



It's April Already!

The season is three quarters of the way through, and despite a number of weather challenges, we have found a number of club champions and are down to the last few in other events. Unfortunately we have had to cancel the Victory Cup and our much loved 1-8 Classic Fours due to the greens being affected by the extreme heat and the crazy wet weather.

2022/23 Winners to date —

Ladies Singles: Jo McKenna

Ladies Pairs: Jo McKenna (S) and Jenny Stockford (L)

Ladies Fours: Jo McKenna (S), Jenny Stockford (3), Leigh Anderson (2), Leigh Cutler (L)

Handicap Singles: Steve Campbell

Veterans Singles: Graham Edwards

Mixed Pairs: Harry Davis (S), Jenny Stockford (L)

Men's Pairs—Nick Thompson and Steve Hoeft

Men's Triples—Colin Williams, Harry Davis, Aiden Takarua

Anzac Day will see the final of the Men's Fours and the Women's Triples.

Good luck everyone!



HOW TO BE A WINNER OFF THE GREENS!



Membership Draw Winner—

Congratulations to the personable Peter Vegas, a recent winner! Come down on a Friday 7pm and who knows, you could be next!

Housie Winner—

Every Thursday night from 6:30pm with the lovely

Donna!

Anyone can win! Including President 'I never win' McKenna!

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International Success —



NZ PARA JACKS

Pirate Teri Blackbourn teamed up with fellow debutant Julie McConnell to win a silver medal in the Para-Womens Pairs at the recent Multi Nations International in Australia. As a result, both Teri and Julie have retained their spots in the NZ Parajack team and are heading back to the Gold Coast for the World Champs later this year. Good luck ladies!

TONGA

Steve Hoeft represented Tonga at the Oceanic Challenge played at Blockhouse Bay from the 14th-17th April. Steve came away with a Bronze medal in the Mens Triples, with team mates Ula Fusimalohi and Liam Hill.

NZ DEAF LAWN BOWLS TEAM

Adam Baillie has been selected for the NZ Deaf Lawn Bowls team and will compete in the 9th International Deaf Bowls Championships in Edinburgh Scotland 1st-14th September. Congratulations, enjoy and the best of skills!





Pirate Brag Board

SOMERSET NATIONALS—

Men's Singles— Quarter finals—Nick Thompson

Open Disability Pairs—Semi Finals—Teri Blackburn with team mate Darren Wolland

Mixed Pairs—Semis—Skye Renes and Shaun Goldsbury; Quarters— Nick Thompson and Jenny Stockford



AUCKLAND INTERCLUB —

Another great effort by our Pt Chevalier Pirates. Once again they were in the final of the Auckland Interclub 7's. The three-peat was not to be, with Auckland Bowling Club coming out the victors.



AUCKLAND CENTRE EVENTS—

Men's Pairs—2nd—Steve Hoefft/Nick Thompson; Semi-Finals —Chris Lowe/Jordan King,

Mens Fours—2nd—Aiden Takarua, Alex Reed, Colin Williams, Harry Davis

Womens Pairs—Semi-Finals—Jo McKenna, Jenny Stockford

Womens Triples—Semi Finals —Jo McKenna, Tessa Farley, Jenny Stockford



1-5 Year Fours—Semi Finals—Shaun Goldsbury, Skye Renes, Stephen Campbell and Hitesh Ranchhod

1-5 Year Pairs—Semi-Finals—Stephen Campbell (S), Jean-Claude Fuller (L)

1-5 Year Mens Singles—Finalist—Stephen Campbell (to be played)

1-5 Year Womens Singles—Finalist—Skye Renes

AUCKLAND REPS—

Auckland Mens Intercentre (Jordan King, Aiden Takarua, Nick Thompson), Auckland Premier Two (Tessa Farley, Adam Baillie (Reserve)), Auckland 1-5's (Jean-Claude Fuller, Stephen Campbell)





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NEWSLASH: Bragging rights go to Chur Bowls for winning the Bowls Auckland Social Bowls Finals!

TWILIGHT SOCIAL BOWLS3FIVE

Congratulations to our winners—The Natives—and our placegetters Chur Bowls (2nd) and Untouchabowls (3rd) - and everyone who competed in this year’s league. A lot of fun was had as well as a lot of great bowls played. If you are thinking of becoming a

