



SNIPPETS

GLENDOWIE BOWLING CLUB

Open Triples

Tomorrow (or today by the time you read this! - Thursday 28th). Last one of the season!
It's probably too late, but maybe give Mike a call anyway - you never know...
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Winter Open Triples

No rest for the wicked - first one is 12 May then fortnightly thereafter:
26 May, 9 and 23 June, 7 and 21 July, 4 and 18 August.
NOTE: These dates replace all Handbook dates.

Easter Monday Progressive Triples - re-scheduled for this coming Sunday!

Partnered with the Remuera Club (previously CT Club), the Easter Monday tournament was postponed due to bad weather and illness.

Now playing this Sunday 1 May to coincide with the start of the Winter Season. Starts at 10.00.
There were a total of 36 players lined up for the Easter tournament, which meant playing on 6 rinks.
This can be increased to either 42 or 48, so if you couldn't make it over Easter, get your last-minute entry in to Murray for this fun event by Friday, 29 April. 021 0813 0110 / murraygrigor@gmail.com.

Club Championships

Mixed Pairs Final:



Winners - David Nightingale & Julie Gunthorp,
Runners-up - Peter Wagner and Jeanette MacDonald

Congrats to Julie on so quickly winning her first senior title!

2021/22 Club Champions can be found here: <https://glendowiebowls.org.nz/results/>

Bowls3Five Is coming to GBC!

A successful test-run was held last weekend. There will be some fine-tuning and then a second test-run which will be scheduled.

Bowls3Five presents an excellent (and fun) short-form bowls platform both for members and those interested in joining GBC who cannot participate in weekday or all-day weekend formats.

Watch this space...!

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Glendowie College



Towards the end of the school term, Murray once again collaborated with the Glendowie College PE department to organise a number of bowls sessions for students. As always it was very successful, due in no small way to the fantastic team of GBC volunteers who hosted the sessions. Dave Storrie Head of PE: "...the students really enjoyed the opportunity to have a try at Lawn bowls and we really appreciate the club providing that opportunity for us"

More here:

<https://glendowiebowls.org.nz/glendowie-college-at-gbc/>

AGM Heads-up

Sunday 12 June. Time to start considering standing for a role on the Exec Committee...?

Bar Volunteers

If you think you might be handy behind the bar from time to time, please contact Mike D. GBC will be introducing a few new bowling programs to widen our appeal to the local community and we'll need to open the bar a little more as part of that. This will help grow the club, so please consider helping out in this area.

Grab yourself a Rose bush - a message from Neville:

As you may know, I'm stepping down from gardening duties at GBC - but I have one final gardening-orientated task to perform! For a number of reasons it has been decided that our much-loved rose garden in the car-park area is no longer sustainable and sadly, after many years of hard graft by a number of dedicated volunteers, it has to go. So I'm informing all members that you can come and help yourself to rose bush or two - starting immediately. Just bring your favourite spade and some sturdy gloves (and whatever else you might deem fit for the task) and start digging!

We'll open this up to the local community within a couple of weeks - so it's first in, first served!

New Email Address - Events and Venue Hire

Lorraine Murray (Events Manager) - is now at events.glendowiebowls@gmail.com.

Please note this for future communications with Lorraine, and pass on to anyone who might be interested in a function, venue hire etc at GBC.

Sponsorship

GBC is revising its sponsorship structure and will be offering sponsors more comprehensive opportunities at the club. If you have a contact at a company that you think might be suitable for investing in a greater presence at the club, please contact John B (john.glendowiebowls@gmail.com / 0220857363).

And that's it! If there are any notable omissions, please reply to the email this came with.

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