



Tuesday, January 23, 2018

### **From the President's Desk:**

The last Club Chatter announced NLBC's participation in the Wellness Expo to be held at the Vancouver Island Convention Centre on Saturday February 10 from 10:00 AM to 5:00 PM. Although this is billed as a women's fair, men are of course welcome to attend and to participate in the interactive display.

The Nanaimo Lawn Bowling Club will participate as an activity exhibitor. We will have an information booth as well as space in the lobby area to demonstrate the sport of lawn bowling and allow visitors an opportunity to try it out.

To get more information about the event, visit the Wellness News Women's Expo website: <https://wellnessnews.ca/womensexpo/>. NLBC shows up among the list of 75 exhibitors. However, the activity area space is limited to a few exhibitors and will be in the lobby area so it will provide good exposure for the club.

This is a good opportunity for NLBC to gain exposure for the sport of lawn bowling and possibly recruit some new members in advance of our spring opening. To make this event successful, volunteers will be required for assistance in the information booth and for demonstration in the interactive area. Assistance will also be required for set up and dismantling. Please respond to [burbanika@shaw.ca](mailto:burbanika@shaw.ca) if you are able to contribute 2 or 3 hours of your time on Saturday Feb 10 between the hours of 9:00 AM and 6:00 PM. A schedule will be set up and volunteers who respond will be contacted to arrange their shifts.

For members who don't wish to volunteer, please make a point of visiting this event. It doesn't cost anything to attend, and it's a good opportunity to visit with other NLBC members and with some of our sponsors who also exhibit.

Bernice Urbaniak,  
President, NLBC.

### **Dates to look forward to:**

2018 Women's Expo (explore, indulge, escape, shop)      Saturday, February 10, 2018

#### Seasonal Opening Dates:

Date of the move back into the clubhouse	Tuesday, April 3, 2018
Spring General Meeting	Sunday, April 8 <sup>th</sup> , 2018
Open Houses	April 14, 21, & 28, 2018
Official Opening of the green	Sunday, April 22, 2018
First Tournament (Jim Gavin)	Sunday, April 29, 2018

The last 3 dates depend on the condition of the green.

