

# LION FOUNDATION

## 2010 NATIONAL INDOOR BOWLS CHAMPIONSHIPS

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### **ANNOUNCEMENT OF NORTH ISLAND AND SOUTH ISLAND INDOOR BOWLS TEAMS** (Taupo)

Six new caps have been named in South Island Indoor Bowls team and one in the North Island team that have been announced at the Lion Foundation National Indoor Bowls Championships to compete in the annual Inter-Island match for the Kevin Eddy Memorial Trophy at Pukekohe on August 14.

The South Island tours the North Island this year. The South's new caps are Rob Osborne, Chris Moffitt, Bev Diamond Canterbury, Darryn Turner, Southland, Adrienne Caswell, South Canterbury and Jean McKenzie, Nelson while Manawatu's Tim Veale makes the North Island team for the first time.

Osborne comes into the South team after winning the pairs in 2009 and being a member of the successful Canterbury Welch Trophy team while Moffitt was a member of the champion triples last year and was also runner-up in the fours.

Veale won the pairs in 2008 was third equal in the pairs in 2009.

Two players Hayden Warnes, Nelson and Suzanne Mackie, Southland have been recalled to the South Island team. Hayden Warnes has four national titles to his credit and was in the champion triples last year and the fours runner-up team. Mackie has represented the South Island seven times previously and is a very consistent bowler.

The teams have been reshuffled to allow the return of the New Zealand representatives who were not eligible to be selected last year because of the Trans-Tasman Test against

Australia. Those returning from the New Zealand team to the North Island team are Grant Rayner, North Wellington who will captain the North, Grant Harvey, Taranaki, Lyn Brittain, Northland, Carol Wright, Auckland, Linda McCurdy and Maureen Pruden, Waikato while Sandra Keith, Ashburton comes back into the South Island team.

Two players who were unavailable for selection last year have been recalled to the North Island. They are John Zittersteijn, North Taranaki who was a reserve for the New Zealand team and Richard Caddy, Waikato. Both are well performed players.

Those to retain their places in the North Island team are Brent Biggar, North Wellington, Paul Wright, Auckland, Robbie Lochrie, Manawatu, Mike Phipps, Taranaki, Paul Smith, Gina Owen, Fiona Wilson, Tauranga, Sue Fleming, Hawkes Bay, Elizabeth Morrow, North Taranaki, Lisa White, Sheree Holmes, Upper Hutt Valley while Mike King who will captain the South Island, Ann Graham, Jenny White, Ashley Diamond, Blair Spicer, Canterbury, Carolyn Cooper, South Canterbury, Christine Shand, South Canterbury, Michael Lawson, Rosemary Bennett, Ashburton, Daniel French, Otago, Nigel Warnes, Nelson,

The reserves for the North Island team are Rodney Mills, Auckland and Joseph Zino, Hutt Valley and Lois Randall, Hutt Valley and Teri Anderson, Auckland and for the South Rhonda Milne and Caroline Braithwaite, Southland and Derek Cooper, South Canterbury and Russell Ellis, Ashburton.

The South Island commences a tour of the North Island on Friday 6 August with nine tour matches against Taranaki at Hawera, North Taranaki at New Plymouth, Central King Country and King Country combined at Otorohanga, Waikato at Hamilton, Thames Valley and Tauranga combined at Tauranga, Counties and Roskill and Districts combined at Roskill, Auckland at Auckland, North Harbour at North Shore and Northland at Whangarei. The tour culminates with the North versus South match at Pukekohe.

North Island:

Women: Singles: Gina Owen, Tauranga;

Pairs: Fiona Wilson, Tauranga, Lisa White, Upper Hutt Valley;

Triples: Sue Fleming, Hawkes Bay, Elizabeth Morrow, North Taranaki, Sheree Holmes, Upper Hutt Valley;

Fours: Lyn Brittain, Northland, Linda McCurdy, Waikato, Carol Wright, Auckland, Maureen Pruden, Waikato.

Reserves: Lois Randall, Hutt Valley, Teri Anderson, Auckland.

Men: Singles: Brent Biggar, North Wellington;

Pairs: Grant Rayner, North Wellington (Captain), Richard Caddy, Waikato;

Triples: Grant Harvey, Taranaki, Paul Wright, Auckland, Paul Smith, Tauranga;

Fours: John Zittersteijn, North Taranaki, Robbie Lochrie, Manawatu, Mike Phipps, Taranaki, Tim Veale, Manawatu.

Reserves: Rodney Mills, Auckland, Joseph Zino, Hutt Valley.

Team Manager: Delwyn Hughes, Bay of Plenty.

South Island:

Women: Singles: Ann Graham, Canterbury;

Pairs: Carolyn Cooper, South Canterbury, Suzanne Mackie, Southland;

Triples: Sandra Keith, Ashburton, Christine Shand, South Canterbury, Bev Diamond, Canterbury;

Fours: Rosemary Bennett, Ashburton, Adrienne Caswell, South Canterbury, Jean McKenzie, Nelson, Jenny White, Canterbury.

Reserves: Rhonda Milne, Caroline Braithwaite, Southland.

Men: Singles: Ashley Diamond, Canterbury;

Pairs: Blair Spicer, Canterbury, Rob Osborne, Canterbury;

Triples: Michael Lawson, Ashburton, Daniel French, Otago, Chris Moffitt, Canterbury;

Fours: Nigel Warnes, Nelson, Hayden Warnes, Nelson, Mike King, Canterbury, Darryn Turner, Southland.

Reserves: Derek Cooper, South Canterbury, Russell Ellis, Ashburton.

Team Manager: David Edgar, South Otago.