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PRESIDENT'S CORNER: I would like to provide a brief update on



developments within our Club, with a promise of more detail in March. The PLBC Board met on the 16th of February and had a rather large agenda to work through. As you can imagine preparations are now underway for the new season. Our Club calendar will soon begin to take shape. Fundraising activities are being scheduled, including our very important annual garage sale (April 14), and renewal of our agreement with Thrifty's on the Smile Card Program. Maintenance activity is picking up with the installation of new soap dispensers, new locks on our gates, and plans for the cleaning of sheds, carpets, windows, etc. Before long the recruitment of new members will be underway and coaching plans for the novices will be developed and scheduled.

Board representatives will be attending the District SAGM at the Qualicum Beach Club on the 24th of March. Shortly after that, on the 7th of April, we will have our own SAGM.

Early in May we will also be scheduling a 2 hour workshop on the basics of life-saving first aid, CPR and the use of our AED (Defibrillator). Watch for more information on this in March.

Layered over top of all this is the work we have been doing to address the matter of our lease with the City of Parksville that is scheduled to expire later this year. We look forward to a positive outcome and will keep you informed of developments.

On a final note, Bowls BC will be conducting elections at their *AGM* in March for the following positions: Vice President (2 year term), Secretary (2 year term), Director of Administration (2 year term) and Director of Sport Development and Education (2 year term). Nominations can be forwarded to Harry Carruthers, Nominations Committee Chair at nominations@bowlsbc.com. You may use a nominations form found at <http://bowlsbc.com/nominations-form/>. If anyone is interested please contact me for more detail.

Lloyd Pelton, President

SOCIAL COMMITTEE: A Quadrathon is a contest comprising of 4 games - Cribbage, Darts, Putting (golf) and Jenga (disassembling) played in teams of two. We will have dinner to follow. There is only room for 48 contestants. The cost is \$11.00 - this includes the contest, dinner and cash prizes. If you are not among the first 48 to sign up you may still attend the dinner portion for \$10.00. (A few people have mentioned not knowing how to play crib...don't let this stop you signing up and if you want a lesson on the basics, contact Shelley).



Dinner will consist of Beef Dip/Salads/Dessert. If you have food sensitivities please contact me and we will do our best to accommodate.

Sign-up sheets are posted on the board at the club - we will be collecting the sign-up sheets on March 4th. If for some reason you cannot get to the club in the next week and would like to attend, please contact Joe or myself to be added to the list. Details of times will be sent out next week in the MMM. Looking forward to seeing and feeding you all!

Shelley - Social Committee

COACH'S CORNER: Bowls B.C. will probably be conducting a club coach's



course in the early spring. If there any club members who may be interested in becoming a Club Coach, please contact me for additional details at patandgwen@telus.net or phone 250 951 0670. Thank you. Pat Kelly.

UMPIRE'S CORNER: 2nd reminder: A Level 1 Umpire Certification Course will



be held Wednesday, May 16 at the Nanaimo lawn bowling club. Anyone who is interested in obtaining umpire certification can contact me. Our club and the district are both in need of more umpires.

Keith Baker

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