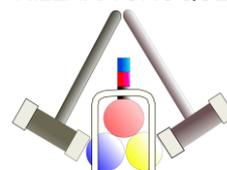


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ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING.

The date for our AGM, a little later than last year, has been chosen very carefully so as to avoid asking you to come to the Club on a day when the surrounding streets are full of cars transporting hordes of Miniroos to Regimental Park. Their season is about to finish so it should be easy for you to find a park close to the Clubhouse when you come to the AGM which will begin at 12noon on 31st August and is followed by a the first General Meeting of the 2019-2020 year. (If you plan to play in the morning, don't forget the games will start at 9.00am).

As usual the Catering Committee will be providing lovely nibbles and drinks (for a very small charge) to help you through the meetings. So they know how many people to cater for, please put your name on the Attendance List. If you can't get to the Club you can email your intention (either to attend or to give your apology) to me (susanhowland7@gmail.com) or phone or text me (0419 986 302).

There are still some positions for which there are either no nominees, or for which more nominees are required for a committee to run effectively. There's still time to nominate either yourself or another member for a particular position (but make sure the person you nominate is willing to take on the role)

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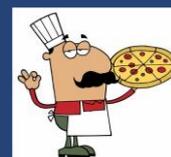
Alison and Charlie Sharpe have returned from two months abroad during which they played in the World GC Championships. Charlie, finished 2nd in his Block, and reached the final 16 in the Under 21 Championship.

Liz Montague and Alison have been selected in the NSW team to play in the Interstate Shield. Alison will captain the team and Peter Montague is the Manager. You can follow the team's progress on www.croquetscores.com (It's a very simple process to register yourself to access this wonderful tool and very easy to find your way around it) .

DIARY DATES

AGM
SATURDAY 31st AUGUST
12 noon.
followed by a
GENERAL MEETING

THE NEXT SOCIAL NIGHT
on
FRIDAY 6th SEPTEMBER



Will feature pizza and a
'surprise'

BYO drinks and nibbles will begin at 6.00pm (Don't forget your plate of goodies.)

PUT YOUR NAME ON THE
ATTENDANCE LIST OR LET
CAROLYN BENISCH KNOW YOU'LL
BE THERE

COMPLETE YOUR CLUB
COMPETITION GAMES AS
SOON AS YOU CAN

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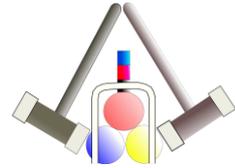
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Mary Lambert and Margaret Craig played in the Port Macquarie CC Association Tournament. Mary won the Block in which she played.

In the Northside Friendlies Competition Killara's team won its recent match against Warawee, winning three of the four games. The next Round will be played at Killara against the team from Epping. Killara will be the host club for the end-of-competition Luncheon on Friday 18th October.

During September Greg Deakin will be captaining the Epstars in the CNSW Gateball Championships (being held in Taree) where the team will defend the title it won in 2018.

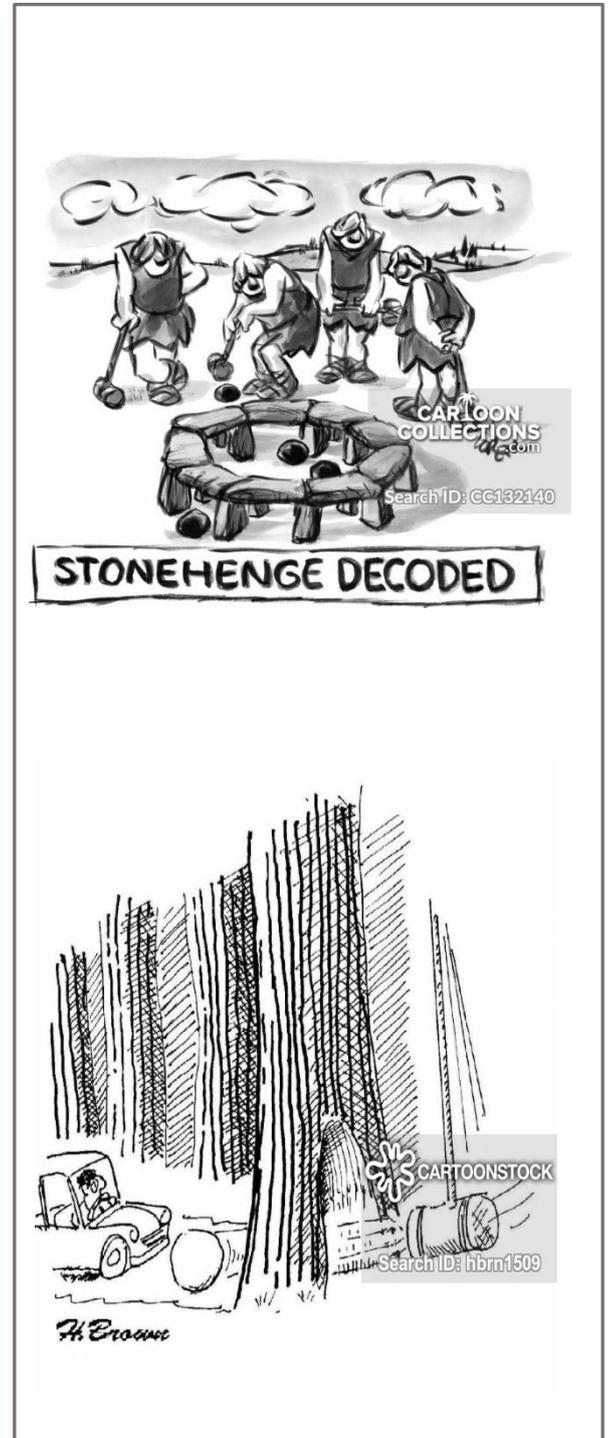
Meanwhile, our own AC Handicap Doubles Tournament is almost complete. The partnership of Ron Buist and Geoff Hunter has won two games, as have David Rush and Peter Rienits. However, Ron and Geoff have one game in hand and must be ranked as favourites at this stage.

Remember that all games in club competitions must be completed by 1st November – and that is only 10 weeks away.

CNSW AC CHAMPION OF CLUB CHAMPIONS TOURNAMENT

We hosted this event last weekend and were treated to some wonderful croquet. With one exception, all the players have handicaps of either -1, -1^{1/2}, or -2 and have world rankings ranging from 29 to 135.

The photographs show some of them in action but cannot capture just how marvellous it is to see them play – and what a relief it is to see that despite their brilliance, they too can make mistakes.



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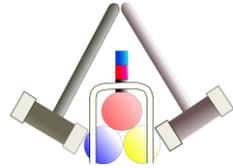
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We couldn't have held an event such as this without having two very well-prepared lawns, and for that we owe thanks to the members who've worked, on their hands and knees, on the two weeding days we've had this year, and to the team from Ku-Ring-Gai Council who keep our lawns fit for champions.



Stephen Richards (Canberra)



*Winner, Jim Nicholls (Wagga Wagga) with
Runner up, Alan Walsh (Cammeray)*



Alan Honey (Queanbeyan)

*Check out the
follow
through*

*Check out the
heads down*



Rosie Landrebe (Cooks River)



*What are Rosie and Steve
talking about?*



Steve Marton (Chatswood)

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