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The Birkenhead Bowling Club

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## On The Greens This Week & Bit Further

Wednesday 6 January— 10am Club Day (AC)  
Thursday 7 January - Entries close 5pm Men's Championship Pairs  
- Entries close 5pm Women's Championship Triples  
Friday 8 January — 1pm 2-4-2 (OACP)  
Saturday 9 January — 9am Men's Championship Pairs & Women's Championship Triples  
Sunday 10 January — 9am Men's Championship Pairs & Women's Championship Triples  
Wednesday 13 January — 10am Club Day (AC)  
Friday 15 January — 1pm 2-4-2 (OACP)

## Rain, Rain and More Rain

Not the greatest outcome for our last tournament of the year or our first. Both Stuie's Birthday on Christmas Eve and the Ryman Healthcare two day New Year Classic tournaments were both lost to the weather. Lets just hope that's it for rain effected tournaments as we head into the coming months with three major extended tournaments ahead.

## Charity Tournament - Waitangi Day

For many years on Waitangi Day Birkenhead Rotary in conjunction with Birkenhead Bowling club and sponsored by Birkenhead RSA, have raised funds in support of charities. We typically raise around the \$7,000 mark for the chosen charity.

This year it is in support of Neurological Research: Epilepsy, Motor Neuron, Stroke, Alzheimers, Parkinsons, Nervous Systems, Migraines, Multiple Sclerosis, Huntingtons, Brain Tumours.

## 8.30am Saturday 6 February (Waitangi Day)

Teams of fours, Any Combination, Mufti (many teams dress to a theme), a non-bowler in each team is encouraged (after all this is a fun day, raising money for a good cause) Loads of raffles, Auctions, Morning tea and lunch included, Team or Single Entry (\$15 per player)

For entry Phone: Club: 480-7493, Sandy: 480-1286 or 027 2006696,  
Email: eswartz@gmail.com

## Ryman Healthcare \$5,500 Men's Pairs

Following the success of the women's pairs and a little bit of "not to be out done by the women" the men embarked on putting together a similar tournament for the men and thanks to the kind donation from Tony Grantham, the "Champions Cup" to play for. As with the women's the men's first held February 2012 proved to be an over whelming success. Two days of highly complete bowls, great prize money, and fantastic food is just too much not to be part of. Now in it's fifth year, each year the field gets stronger. We are fortunate to have Ryman Healthcare as tournament partner for a third consecutive year.

Sunday 7 & Monday 8 February 2016  
\$5,500 total prize pool, \$1,500 for first, Entry \$160 per team  
Limited entries are now available from the club or at www.bowlsbirkenhead.co.nz.

Champions Cup Winners  
2012— Jamie Hill, Neville Hill (s)  
2013 — Tony Garelja, Vladimir Marsic (s),  
2014 — Jordan King, Danny Delany (s)  
2015 — Justin Goodwin, Tony Grantham (s)

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# Club Membership Draw

Drawn Wednesdays between 4.30pm - 5.30pm, and Fridays between 5.30 - 6.30pm. Members must be present at the draw to claim the prize. Happy hour Wednesdays 4.30pm - 5.30pm (note: no happy hour on open tournament Wednesdays)

# Friday Club Nights

Merv "The Swerve" spins the raffles from around 4.30 onwards  
 Happy hour 5 - 6pm.  
 Free Nibbles around 6pm  
 Club Membership draw between 5.30 - 6.30pm  
 Bring a friend along, they may enjoy it and join as a social member or a 1st year bowler!!  
**No Raffles or Nibbles Friday 8 January, both resume Friday 15 January**

# \$6,500 Women's Pairs

Two day \$6,500 Women's Pairs, Saturday 5 and Sunday 6 March 2016.  
 The season is rolling on and the 2016 Good Home Birkenhead Women's Pairs is just under two months away. With it's \$6,500 total prize pool and \$1,500 for first place this is a tournament not to be missed. Entry forms available from the club and www.bowlsbirkenhead.co.nz



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