

Fleming Park June 2022 Newsletter

Hi all.

The Big Weekend

I would like the following members who gave up their time to support this event. Emily Chadwick, Alison and Kevin Anderson, Graham Wright, Paul Bowler, Ursula Nicol, Dave Benham, Mike Millington, Bob Bartlett and Mick Betteridge. 25 people attended over the weekend, this was slightly down on last year, however we have gained 10 new members. Please could you give the new members encouragement and a warm welcome at the roll up's



Ladies

Emily, Jayne and Alison participated in S&WDBA friendly at Hyde Abbey although they did not win they enjoyed the day and would like more of or ladies to take part when S&WDBA hold a friendly at Fleming Park on Sunday 14th August.



Having recently passing her stage 1 coaching exam Emily has started holding coaching courses for the ladies, from the comments received the ladies have found them very beneficial. Thank you Emily.

Ladies and men's competitions: the duration of club competitions:-

All 4 wood singles first to 21shots

2 wood singles 21 ends unless it is not mathematically possible for the opponent to get score more than the opponent with the number of ends that are left to play (player A has 19 shots player B 7 shots at the 16th end, it is only possible for player B to score an additional 10 shots making a total of 17).

Pairs 21 ends (as 2 wood singles)

Mixed pairs 21 ends (as 2 wood singles)

Men

Congratulations go to Simon Chalke, Chris Pettie, Bryan McIntyre and Mick Betteridge they entered the Woolston and District Bowling Club fours tournament on Sunday 5th June.

They were undefeated, winning 4 drawing 1 this form enabled them to win the tournament.

Friendlies

As you are aware Strawberry Hill have reluctantly cancel this fixture due to their members still being very cautious over COVID.

This means we have on one friendly this year **so please support this fixture on Friday 8th July against Essex Vice Presidents Association.**

Fire Damage

Those of you who not aware, there was a fire in the hedging round our green, caused by youths having a barbeque behind the container then throwing the disposable barbeques into the hedge.

36mtrs of hedging has been ruined, our green suffered some burning, hopefully it will recover in time. The artificial green has burn marks this will require a manufacturers inspection for the best way forward.

EBC has erected temporary Heras fencing to make our ground secure.



Following at meeting EBC and Places Leisure. EBC have agreed to erect a 6mtr high panel fence to effected area, soft planted in front of the fence with green spiky plants to deter people using the fence to kick balls against it also act as a deterrent for people to climb the fence.

The CCTV camera to be renewed and the container to be moved.

Thy are also looking into replacing the fire damaged artificial carpet as the present one is 8 years old at the same time replace the pacing around the green with flexi type tarmac.

Australian Mixed Pairs.

As our friendly against Strawberry Hill has been cancelled, we have decided to hold another Australian Mixed Pairs Competition following the success of the earlier one this year. Please support this event by entering a team.

Forth coming events and fixture's: -

1. Saturday 25th June Australian Mixed Pairs Competition
2. Friday 8th July mixed friendly against Essex Vice-Presidents Association, home.
3. Wednesday 3rd August 4 rink mixed triples over 55's match against Banister Park, away.
4. Sunday 14th August S&DWBA Friendly
5. Saturday/ Sunday 17th/18th September finals weekend
6. Saturday 24th September Bounds Trophy.
7. Saturday 12th November presentation evening.
8. Wednesday 16th November AGM

Wednesday's and Friday's roll ups are now under way, this a good way for new members to meet and practice with club members.

Start time:-

Wednesday 13.30.

Friday 18.00

There will be charge of £1 every time one attends, towards the end of the season we hope to hold a barbeque type event.

Kind regards

Geoff