

## Newsletter 2nd September 2024



**Special  
Olympics**  
Rotorua

### Term 3 & 4 Sports



**BASKETBALL:** Saturdays 9am – 10am at Lynmore Primary School gym, Iles Rd.  
NB in Term 4 Basketball will change venue – yet to be decided where and when.



**BOCCE and/or INDOOR BOWLS** Wednesdays 5pm – 6.15pm at WHHS, Old Quarry Rd. In the hall or Te Maru classrooms.



**SOCCER/FOOTBALL:** Tuesdays 6pm – 7pm at Lynmore Primary gym; outside on field in Term 4



**SWIMMING:** Mondays - competent swimmers only – 5.30pm – 6.30pm in the deep indoor pool, Aquatic Centre, Tarewa Rd.



**TEN PIN BOWLING:** Two sessions. Saturdays at Strike Zone, Motion Entertainment, Te Ngae Rd.  
**The first session at 9.30am** plays as an official league so teams are the same each week. At the **second session at 10.15am**, teams may vary each week depending on who comes. New athletes are asked to attend the second session. Games are subsidised by Special Olympics Rotorua; athletes pay the rest. **9.30am** play two games. **\$100 per term (\$10 for 2 games).** Finishes by 10.30am. **10.15am** play one game. Usually finishes by 11am. **\$50 per term (\$5 per game).** We prefer payment via Direct deposit or Internet banking to Special Olympics Rotorua, ANZ account 06 – 0996 - 0153831 – 01 For our ref: Please put the athletes name and Tenpin. NB This is also the bank account for tournament fees.

### Last day of each sport in Term 3; Start date for Term 4

NB Tenpin sessions at Strike Zone will finish early because of the tournament on the 21<sup>st</sup> Sept.

**Tenpin** last day 14 Sept; restart 19 Oct **Basketball** last day 21 Sept; restart depends on new venue & day


**Swimming** last day 23 Sept; restart 14 Oct **Soccer** last day 24 Sept; restart 15 Oct

**Indoor Bowls/Bocce** last day 25 Sept; restart 16 Oct (NB **No sport on Labour weekend 26 – 28 Oct**)

### Lynmore School Gym Closure

The gym will be unavailable in Term 4 and Term 1 next year while the roof is being replaced. Soccer will be outside after the October school holidays. New basketball venue still to be found.

### Bunnings BBQs – 10<sup>th</sup> Nov & 8<sup>th</sup> Dec

 We will need volunteers to help cook etc and customers to buy the sausages and drinks. Contact Kylie 027 430 4084

### Save the date - 30 November

There will be two events on the day, the **Amazing Race** at 10.30am in the Redwoods run by the Halberg Foundation and Parafed (see the poster at <https://parafedbop.co.nz>) and our **End of Year Prizegiving**, 2pm at Lynmore School. Details to come next term.



Please return last year's trophies soon, before November.

### Christchurch NSG 10 – 14 Dec 2025

We are still in the early stages of planning so have not made a decision yet on who will be going. Follow the link on our website to the NSG 2025 website to see photos of the venues. There will be an **NSG planning meeting for our coaches and committee at 6pm, Wednesday 30 Oct** so there will be no indoor bowls and bocce that day.

### 2024 Tournaments – only 4 more to go

21 & 22 September Football in Hawkes Bay (T2)

21 Sept **Tenpin** in Tauranga;

12 Oct **Indoor Bowls** in Tauranga

19 & 20 Oct **Swimming** in Te Awamutu (T2)

(NB No swimming session on 21 Oct)

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