



Monday, July 17, 2017

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GAMES INFO: A reminder that the sign-up sheet is up for the Fun & Food night for July 24th - fried chicken, potato salad or cole slaw , dessert , tea and coffee . The game is Two Jacks, just to make our lives interesting. Also, the club pairs tournament is on July 26th and 27th. Many men are going to be disappointed as we are desperately seeking more of our ladies to sign up for this event. Having players on the waiting list is always appreciated by your games committee to make our lives more comfortable. Both sign-up sheets are up until this Friday so please sign up if you haven't yet.

Ken Bucyk, games committee director

KITCHEN NEWS: To all those enthusiastic kitchen volunteers, please take note of a new sign-up sheet posted for the Open Men's & Women's Triples Tournament on Saturday, July 22nd & Sunday, July 23rd. We are also looking for volunteers to BBQ and one to sell meal tickets. The lunch menu is Hamburgers \$5.00 and Hotdogs \$4.00 along with a small bag of Lay's Chips. There will be fried onions and other condiments as well. We will serve lunch from 11:00 am to 2:00 pm.



In addition to above event, there will be a dinner served after the Club Mixed Pairs Tournament on July 27th. The menu, cost per person and a sign-up sheet for the

dinner (maximum 80 people) will go up this week. If you do sign up, we request that you pay in advance. This is your commitment to attend. If you sign up and do not come and do not cancel, we will have to charge you for the cost of the meal.

* A kitchen volunteer sign-up sheet will be posted this week

Linda Kummer (Social Director)

CLUB CLOTHING: I will be putting one last order in for shirts, jackets and ball caps. Sheets will go up on Monday, July 10, and will come down on July 17. Any questions please call Sandi Mitchell or email at sandramitchell1263@gmail.com.

UMPIRE'S CORNER: Moving on towards all the ways in which a bowl or the jack might be displaced or deflected from their natural course. First, two easily remedied instances which occur quite often on indoor rinks but are also known on grass.



Two bowls played in opposite directions on adjacent rinks actually hit each other while both are still in motion. Both bowls must be stopped before they damage the head; they are then returned to the player who bowled them, to be

replayed. No penalty is incurred.

A different situation arises if a bowl crosses into an adjacent rink and appears likely to hit a stationary bowl in the neighboring game. Preventative action is the responsibility of the player (or the Marker in singles) who is standing in the threatened head. If the errant bowl is travelling on its correct bias and could possibly return to its rightful rink, the stationary bowl should be lifted carefully to allow the travelling bowl to continue on its course. The stationary bowl should then be replaced in its original position.

If the bowl is travelling on the wrong bias it must be stopped before it disturbs the existing head. It is then declared dead.

Although the prime responsibility for the remedial actions described above is with the player standing in the threatened head, it is better that the nearest player takes action as dealing with the problems arising from an errant bowl disturbing an adjacent head can be very complex.

Geoff Woollatt

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