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VILLAGE CHALLENGE 1ST PLACE—VILLAGE CRIBARI



VILLAGE CHALLENGE 2ND PLACE—VILLAGE OLIVAS

Congratulations to this year's Village Challenge winner Village Cribari, led by Captain Jeanne-Anne Whitacre, team members Robert Bianchi, Carm Grande, Patrick McMordie, Barbara Orlando, Karen Carlson and Margaret Richardson. 2nd Place winner is Village Olivas, led by Captain Bud Meacham, team members Joe Civello, George Paris, Roger King, Claudia Bullington, Jana King, N/P Co-Capt. Jean Corrigan, Helen Paris and David Rollo. All 12 Villages were represented this year and worked hard in hopes of capturing the 1st place title and have their Villages photo displayed all year long on the Sports Wall in the Bistro.

The day wouldn't have been possible without our Tournament Coordinator, Marion Logie. Thank you to Marion and the many volunteers who helped with scheduling, photos, donuts, coffee and a wonderful lunch. We also can't forget to thank our wonderful referees, who keep the games running smoothly and remind us to behave.

Fall Round Robin has started and this tournament is the last of our Bocce season for 2019. What a wonderful year of playing bocce on our new court surfaces. We 're going to be seeing lots of new winners at the Awards Dinner on Saturday, November 2nd.

Come to Bash on Fridays from 3-5 p.m. On October, 25th it will be the club's last bash of the bocce season for 2019, so don't miss out and attend as many as you can. I think Paul our Court Manager, has a surprise left before, and on the last Bash on October 25th. Bash is for casual play, just having fun, enjoying snacks and each other's company. It's a way to meet new friends and you don't have to be a bocce club member to attend.

Starting in November through January, every Thursday at noon, the courts will be reserved and open for anyone wanting to drop by and play some bocce for fun.

Tip for the Court: All ages play on our courts, some aren't able to move as quickly as others, so patience is appreciated.