

# APRIL 2019 NEWSLETTER

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News You Need to Succeed from the Bocce Club of Sun City Texas

### WHAT'S UP IN APRIL

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# The Bocce club is really rolling along.

NEWS FROM THE PRESIDENT, JOE MARQUEZ

Time to start practicing for the Yountville Invitational Bocce Tournament on August 10th. If you interested in traveling to this tournament to represent the Sun City Texas Bocce Club please email Janet Platteborze.

The SC Bocce Club will again participate in the SC Junior camp program. If you would like to help support this program and events, there will be a sign-up sheet on the bulletin board at the Bocce courts. Event dates are below:

Junior Camp 2019

Session 1: June 11-14 – 8:30 a.m. - 4 p.m. Session 2: June 18-21 – 8:30 a.m. - 4 p.m.

Our club has been selected for the 3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter, JULY, AUGUST, SEPTEMBER, Display Case presentation in the Social Center Lobby. If you have ideas on how to help us make a statement and represent our club in the Display Case please email Joe Marquez.

Summer is coming and the courts are getting busy, if you are a club member and you are planning a special event on the bocce courts please fill out the court reservation form ASAP. We are experiencing a large number of requests and moving forward we would like to give club members priority for the rest of the year. That said please get your request in now for the rest of 2019.

#### IF YOU PLAY BOCCE THERE'S A LEAGUE FOR YOU

Your club is putting some muscle behind leagues.

In February our rules and tournament committees met with board members to set the foundation for our club tournament formats. We met with our maintenance committee and have laid out a to do list with projects every quarter. Our goal is to keep the courts and area as nice as possible.

#### Take a look at leagues

Been holding back 'cause you don't think you're ready for a league. Or you're not sure how it goes or who plays in them? Well they're up and running. Go down and check them out. While you're there check out the play. Watching other players is a well-established way to improve your own game.

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#### There's a league full of people as unique as you are!

Looks like the leagues are full and ready to go with three already completing their first week. it is really exciting to see so many options for members. You can choose a league by type, playing level, even day of the week and time of day.

#### Couples Get Together:

Joe Marquez, Manager, Thurs. 6:00 – 8:00 PM (BYOB) Thru April 25:

Just a reminder that the Thursday Night couple's bocce group is in its third week!!! This is an open, noncompetitive couples' bocce forum and BYOB group that play international rules with a short social time on the patio after our play time. Please come down to the courts at 6 pm on Thursdays, if you are interested in playing with this group.

#### Ladies Fun League:

#### Janet Platteborze, Manager,

Thurs. 2:00 PM – April 4-25, 2019. All level of play and players are welcome to compete in our open play format. Come down and watch and/or play. Remember to wear your badge.

#### Intermediate Mixed League:

#### **Grady Jones, Manager**,

Wednesdays, 6:00 PM thru April 10

The Intermediate league plays International Rules with individual scoring. A scoring sheet is posted on the bulletin board every Thursday showing points scored per game and average points scored. The average points scored will be interesting to watch over a 5-week (15 game) league.

#### Sweet Sixteen Couples League

#### Sal Caravello Manager,

Saturdays from 10:AM-Noon thru April 20th. With the twelve-field format we play on all six courts every Saturday morning, that is four weeks with only two rounds on the 20th. It will be a timed 45-minute game, three games each Saturday. Total points scored will be the couples' winner. Couples will be playing together against another couple.

#### Advance League:

#### Ron Pontiff, Manager,

Mondays, 12:00 PM thru April 7.

What more do we need to say? It's advanced.







LEFT: Dix Howard picks a card from Becky Bartula for court position. CENTER: Sharing news about bocce, the fine points of the game, and snacks. Right: Becky Bartula, Diane Howard and Joe Turco discuss strategy for the game.

# **BOCCE IN ONE TWO THREE**: David Holmberg shows us how to get it done. 1. Roll it down the court. 2. Body English and whatever else it takes. 3. Walk to the other end. SCORE.







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