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31 August 2013

~ Tonight's Bonus Ball on the Lottery was 48. The winner was Malcolm and Carol Havord

30 August 2013

~ The team selected to play Fleet United in the final of the Stan Hardman Championship at 2.00pm on Thursday 5 September at Hook is:

Carol Eichen, Ken Eichen and Irene Galpin
Mick Porter, Ann Guerin and Terry Burton
June Preston, John Guerin and Alan Shelley

Our first appearance in the final so please try to support the team if you are free

29 August 2013

~ The Stan Hardman semi final has not got off to a good start as one of our players who won't remain nameless - Mike French - has made the trip to Hook but without his bowls bag! Schoolboy Error?

~ Update: Well done to our Stan Hardman team who has won their semi final this afternoon with a 4.5 to 2.5 points win against Whitchurch. Winning two of the three triples each by seven shots but losing the other triple by fourteen made the overall shots score equal at 48 all. This sets up the final next Thursday against Fleet United and again the tie will be played at Hook. The selected team will be announced in due course but will not include Mike French as he will be away on holiday or in prison for speeding on the M3 when he went home to collect his bowls

27 August 2013

~ The team selected to play Whitchurch in the Stan Hardman Championship Semi final at 2.00pm on Thursday 29 August at Hook is:

Carol Eichen, Ken Eichen and Irene Galpin
Mick Porter, Ann Guerin and Terry Burton
June Preston, Mike French and Alan Shelley

The other semi final is between Andover and Fleet United Cygnets. Originally AWRE B had beaten Andover in the quarter final but when the score cards were examined it was found that AWRE has played two ineligible players which effectively has given the game to Andover. In the other quarter final Fleet United Cygnets beat Alton Social

~ Congratulations to Gareth Colebrooke who won the English Civil Service BA Singles yesterday at Leamington



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26 August 2013

~ The last final of the Final's Weekend saw a last shot win in the Men's 2 Wood Pairs for Joe Sharp and John Dickie and also well done to Eric Fry in his first year as Competition Secretary. Please remember that all trophies should now be returned to the Clubhouse as soon as possible and also that the Annual Presentation Dinner Dance will be on Saturday 16 November - there are still just a few places available

~ The semi final of the Stan Hardman Championship this Thursday will be against Whitchurch - team details to follow

25 August 2013

~ Winners from second day of Final's Weekend:

Men's Handicap Singles - Joe Sharp
Mixed Pairs - Terry Hart and Karen Cranham
Ladies' 2 Wood Singles - Sarah Bowen
Jackie Knight Singles - Bob Clayton-Cragg
Men's Championship Singles - Chris Cranham
Ladies' Championship Singles - Sue Sharpe

That leaves just the Men's 2 Wood Pairs to be played at 10.00am tomorrow morning

24 August 2013

~ The news you have all been waiting to hear tonight's Lottery Bonus ball was Number 1 and we are delighted to say the winner is Carl Taylor!

~ Winners from first day of Final's Weekend:

Ladies' Novice Singles - Mary Fry
Married Pairs - Joe Sharp and Sarah Bowen
Lil Coleman Pairs - June Preston and Ann Guerin
Men's Novice Singles - Gareth Colebrooke
Open 2 Wood Singles - Carl Taylor
Ladies' Handicap Singles - Frankie Brandon
Men's 4 Wood Pairs - Terry Hart and Joe Sharp

23 August 2013

~ Final's Weekend starts tomorrow morning at 10.00am - good luck to all competitors. Supporters very welcome and don't forget the meat draw on Sunday afternoon

~ Good luck today to Joe Sharp and Sarah Bowen who play in the last sixteen of the National Mixed Pairs at Worthing. Update - sadly they lost by a handful of shots



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~ Well done yesterday to our Stan Hardman team who beat Four Marks by 5 points to 2 and by 58 shots to 41. That puts us through to the semi finals of the Stan Hardman Championship which will be played at Hook BC next Thursday 29 August, against the winners of either Whitchurch or Howard Park

22 August 2013

~ Well done to our Ladies' Triple of Carol Eichen, Ann Guerin and Frankie Brandon who have won through to the final of the North Hampshire WBA Triples today with a 17 - 14 win against Fleet Social. The final, against triples from either Alton Social or Basingstoke Town, will take place on Monday 2 September at Odiham and North Warnborough BC

~ A good start this morning for Chris Cranham winning his first round Singles at Worthing by 21 shots to 18 against a very strong opposition from Devon. Round 2 early this afternoon. Update - sadly Chris lost in the second round

~ Our County 2 Wood Triple of Bob Clayton-Cragg, Alan Shelley and Terry Hart will play in the Semi final at Purbrook Heath BC on Sunday 8 September at 2.00pm

21 August 2013

~ Chris Cranham has won his preliminary round match of the National Singles at Worthing this afternoon and plays again tomorrow morning - what a good way to celebrate his 60th birthday today!

~ Tomorrow we host the first semi final day for the North Hampshire WBA competitions starting at 10.00am. We have a triple of Carol Eichen, Ann Guerin and Frankie Brandon taking part. The second semi final day is next Tuesday 27 August and again we have a four of Carol Eichen, Barbara Vidler, Ann Guerin and Frankie Brandon playing for a place in the final. We wish them all the best of luck

~ Final Blackwater Valley League table received which, as expected, shows our Ladies finishing in 11th place out of 15. Some positives to build on though as we scored more points this season than in previous years with 30.5, and if we had not had penalty points deducted when we were players missing for the Camberley match, we would have finished a place higher. The league was won by Farnborough on 57 points with Farnham next on 46.5 and West End in third on 43. It was pleasing that some of our new members took part and next season we can look to improve further

20 August 2013

~ Team selected for the quarter final of the Stan Hardman Championship against Four Marks to be played at Howard Park on Thursday 22 August at 2.00pm

Eric Fry, Hazel Alexander and Terry Burton
Alan Shelley, Ken Eichen and Irene Galpin
June Preston, Mike French and John Guerin

Good luck to them all!



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~ Sadly our National Mixed Four of Karen Cranham, Sarah Bowen, Chris Cranham and Leo May lost this morning in the Round of sixteen at Worthing. Hopefully Chris will have better luck tomorrow afternoon when he plays in the preliminary round of the National Men's Singles

19 August 2013

~ Well done to Terry Hart, Alan Shelley and Bob Clayton-Cragg who have won through this evening to the County finals of the Two wood Triples. The date of the semi finals and final is not definite yet due to a clash with the new Mixed Top Club but is expected to be Sunday 8 September

18 August 2013

~ Good luck tonight to our Mixed Top Club team who take on Hook in the area final of the County competition. The match is being played at Yateley starting at 6.00pm

~ Sadly we lost in the Top Club by 2 points to 3 against Hook, winning the Men's Singles and Fours but finally losing out overall in the dark in the pairs

~ Well done to David Payne who was part of the Bowls Hampshire Men's Balcomb Trophy team who this afternoon won the trophy for the first time at Worthing

17 August 2013

~ Tonight's Bonus Ball on the Lottery was 43. The winner, for the second time, was Linda Bonner

~ A 100% success day today for Cove in District Competitions. In the Aldershot and District Competitions held at Tongham, David Payne won the Under 25 Singles and Daniel Taylor, Carl Taylor and Glenn Reed won the 2 Wood Triples. This afternoon Carl Taylor retained his Secretary Singles title and the rink of Gareth Colebrooke, Daniel Taylor, David Payne and Nick Hardy won the Fours

Meanwhile over at Odiham the Ladies won through this morning in the semi final of the North Hampshire Gazette Cup against Pyestock to set up the final against Alton Social this afternoon. After building a healthy lead they were forced into an extra end, played by all three triples, but did enough to win overall by two shots to take the trophy