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The Fredericton Lawn Bowling Club recently held a "pot luck" and "games night" for all members. From all accounts it proved to be a good time. We might expect another such evening when the time is right. Thanks to **Susan Fortune** and the social committee for their hard work.

In connection to that event, the executive approved a door prize of a \$25 gift certificate toward 2019 membership. Nora Valentino was the winner. Congratulations to you Nora. Your prize is well deserved.





Time's moving... slowly. We will eventually bowl on our own green. Yet while we waited through the long cold winter, a threesome of FLBC members were able to bowl in the wonderful Florida sunshine.

Helen Leroux, Pat Beggs and Cheryl Mulholland enjoyed playing sixteen ends in the 28 degree heat at the Sarasota Lawn Bowling Club.

left to right are: Helen, Pat, Cheryl

When the club was shut down last fall, the winter weather was upon us so quickly the maintenance crew was unable to lay down the usual tarps and straw. This spring we are paying the price.

Consultation with our usual caretaker, Gary

Gunter, revealed that the green must be completely reseeded. Also, the final work on the new backboards is yet to be completed. The upshot is our usual opening schedule has not been determined.

Club president, Gloria McLaughlin, has commented saying, "We do not want groups at the club house until Mr. Gunter has finished work."

An email from the club secretary will be sent out when this work has been finished and play can begin.









Tim & Debbie
McFadzen
at
Spring Into Wellness

In spite of the pressures on our start-up, club activities are ongoing. Members **Tim and Debbie McFadzen**, and **Virginia and William Cranke** represented the club and the game of lawn bowling at the city's annual recreation expo called **Spring Into Wellness**. After last year's event our numbers increased noticeably. There is every reason to hope the same will happen again this season. Congratulations are in order for these members for their hard work in promoting the club.

Hope springs eternal. In no time at all we will be delivering bowls on our green.

June 8 is National Bowls

Day, when people from across the city will be invited to come and learn about the game, a day when returning members can renew their memberships and enjoy a social round of bowling, everything to be

followed by a BBQ sponsored by the club's own social committee. Mark your calendars now.



Play during 2015 Canadian National Doubles Championships held at our club.