



EASTBOURNE & DISTRICT INDOOR BOWLS CLUB

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MAY 2018 NEWSLETTER

Dear Member,

We hope that the weather is being kind to all our outdoor members and we wish you all success in your match games and competitions.

Just a reminder that we have roll-ups Monday and Wednesday evenings 7-9pm and that you are welcome to take your chance with a roll-up Monday-Friday mornings filling spaces on booked rinks. Wednesdays currently have 3 unbooked rinks that need filling.

Centre Manager

For those members who haven't already heard, Centre Manager Mike Taylor has given his notice to the Management Committee and will be leaving his position at the beginning of June. We wish to thank Mike for his service to the club over many years and wish him the very best for the future. With Mike leaving it has given the club management the opportunity to discuss and consider the future structure of club, any positions will be advertised in due course. During this time of change we would like to thank Sharon for her support, along with Peter Reynolds who has been covering shifts behind the bar.

Breakfast Club

Michele is offering a full breakfast menu on Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays 9-11am, the menu includes yoghurts, fresh fruit, cereal and of course the full English Breakfast!

'Potters' Winners

We would like to congratulate all members who travelled to 'Potters' this year for competing in the tournament; well done to everyone who took part. We all gave it our best shot and the club is thrilled that we had 3 teams competing in the quarter finals. The club went on to win the final, Congratulations to Billy Fuller, Jim Preston, Roger Cable and Paul Davis who brought the cup home !!! We all had a great time and look forward to signing up for next year. The dates are on the notice board. Thank you to Peter and Pat Ring, for being fantastic hosts!

Ladies County Delegate required (Sussex County Women's Indoor Bowls)

Duties include (during Winter Season):

To represent the Club at 2 Executive Meetings a year, plus AGM.

Give report for Bowling Committee meetings from above meetings.

Post County Match Sheets in Changing Room, return to County Selector & inform members when they are selected for Match.

Post County Competition forms on board in changing room, collect entry fees and return to County Secretary.

Invitation to attend County President's Day to represent Club.

Pauline Davies has carried out this position for many years and I am sure would be only too pleased to answer any queries you may have.

If you are interested, please let me know.

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100 Club

We now have 100 signed up for the 100 club so have drawn our first prize draw, the lucky winners are:

1st £50 Trevor Barrass
2nd £30 Julie Bengel
3rd £20 Mick Martin

Carpet maintenance

We recently had the Green deep cleaned and the stain removed which has made a huge improvement on the overall appearance and will help maintain its' life while we continue to raise funds to replace it.

Chair Pilates

Pilates continues to be successful on Monday mornings at 10am and this week we launched 'Chair Pilates' at 11.15 for members who find it difficult to get down on to the floor to exercise. Please take a look at the notice board for more information and contact Stephanie if you would like to know more.

Function Room

The Management Committee has decided to let out the restaurant for functions. Any member wishing to hold an event please contact the club secretary, Jill Stewart, in the first instance. The restaurant can cater for up to 120 people depending on the requirements. Bingo will no longer take place on Saturday nights but it is hoped that during the winter season bingo will be offered as a social event.

Next Quiz

Steve Dodd will be running our next quiz on Friday 15th. June. Six teams have already entered - plenty of room for more! Entry sheets in the usual place on the 'Social Events' notice board.

Wedding Celebrations!

The club would like to wish Keith Nethercot and Tracy Racher a very happy wedding day for this Saturday 19th May and much happiness for the future.

