

## **End of August 2024 update**

If you have not been over to the club, check it out – the shed is now painted and looks great.

Many thanks to Deb Murray Prosser in getting the project to paint the shed to an end and her crew who came out to paint - Lynn B, Lyn C, Lorie, Nellie, Ross and I

And thanks to Dave who rebuilt our water station by the equipment shed. I know the greenskeeping crew will appreciate.

I would also like to congratulate David Reid on his completion of the two-day National Coaching Certification Program (NCCP), OLBA Club Coach course put on by Bowls Canada at the Chesley Lawn Bowling Club. It is a great course and we had a lot of fun.

David - wear your OLBA Coaches pin proudly as this is a start of a process to build your coaching skills. I look forward to working with you in the coming years at the club.

## **September is just around the corner –**

The Club will be **open on Monday Sept 2nd (Labour Day)** for bowling at our usual 10am start! Join us by 9:45am so we can select teams & set up the rinks needed.

**As of Tuesday Sept 2nd, evening bowling on Tuesdays & Thursdays will start at 6:30pm. Please arrive by 6:15pm** so we can choose teams and set up to start at 6:30pm.

**New – gift certificate raffle tickets available** Marie & Sherry did a great job collecting gift certificates this spring and we have not used them all up. There is a list of gift certificates and value at the club. You can purchase a raffle ticket \$2 for a specific issuer. We will pick the winners for the various gift certificates at the fall meeting. The gift certificates are for \$10, \$25, \$50 and even \$100.

Also we are doing a raffle \$2 for a Reinhart Cider sample bag weekly in September you can purchase at the club.

We have the **New Wave Ladies Probus coming out September 11<sup>th</sup> at 2pm**; they had so much fun last year they are back. If you can assist – we need about 6 members to come out, it is for a couple of hours. please and let me know.

**Our end of season members meeting and Pot Luck will be Friday October 4th at Huron Meadows.** Please let us know you are coming, if you are bringing a guest & what you are bringing **by Friday September 27th.**

**The fall green's shut down is tentatively set for Friday Sept 27<sup>th</sup> and we will verticut on Thursday Sept 26th.** These dates may shift later depending on the weather and the schedule of the company that has been hired to do the work. **Yes, we have hired a company to aerate and spread the sand** which has the added benefit of

extending our season. **We will still need volunteers to assist with removing the plugs from the green** - let us know if you are available to assist.

Date to be determined in October – we will do the final club shut down i.e. stack picnic tables and benches.

See you on the green!