

# LION FOUNDATION

## 2010 NATIONAL INDOOR BOWLS CHAMPIONSHIPS

(Taupo)

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Media Release

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The Northern Zone Academy Indoor Bowls Team won the annual inter-zone Academy Event and the Sam Henderson Memorial Trophy at the Taupo Events Centre, Taupo on Tuesday evening.

The event was held in conjunction with the annual Masters event which was also won by the Northern Zone and the Delwyn Hughes Trophy.

The Southern Zone teams included the South Island plus the Greater Wellington districts.

In the Academy event the Northern Zone got away to the best start and led 13-3 after the first round. The Northern Zone continued its good form in the second round by winning six games to the Southern's two to lead 25-7 and then halved the final round to win 33-15.

The Northern Zone's win was spearheaded by men's pair of Tim Veale, Manawatu and Gerrad MacInnes, Waikato who had three wins and the men's triple of Kerrin Fremlin, Auckland, Jason Parker, Counties and Kyle Peters, North Harbour who had a draw and then two wins.

In the Masters event the competition was close in the first round with the Northern Zone having a narrow 9-7 lead. In the second round the Northern Zone started to

dominate by winning six games to the Southern's two and in the final round they won seven out of the eight games to win the Delwyn Hughes Trophy .35-13.

The outstanding performances for the Northern Masters team were provided by the women's triple of Judy Johnston, Northland, Raye McCurdy, Thames Valley and Carol Baker, Waikato as well as the men's singles of Ian Malcolm, Counties and the men's pair of Owen Baker, Waikato and Barry Hamilton, Counties who won all of their games. The Southern's best performance was by the women's pair of Rhonda Middleton, Nelson and Elaine Williams, South Canterbury who were unbeaten.

### **Results: Academy Match**

**Final: Northern 33, Southern 15**

**Round 1: Northern 13, Southern 3;**

**Round 2: Northern 12, Southern 4;**

**Round 3: Northern 8, Southern 8.**

Northern Zone Team names first:

**Women:** Singles: Gayleen West (North Harbour) beat Fiona Anderson (North Wellington) 10-9, 2-21, 13-12;

Pairs: Karen Cuming (Bush Ruahine), Lynette Phillips (Manawatu) beat Lisa Gould (Upper Hutt Valley), Rachael Hoult (Upper Hutt Valley) 3-8, 12-1, 12-1, 7-4;

Triples: Sharon Peters (North Harbour), Debbie Reed (Tauranga), Julie Logan (Waikato) beat Helen Burnley (Hutt Valley), Christine Talbot (Ashburton), Belinda Peard (Southland) 10-7, 20-3, 4-13;

Fours: Kathy Webb (Bay of Plenty), Jenny Stockford (Auckland), Keri Te Tamaki (Waikato), Lorraine Phipps (Taranaki) lost Marie-Therese Hooper (Canterbury), Denise Clarkson (Hutt Valley), Jessie Moffat (North Wellington), Bev Diamond (Canterbury) 7-6, 4-12, 4-6;

**Men:** Singles: Gheorghe Sirbu (Waikato) beat Joseph Zino (Hutt Valley) 14-8, 13-7, 9-10;

Pairs: Tim Veale (Manawatu), Gerrad MacInnes (Waikato) beat Reece Wickenden (North Wellington), Graham Stronach (North Wellington) 11-10, 11-4, 8-6;

Triples: Kerrin Fremlin (Auckland), Jason Parker (Counties), Kyle Peters (North Harbour) beat Chris McAdam (Upper Hutt Valley), Avon Compton (North Wellington), Darryn Turner (Southland) 6-6, 11-7, 7-6;

Fours: Grant l'Ami (Taranaki), Paul Midgley (Taranaki), Shaun Blackburn (Waikato), Alex Reed (Tauranga) beat Ross Garner (Otago), Richard Corry (Hutt Valley), Chris Moffitt (Canterbury), Mathew Bassett (Ashburton) 6-5, 11-5, 5-6.

### **Results Masters Match**

**Final: Northern 35, Southern 13**

**Round 1: Northern 9, Southern 7;**

**Round 2: Northern 12, Southern 4;**

**Round 3: Northern 14, Southern 2.**

Northern Zone Team names first

**Women:** Singles: Kia Ward (Northland) beat Audrey Martin (Canterbury) 8-9, 12-6, 9-8;

Pairs: Caroll Smyth (Roskill and Districts), Margaret Grant (Manawatu) lost Rhonda Middleton (Nelson), Elaine Williams (South Canterbury) 8-10, 5-8, 7-10;

Triples: Judy Johnston (Northland), Raye McCurdy (Thames Valley), Carol Baker (Waikato) beat Rosemary Bennett (Ashburton), Evelyn Duffield (South Canterbury), Noeline Brough (Ashburton) 10-6, 14-5, 9-5;

Fours: Margaret Fisk (Manawatu), Gwyneth Steed (Waikato), Mary Wakefield (Auckland), Gwyn Bettridge (Waikato) drew Kathleen Curtis (Canterbury), Rae

Inglis (Golden Bay-Motueka), Joyce Jones (South Canterbury), Betty Barltrop (Canterbury) 6-6, 2-17, 7-1;

**Men:** Singles: Ian Malcolm (Counties) beat Brian Stewart (Canterbury) 9-7, 16-9, 12-7;

Pairs: Owen Baker (Waikato), Barry Hamilton (Counties) beat Ron Inglis (Golden Bay-Motueka), John Zino (Hutt Valley) 7-4, 8-7, 10-4;

Triples: Graham Mambery (Waikato), Lindsay Willis (North Taranaki), Henry Pratt, Tauranga) beat Ian Crighton (Upper Hutt Valley), Stewart Stratford (Southland), James Stewart (Ashburton) 8-8, 8-4, 16-6;

Fours: Arthur Bettridge (Waikato), Roger Stewart (Waikato), Stephen Mills (North Harbour), Bernard Bennett (Tauranga) beat Lloyd Bellis (Nelson), Bevan Matthews (Canterbury), Neville Brough (Ashburton), John Grey (Canterbury) 4-4, 14-2, 15-3.