

## **EMPIRE TABLE TENNIS CLUB: FRIDAY NIGHT CLUB NEWSLETTER APRIL 2014**

### **Friday Night Club**

It has been good to see some of you playing table tennis in the first term. We start **Term 2 on Friday 9<sup>th</sup> May** and are hopefully looking forward to seeing some more of you back at club now the summer sport activities have finished. Please tell your friends about table tennis and encourage them to come along and join in.

### **Fundraising**

We are currently running a raffle – thanks to all those who have supported this to date by buying tickets – much appreciated.

### **Competitions**

Also coming up very soon are:

- 1. Autumn Open.** This has junior events on the Sunday for those keen to get in some practice. Details are on the TTW blog <http://ttwblog.wordpress.com/2014/04/15/2014-ttsports-ttw-autumn-open-may-3-4> You can see there are some age group events which could well be suitable for entering. Please don't hesitate to ask for more information.
- 2. Winter Interclub** – if you are interested or even thinking of playing Interclub it would be great if you could let us know about this. Ideally players need to be Grade 8 and above. Teams will be 3 players, although how they will be made up is unknown as yet. It is likely that adults and juniors will be playing together in the grades you will be playing in.

### **Volunteers**

Sorry we can't finish without this reminder that Pep still needs some extra help to assist with running the sessions, looking after the shop and general "keeping an eye out" duties. We have a small band of great helpers which is great but to take the pressure off everyone we need more!

The dates for Term 2 are as follows:

09 May, 16 May, 23 May, 30 May, 06 Jun, 13 Jun, 20 Jun, 27 Jun, 04 Jul

Let Pep know by emailing [pepoconnor@gmail.com](mailto:pepoconnor@gmail.com) as to when you might be available so a roster can be organised – preferably for the whole term, rather than week by week!

The Empire Club calendar can be viewed to see if a volunteer is needed for a particular night.

<http://www.empirett.org.nz/calendar.html>

As this is still in your holidays please reply to this email or ring Maggie 5899 140 (home) or 5704 820 (work) if you can help us out, would like to play interclub or if you have any other questions / comments.

Enjoy your holiday

Pep, John, Martin, Maggie and everyone else involved with Junior Table Tennis!