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BOCCE NEWS

By Barbara Orlando



Bocce BBQ Volunteers: Just some of the many volunteers that made the day great. Left to right is Betty Lanctot, Jeanne-Anne Whitacre, Bill Masching, Pat Duplan, Pam Thurber, Joe Spada, Paul Andersen & Kerry Besmehn.

The Weather?? I don't usually talk about it, but these past few weeks have been pretty wet, although most welcome by the grass, plants, trees and of course the ducks. Trying to play outdoor sports for the most part is easy, but rain definitely keeps one inside. Most took it in good humor and played when they could. Thank you to the Round Robin Captains, players and referees for being flexible and rescheduling their time to make up games.

Our club BBQ went on as planned and the weather, though somewhat cool, was dry. The rain held off until everyone had been served and had eaten. Thank you to all who attended and to our BBQ committee, which consisted of these dedicated volunteers: Kerry Besmehn, Loanne Rube, Jeanne-Anne Whitacre, Gail Leslie and Barbara Orlando. Thank you, ladies, for all your hard work in organizing the day and to all the volunteers who assisted at the picnic. Also, thank you to Sandy & Gloria Fernandez for

the wonderful music. Go directly to our website to check out photos from the BBQ on our club's website by clicking <http://www.villagesbocceclub.com/?evira=2019-bocce-picnic> .

Guys vs Gals Tournament: If your team hasn't signed up a their time slot, please do so ASAP online or contact Tony at tonyorlando49@yahoo.com.

Tip from the courts: Bocce balls are not allowed to be taken off the courts during play. Balls are then put away in their bags before removing from the courts. Look in the cabinet at the courts, for the bocce ball that had been dropped on the concrete. **OUCH\$\$\$\$\$!!!**