BOCCE NEWS

By Barbara Orlando



On the player bench waiting their turn are Margaret Richardson, Marcy Boyles Bill Masching and Jeanne-Anne Whitacre. More photos on our website.

Boot Camp is today!!! From 2 to 3 p.m. instructors will be at the bocce courts to help introduce you to the game of bocce. You don't have to be a member to attend or if you haven't played in a while or a new member please plan on attending. All you need is the desire to have fun and learn how to play. Following Boot Camp, you're invited to stay and continue playing at the **Friday Bash** from 3 to 5 p.m. Please join us and meet some new friends and enjoy the rest of the afternoon.

The Spring Mixer has just completed their final week of play. Next week on Monday & Tuesday the playoffs games begin, with the Championship game on Wednesday. Join us at the courts to cheer on your favorite team. Times for the playoffs and Championship games will be posted at the courts and on the website. Up to date information and which team prevailed and took it all the way to victory are always available at www.villagesbocce.com.

The Spring Round Robin begins on May 6th and we have 24 teams hopeful to be number one in their individual leagues.

What's all the buzz about??? The "Boccivolo" (Flying Balls) <u>Saturday only</u> Tournament!!! The deadline for signing up for this tournament is May 10th and begins on May 25th thru July 9th. For members who work during the week, this is the perfect tournament for you and if you just love playing you can also sign up. It promises to be fun and after the Championship game on July 9th, players will have a Potluck Luncheon at Vineyard Center. Awards will be given out at the November 2nd Awards Dinner. Sign up on the website or at the cabinet at the bocce courts. Questions contact Barbara at orlmuh2@comcast.net. Let the balls fly!!!

On Saturday, May 18th, from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m., the annual **BBQ/Bocce day** will take place at the Gazebo. Check out the adjacent ad for more information on how to reserve your spot.

Note: The Bocce Courts will be **closed** for tree trimming on Thursday, April 25th.