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30 September 2021

~ The funeral for Gordon will take place at 2.15pm on Wednesday 27 October at Aldershot Crematorium and then refreshments back at the clubhouse afterwards. There are currently no restrictions on numbers at the Crematorium other than the building capacity of 80 mourners. No decisions have been made as yet on flowers or donations but a further update will be made on the website as and when more is known

28 September 2021

~ Thanks to the generosity of Mick Porter who kindly donated all his Bramley Apple crop for this year - and to the members and guests who bought them - a total of £64 was raised which has been donated equally between our Club Charity and Cancer Research

~ Thank you also to all those who donated to the MacMillan Charity which we supported again this year although not with the usual coffee morning. Despite that we still raised a very impressive £390

27 September 2021

~ The season has now finished and hopefully everyone enjoyed their time on the green. We will now be working on the green and putting in place recommendations from the Sports Turf Research Institute to improve the playing surface for 2022. A Winter programme of social events have been arranged and support will be appreciated. The first event is a Bingo night on Saturday 9 October. Full details of all the events will be emailed to every member and a copy can be found on the website. The planned rejoining morning for next year is Sunday 23 January 2023

25 September 2021

~ The Lottery Bonus Ball this evening was number 53, given a tenth win for Alun Devonald

~ In the first of the two delayed Club Finals this morning there was a 21 - 17 win for Dave Green and Donna Taylor against Marianne Brooks and John Fewings. In the early afternoon there was a better result for John Fewings as he won the Men's Novice Singes, defeating Clive Brooks by 21 shots to 18

23 September 2021

~ In the opening Short Mat League match of the new season we played Sheffield on Loddon away this afternoon. Each team won on one triple but Sheffield won the match by 5 shots and collect 6 points to our 4

~ We have entered a Men's Indoor team in the annual Moreton Cup competition for outdoor Clubs at Longmeadow Indoor BC this winter. We will play 3 round robin matches in our group, starting against Atherley on Sunday 14 November followed by Old Basing on 16 January 2022 and Eastleigh Railway on 13 February 2022

21 September 2021

~ The two Club Competition Finals that had to be postponed due to Covid will now be played this Saturday starting at 10.00am with the Mixed Pairs between Dave Green and Donna Taylor against John Fewings and Marianne Brooks. This will be followed at approximately 1.00pm by the Men's Novice Singles between John Fewings and Clive Brooks. Any support would be much appreciated

~ Sadly the season comes to end this weekend, finishing with the Candlelight game on Sunday evening. There are still places available if you want your last chance to play so please add names to the match list

20 September 2021

~ We have heard the very sad news that Gordon Cowper passed away yesterday after being admitted to hospital. Gordon has been a member for longer than we can all remember and will be a huge loss. He was only a few months from reaching his 100th birthday. We will update more when we have details of the funeral

19 September 2021

~ Well done to Peter Knight and Sarah Knight who won the Australian Pairs competition this afternoon

~ Well done to Ian Taylor who has won the end of season 'Round Robin' Singles competition



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18 September 2021

~ Tonight's Lottery Bonus Ball was number 12 which gives an eighth win for John Dickie

~ Well done to Clive Brooks, Karen Cranham and Stuart Bale who won the Davies Cup Day competition this afternoon

15 September 2021

~ Bowls England have now announced their plans for the 2022 National Finals and Competition formats which were changed this season. Full details can be seen via [this link](#) but the competition formats will now be as below. There is no update on the fees which are expected to remain the same as this season. Deadline for all our entries will be our re-joining morning which we are planning for Sunday 16 January and entry forms will be up in the Clubhouse shortly for members to complete

Singles (including Junior Singles) – 21 up
Pairs (including Junior Pairs) – Four bowls 18 ends
Triples – Three bowls 18 ends
Fours (including Senior Fours) – Two bowls 18 ends
Two Bowl singles – Two bowls 21 ends

14 September 2021

~ Over the past two seasons we have been collecting funds for the Rushmoor Live at Home Scheme as our Club Charity. Thank you to everyone who has contributed to the fantastic total of £872.14 which has been paid to them today

12 September 2021

~ Results from Final's Day Session 1:

Women's Novice Singles - Margaret Armstrong 7 - 21 Deryn Dickie
Men's Handicap Singles - John Dickie 15 - 21 Graham Nicholson
Married Pairs - Chris and Karen Cranham 24 - 27 Stuart Bale and Sue Blessett
Men's 4 Wood Pairs - Harrison Ash and Terry Wilkinson 7 - 17 Peter Knight and Mike Allen
Mixed Pairs - postponed until Saturday 25 September due to Covid-19

~ Results from Final's Day Session 2

Women's 2 Wood Singles - Donna Taylor 16 - 15 Allyson Flint
Open 2 Wood Singles - Leo May 15 - 10 Bill Dickie
Women's Handicap Singles - Karen Cranham 21 - 12 Sarah Knight
Jackie Knight Singles - Ian Taylor 21 - 9 Del Harris
Men's Novice Singles - postponed until Saturday 25 September due to Covid-19

~ Results from Final's Day Session 3

Men's 2 Wood Pairs - Harrison Ash and Mark Goldup 8 - 23 Dave Green and Stuart Bale
Women's Lil Coleman Pairs - Sue Dickie and Jo Walsh 14 - 20 Frankie Brandon and Penny Orford
Women's Championship Singles - Jan Allen 13 - 21 Allyson Flint
Men's Championship Singles - Chris Cranham 21 - 7 Daniel Taylor

11 September 2021

~ A brilliant day at Banister Park today for our County Mixed Top Club team. Playing Fareham this morning in the semi final, we shared the two Singles matches, the Pairs was always very close but we were struggling in both the Triples and Fours. The Triples ended well down to give Fareham a 2 - 1 lead but the Pairs continued to lead by a couple of shots. The Fours was looking lost at 7 - 19 down but a great fightback saw them pick up three shots on the last end to force an extra end which we went on to win. In the Pairs it all came down to the last end with the scores level but we picked up one shot to pinch the point and a 3 - 2 win overall

In the afternoon final we faced Knyveton Gardens and the results of the Singles was a repeat of the morning with us winning the Men's but losing the Ladies so once again the early score was 1 - 1. The Triples was next to finish with a comfortable win and with the Pairs eight shots up the opposition conceded and we won the title by 3 points to 2. Well done to all the players who have played throughout the season

~ Tonight's Lottery Bonus Ball was number 39 giving a fifth won for John Hall



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08 September 2021

~ The Club Competition Finals will all take place on Sunday 12 September over three sessions. Lunch has to be pre ordered using the sheet in the Clubhouse. A copy of the competition schedule can be found via [this link](#)

06 September 2021

~ The following team has been selected:

Bowls Hampshire County Mixed Top Club County Semi Final - against Fareham at Banister Park - 10.00am Saturday 11 September

Men's Singles - Leo May

Ladies' Singles - Allyson Flint

Pairs - Chris Cranham, Donna Taylor

Triples - Bill Dickie, Harrison Ash (Captain), Sue Dyson

Fours - Jan Allen, Sarah Knight, Carl Taylor, Daniel Taylor

05 September 2021

~ This morning Chris Cranham, Jim Marsland and Leo May represented Hampshire in the last four of the Balcomb Trophy, the Inter County Double Rink competition, at Leamington. After a comfortable win in the Semi Final against Somerset they then faced Northamptonshire this afternoon in the Final. Sadly Hampshire were defeated by 34 shots to 40 and agonisingly fell just short of a National Title

~ In the County Mixed Top Club this morning we faced Oakley in the North Area Final at Howard Park. Both Singles matches were close but we finished strongly and won both disciplines to take a 2 point lead. With the Fours always well ahead it was only a question of time before the match was conceded and when hands were shaken we were ahead in 4 to take the victory. That puts us into the County Semi Final which we will play next Saturday morning at Banister Park against Fareham. Details of the selected team will be published when chosen

04 September 2021

~ Well done to Vonnie Fewings, Terry Wilkinson, Eric Fry and Frankie Brandon who won the Norman Henderson Trophy this afternoon

~ The Lottery Bonus Ball this evening was number 34, giving a third win for Phil Money

03 September 2021

~ Well done to Sam Selby, John Dickie and Wayne Reed who have reached the Area Final of the Men's County 2 Wood Triples. They will play at Farnborough next Thursday 9 September

02 September 2021

~ Good luck today to Leo May who, along with Margaret Holden from Alton Social, play in the National Mixed Pairs at Leamington. Update - sadly they were defeated in the First Round by Essex

01 September 2021

~ This morning Daniel Taylor played in the Quarter Final of the Men's National Champion of Champion's Singles at Leamington and won through against Nottinghamshire by 21 shots to 14. That put him into the Semi Final where he was drawn against Commonwealth Games Squad player and England International, Jamie Chestney, from Devon. In a very close match sadly Daniel was defeated by a single shot, losing 20 - 21, but he can be very proud of a fantastic achievement to come so close to reaching a National Final