Birstall Bowling Club Newsletter

October 2021

Club Competitions

The finals of the club competitions were held last month and despite awful weather conditions for the first session, all scheduled matches were completed on the day. Congratulations to the winners and runners up of all competitions this year. The results are below.

Ladies Competitions:

Championship: Jennie Golding, Runner Up: Noi Pimprasan Handicap: Joan Preston, Runner Up: Janet Wildbore Maiden: Kathy Pateman, Runner Up: Lesley Moore Three Wood: Val Ross, Runner Up: Joan Preston Two Wood: Noi Pimprasan, Runner Up: Marlene Bartlett Pairs: Kathy Pateman & Julie Lovell, Runners Up: Lesley Moore & Val Ross Edith Smith Pairs: Lesley Powell & Dawn Logan, Runners Up: Joan Preston & Pa Walker

Men's Competitions:

Championship: Shane Hayes, Runner Up: Richard Smith Handicap: Shane Hayes, Runner Up: Roger Bartlett Maiden: Duncan Brown, Runner Up: Dave Holmes Three Wood: Richard Smith, Runner Up: John Corby Two Wood: Andy Wye, Runner Up: Steve Bacon Pairs: Laurence Juba & John Corby, Runners Up: Jim Marshall & Shane Hayes

Mixed Competitions:

Open: Shane Hayes, Runner Up: John Hurst Saunders Cup: Dawn & Steve Logan, Runners Up: Marlene & Roger Bartlett Adnett Pairs: Marlene Bartlett & Alan Hastings, Runners Up: Liz Marshall & John Corby Sue Andrews Trophy: Eric Davies, Chris Jarvis & Roger Bartlett. Runners Up: Alan Chapman, Julie Lovell & Andy Ward Club Night Cup: Dawn Logan

Presentation Dinner

Trophies for this year will be presented at the annual dinner which is at Birstall Golf Club on Saturday 6th November (6.00pm for 6.30pm). Tickets are £24.00 each and can be obtained from Barbara Mullins, Jan or Rick Everitt. Cheques to be made payable to "Birstall Bowling Club". The format will be the same as in previous years but with a carvery meal. You'll need to choose a starter if you haven't already done so. The other two courses can be selected on the night. Raffle prizes would be appreciated, please bring these with you on the night.

Stratford Trip

If you're quick, there may still be time to book a place on the day trip to Stratford which is on Tuesday 12th October. The cost is £20.00 per person. Please speak to Di King for more details.

Presidents Social Night

Presidents Kathy and Merv are hosting a Social Night at the club on Friday 15th October (6.30pm for 7.00pm). Pa will be doing a half Thai, half English buffet and there will be entertainment. Places are limited but tickets are still available at a cost of £8.00 from Di King or Barbara Mullins.

Indoor Matches

The first of the club's indoor fixtures takes place later this month. If you haven't yet indicated your availability for matches, please contact Roger Bartlett. All matches are mixed and most will be followed by a meal.

County Competitions

Entries are now being taken for next year's county competitions. As the club isn't open every day now, ladies can speak to Jan Everitt and men can contact Rick Everitt or Richard Smith. These need to be submitted by the club to Bowls Leicestershire by the end of November so please enter as soon as possible to avoid missing out.

Potters Trip

We already have a good number who have paid deposits ahead of next year's trip to Potters with 28 bowlers (7 full rinks) indicating that they would like to play. If you would like to go, please speak to Marlene or Roger Bartlett for more information.

AGM, Proposals and Nominations

A reminder that the club AGM takes place on the Saturday 27th November (venue and time TBC). Any proposal you wish to put forward must be with secretary Richard Smith by Saturday 6th November. Guidance as to how these should be submitted is on noticeboards. Nominations for club offices should be filled in on the relevant sheets with a proposer and seconder.

Club Website and Facebook Page

This is the last newsletter of the year but you can keep up to date with the latest news about the club by visiting the website <u>www.birstallbowlingclub.co.uk</u> where you can register to receive updates by email. Just click on "Sign up to our Email Alerts" to get notification when a new news item is added. We also have a Facebook page, to visit that go to a search engine and type in "Birstall Bowling Club Facebook".