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Ash Bowling Club News



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Promote our Club website to your family/friends.

Find us at (just click on the link below):

www.ashbowlsclub.org.uk

Have a browse of the website and give us your feedback. Events, fixtures and other information are all included for your benefit.

We can only grow the membership of our club by extending our reach into the community through word of mouth and social media advertising.

We are on Facebook - find us by clicking on the link below, like and share our posts with your family and friends.



Indoor Short Mat

Don't forget, Short Mat is available all year round. If you haven't tried Short Mat and would like to do so, look on the short Mat Notice Board for more info.

It's a great way to keep bowling and stay connected to other members from our club.

The only extra to pay for the organised sessions is 50p tea money per week (for however many sessions you play).

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Both short mats are now down so full members are free to come and play when they wish.
Organised games are held:

Monday 2-4
Wednesday 2-4
Thursday 7-9
Saturday 10-12

The competitions have now been drawn for the Ladies & Men's Singles and Pairs.

Our Nominated Charities 2025/26

Following on from the success of our inaugural Ash Memorial Trophy, in memory of those we have lost his year, the Executive Committee are very pleased to support the following charities:

RNLI
Pilgrims Hospice
Greenwich & Bexley Community Hospice

You can donate using the box now available in the clubhouse.

Thank you.



Chairs Update

We are busy with the final planning for our Presentation Evening this year, so if you haven't already done so, please put your names down, make your menu selections and payment by 13th November. It's sure to be a great night.

Just a few gentle reminders:

- We have introduced a Players' Player of the Year Category for this years Presentation Evening. Full members can vote for whomever they think should be afforded this accolade. Voting will be available on 1st Nov (Quiz Night), Thursday 6th Nov 7-8pm and Friday 7th Nov 5-7pm. Please do pop in and vote.
- On the 3rd Nov we are launching a new weekly Community Catch Up - free tea/coffee and biscuits. It will be from 10-12 every Monday morning and everyone is welcome. This is a great opportunity for us to increase our reach into our community and showcase what we have to offer in the warmth of the clubhouse with a coffee. Do come along if you can - it's always good to chat!
- Seasonal Clean up Mornings. We need your help to keep the club spick and span, so 2 clean up mornings have been arranged for Thursday 6th Nov & 4th Dec @ 10:00AM. Many hands make light work!



I really look forward to seeing you there.

Shirley Taylor



The **GRAND RAFFLE** is now open for you to buy your squares for £1 each.

The draw will take place at our Presentation Evening on the 29th November at The Rising Sun.



All you need to do is chose your squares and write your name in, and pop your money into an envelope with your name on and put it into the treasurers box.



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Grand Presentation Evening

SATURDAY 29th November
6pm for a 6.30pm prompt start.



The Rising Sun
The Street,
Stourmouth.
Canterbury.
Kent
CT3 1HY

3 COURSE MEAL - £25 PER PERSON FOR MEMBERS, £30 FOR NON-MEMBERS.

PLEASE PUT YOUR NAME DOWN AT THE CLUB AND ALSO THE NAMES OF ANY GUESTS ACCOMPANYING YOU, TOGETHER WITH YOUR MENU CHOICES. PAYMENT MUST BE MADE VIA BACS OR THE TREASURERS BOX.

BACS - Sort Code: 601834 / Account No: 97209082

PLEASE MAKE SURE YOUR CHOICES AND PAYMENT ARE MADE BY 13TH NOVEMBER.

DRESS - SMART



The evening will include:

Trophy Presentations
Special Thank You's
Grand Raffle - with special prizes
Singer - the wonderful Tara James



Ash Bowling Club Internal Competitions Winners 2025



Ladies 21 Ends - Shirley Taylor

Novice - Mike Knaggs

2 Woods - Ken Hurcomb

Mens 21 Ends - Alan Hogben

Mens 21 Shots - Alan Hogben

Mixed Pairs - Roy Allen & Steve Hewitt

Handicap - Martin Goldwin

Many congratulations to those that took part in this years competitions.
There have been some incredible matches this year - the standard of bowling has
been nothing short of excellent!
Well done all our winners.



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Upcoming Events

1st November - Quiz Night

**29th Nov - Presentation Evening
(Rising Sun - Stourmouth)**

13th Dec - Bingo

Always check the notice boards for further details and to book your place.



The Executive Committee are here for you....

If you have any ideas, comments or feedback you'd like to give, then we would love to hear from you.

You can drop a note into the suggestions box or email secretary.ashbowlsclub@gmail.com

THANK YOU FOR ALL YOUR SUPPORT