green on the same day, that player/team can practice with Law 4.1 if they have a bye.
- 4.3 The CB must allocate the rink.
- 4.4 If two teams are entitled to practice they can practice together.

**Trial Ends** These take place before the start of play in a game but only once in a day.

### ***Law 5. Trial Ends***

- 5.1.1 Before the start of play in any game, or before continuing an unfinished game on another day, one trial end must be played in each direction.
- 5.1.2 For domestic play, the CB can limit the number of trial ends to be played.
- 5.1.3 Trial ends must be played on the same rink that the game will be played on.
- 5.1.4 Each player must use not more than the number of bowls being used for the game. If a player or Umpire notices that a player is using more than the permitted number of bowls, the defaulting player will lose the right to play any bowls remaining to be played in the trial ends.
- 5.1.5 Each player can use any combination of bowls taken from different sets of bowls.
- 5.1.6 The opponents of the team which started the first trial end must start the second trial end.
- 5.1.7 When each bowl comes to rest, any player or marker can remove it and place it towards the front of the ditch.
- 5.1.8 If a bowl moves the jack, the jack must be put back to its former position.

### ***Late News Update***

As a result of other commitments **Grahame Law** has resigned from the Executive. **Les Galloway** has agreed to take over the role of Vice President until the next AGM and **Bronwyn McMahon** has agreed to join the Executive on the same basis.

Many thanks **Grahame** for your contribution to the affairs of the club over a number of years.

The new entry doors have arrived and will be installed once a new electronic key pad is ready to install.

***Bowls Kapiti Coast is in the process of migrating its content to a new platform. The new address is***

***[www.sporty.co.nz/bowlskapiti](http://www.sporty.co.nz/bowlskapiti)***

***If you go to the old website you will be directed to the new site. It will take some time to complete the process.***

***The new e mail address is***

***[bowlskapticoast@gmail.com](mailto:bowlskapticoast@gmail.com)***

***The only phone contact now is***

***Pat Taylor on 021 187 6869***

### ***Greens Assessment***

Our centre recently decided to assess all the greens in the centre. As a result we had a recent visit from well-known Wellington green keeping guru **Howard Ivory**. He will report back to the centre and we will be informed of his verdict on the performance of our two greens eventually.

## Kapiti Coast v Wanganui - Sunday 10 October

Overall results:

**Women** Kapiti Coast 8 Wanganui 8 Kapiti Coast won on differential

Senior: Fours (Bronwyn's team) Won 1 lost 1

Development: Singles (Gloria) Won 1 Lost 1 Pairs (Valda) Won 1 Lost 1

Pairs (Janet) Won 2 Fours (Mary V) Won 1 lost 1

Kathy Field did a great job as the team manager. Well done to all our rep players.

**Men:** Wanganui 7 1/2 Kapiti Coast 4 1/2

*Information from Bronwyn - thanks*

### **The Life Members Gala**

The first gala sponsored by our Life Members - Ian, Margaret, Neville and Ken - was held on Wednesday 6 October. This replaced what was for many year's Margaret's 3-bowl Mixed Pairs gala. Margaret Griffin had sponsored this gala for many years in honour of her parents Selby and Jean Hammond. And, it was a result of Margaret's hard work that 32 pairs, largely from local clubs, filled both greens on the day. For many it was the first time on the cotula green for this season. Thanks to the hard work by Arne and his team and the use of scrims from Waitarere Beach the green played beautifully which augers well for the summer.

As usual **Rob Cotter** was a very efficient host and thanks to **Margaret Wilson** for organizing the raffles and **Ralda Adams** and **Garry Coley** for their work in the kitchen.

Results:

Cotula Green winners: **Bronwyn McMahon (s) & Graeme Mathie**

Dales green: **Grahame Law (s) & Bella Law**

Overall winners: **Bronwyn McMahon (s) & Graeme Mathie**



**The Winners**



### **Pennants Results Round 1- not a great start (Progress placings in brackets)**

**Men:** Division I Black 2 Losses (7<sup>th</sup>) Green 1 Win (6<sup>th</sup>)

Division II Black 2 wins (3<sup>rd</sup>) Green 2 losses (9<sup>th</sup>) White 2 losses (10<sup>th</sup>)

A/C Div III Black 1 Win (6<sup>th</sup>) Green 1 win (8<sup>th</sup>) White 2 Losses (11<sup>th</sup>)

**Women:** Division I Black 2 Losses (10<sup>th</sup>) Green 2 Wins (2<sup>nd</sup>)

Division II Black 1 Win (7<sup>th</sup>) Green 1 1/2 Wins (5<sup>th</sup>)

**Overall Result:** 9 1/2 Wins out of 24 games. Could do better! At least next round we will not be travelling to play our own teams.

**Ken Hayward - Editor**