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Bocce News By Patricia Bruno



New Kids on the Block--First Place Photo by Conway Chan



Game of Throws--Second Place Photo by Conway Chan

Beginner's Tournament We had close to 30 participants in our first ever Beginner's Tournament, held on March 4th. Congratulations to all our newest bocce players that came out and enjoyed their first taste of tournament bocce. Here are the final results. **First Place: New Kids On the Block:** Sue Daughtrey, Peter duFosse, George Paris, Helen Paris, Shel Schumaker, Patti Smith, Barbara Tommaney, Judy Wessler, Captain Barbara Orlando.

Second Place: Game Of Throws: Mary Casper, Pat Duplan, Alverta Goode, Sheila Ryckewaert, Fran Schumaker, Terry Slack, and Captain Tony Orlando.

Thank you to our planning committee: Chair Barbara Orlando, Jeanne-Anne Whitacre, Kerry Besmehn, Al Bruno, Lo Rube and Tournament Director Tony Orlando. Kudos to our wonderful volunteers who helped the tournament run smoothly: Fran Pulis, Linda Planting, Bocce Club president Marion Logie, Joe Pulis, Court Manager Paul Andersen, Conway Chan, Vivian Wilczak, and Dave and Evonne Cook. Many thanks to our referees: Susan & Michael Sunzeri. Recognition will take place in November at the Awards Dinner.

Pre-Spring Mixer Clinic Our monthly clinics are hosted by Ken and Jean Brady on the 3rd Wednesday of the every month at 3 pm to 4:30 pm at the bocce courts. Sign up sheets are available in the bocce court cabinet if you are interested in joining this informative clinic.

Bocce Bash A reminder that our 2018 Bash season has already started. We will be out there having a good time every Friday, from 3 to 5 pm. Bring your own beverage and a snack to share and join in on the fun. All are welcome. Come on down and have some afternoon fun and friendship.