

31 August 2018

- ~ Well done to both Donna Taylor and Allyson Flint who skipped for the Women's North Area Dolly Gore team who have once again won the Hampshire competition between the 4 Areas. The North Area defeated West Area on all six rinks in the final this afternoon at Banister Park having defeated East Area this morning in the semi final
- ~ Tomorrow our Mixed Tony Allcock Double rink team take on St. Austell in the quarter final at the National Championships in Leamington starting at 2.00pm supporters would be much appreciated

29 August 2018

~ The latest Aldershot and District League Table shows that the C team remains in 3rd place after their tenth consecutive win and now just 2 points behind Aldershot Underwood. The Division title is almost guaranteed to go to Fleet United B and we will need to win our last match and hope for Yateley C to do us a favour against Aldershot Underwood to have any chance of getting second place and promotion

28 August 2018

- \sim A good result for the C Team this evening in the Aldershot and District Third Division at home to Yateley C, winning on all three rinks, and by 57 shots to 39
- ~ The following team has been selected for next week's final Aldershot and District League match

C Team - Home to Tongham B on Tuesday 4 September at 6.00pm

Terry Wilkinson, Phil Money, Terry Hart and Chris Kennedy *(Captain)* Jim Marsland, Richard Brown, Alan Harton and John Guerin Mick Porter, Dave Cumes, Bill Dickie and John Stone

- ~ Well done to Ann Guerin, Karen Cranham, Donna Taylor and Sarah Bowen who will play against Alton Social in the final of the North Hampshire WBA Fours and to Jan Allen, Karen Cranham and Sarah Bowen who will play against Fleet United in the final of the Triples. Both matches take place at Farnborough Gate next Monday 3 September at 10.00am and 2.00pm respectively
- \sim Unfortunately Disability Bowls England have not been able to get enough players for Saturday's friendly match so it has had to be cancelled

27 August 2018

 \sim In the Davies Cup competition this afternoon, the final was won by Mick Mather, Jo Walsh and Doug Orford who defeated Stuart Dexter, Grahame Trimmer and Ian Taylor in the final by 8 shots to 3

25 August 2018

~ The Lottery Bonus Ball tonight was number 48 which gives an eighth win for Bobby Sharpe



- ~ In the finals of the Aldershot and District competitions our players had a mixed morning. In the Champion of Champion's Singles Ian Taylor was defeated by Old Dean and Ray Galpin, Neil Kelsey and Alan Shelley also lost in the 2 Wood Triples to Mytchett. There was better news for Daniel Taylor however who won the Under 25 Singles for the fourth consecutive time against West End. The Pairs was an all Cove final with Joe Sharp and John Stone beating John Dickie and Bill Dickie
- \sim In the afternoon of the District competitions Ian Taylor won the Secretary Singles against West End and Alan Shelley won the Singles against Camberley but unfortunately Ian Taylor, Wayne Reed and Mike Allen lost in the Triples
- ~ Meanwhile at Leamington, Chris Cranham has started in the Men's Senior Singles with a first round win against Huntingdonshire and will play again in the second round later this afternoon. Update unfortunately Chris lost this afternoon to Herefordshire

24 August 2018

 \sim Well done this morning to Karen Cranham and Donna Taylor who won the semi final of the County Over 55 Pairs against Romsey with a 30 shots to 15 victory. They will now play in the final this afternoon. Update - unfortunately Karen and Donna were narrowly beaten in the final

23 August 2018

~ In the Farnham and District Competition Final's we have Alan Shelley in the Men's Singles and Sarah Bowen with Jan Allen in the Women's Pairs which will be played on Sunday 2 September

22 August 2018

- ~ Unfortunately we have had to cancel next Tuesday's Friendly against the North Hampshire Masons as we only had 6 players
- \sim On Saturday 25 August we are hosting the Aldershot and District Competition finals. Good luck to all our players who are taking part please try to support them during the day:

10.00am - Daniel Taylor - Under 25 Singles

10.00am - Ian Taylor - Champion of Champion's Singles

10.00am - Bill Dickie and John Dickie - Pairs

10.00am - John Stone and Joe Sharp - Pairs

10.00am - Alan Shelley, Neil Kelsey and Ray Galpin - 2 Wood Triples

1.00pm - Ian Taylor - Secretary Singles

2.00pm - Alan Shelley - Singes

4.00pm - Ian Taylor, Mike Allen and Wayne Reed - Triples

- \sim In the Women's County Over 55 Singles yesterday at Banister Park Allyson Flint won her semi final against Purbrook Heath but was unfortunately defeated in the final in the afternoon
- \sim The updated league table for the Aldershot and District 3rd division shows that the C Team remains in 3rd place on 50.5 points and now 3 behind second placed Aldershot Underwood. Promotion is still possible but we will need maximum points from our final two matches and hope that others slip up



21 August 2018

- \sim A good result for the C Team this evening in the Aldershot and District Third Division at Aldershot Traction B winning by 65 shots to 50 and by 4 points to 1
- ~ The following team has been selected for next week's Aldershot and District League match

C Team - Home to Yateley C on Tuesday 28 August at 6.00pm

John Fewings, Bill Setterfield, Martyn Flint and Chris Kennedy Jim Marsland, Tony Edwards, Alan Harton and John Guerin Bill Dickie, Terry Burton (*Captain*), John Dickie (Jnr) and Joe Sharp

20 August 2018

- \sim An excellent result this evening for the County 2 Wood Triple of Jim Marsland, Wayne Reed and Terry Hart who won the area final at Oakley defeating Alton Social by 17 shots to nil. They now play in the County semi final at Oakley on 15 September when they will play the West Area qualifiers
- ~ Well done this morning to Jan Allen, Donna Taylor and Allyson Flint who won the semi final of the Women's County Benevolent Triples at Banister Park. They now play in the final this afternoon. Update Jan, Donna and Allyson won the final by one shot on an extra end and so are our first County Champions of the season

18 August 2018

- ~ The Lottery Bonus Ball this evening was number 11 giving a 7th win for Gillian Trimmer
- ~ Well done to our Women's North Hampshire Gazette Cup team who retained the trophy this afternoon as they defeated Basingstoke Town in the final at Farnborough Gate after winning on two of the three triples and by an overall score of 59 shots to 38

17 August 2018

- ~ Well done again to Ian Taylor who has won through to his third Aldershot and District Final by winning the semi final of the Secretary Singles this evening
- ~ Unfortunately Terry Hart and Jim Marsland were defeated in their preliminary round match of the Men's Senior Pairs this morning at Leamington
- ~ A very happy 70th Birthday today to Penny Orford

- ~ Well done to John Dickie, Bill Dickie and Joe Sharp, John Stone who won their semi finals of the Aldershot and District Pairs and will now meet in the final which we are hosting on Saturday 25 August
- ~ The squad for the Women's North Hampshire Gazette Cup Team for the final on Saturday 18 August at 2.00pm at Farnborough Gate has been named Jan Allen, Sarah Bowen, Frankie Brandon, Marianne Brooks, Karen Cranham, Sue Dickie, Carol Eichen, Allyson Flint, Ann Guerin, Sarah Knight, Penny Orford and Donna Taylor



15 August 2018

- ~ Congratulations to Ian Taylor on reaching the final of the Aldershot and District Champion of Champion's Singles final after winning his semi final this evening
- ~ The latest Aldershot and District League tables confirm the great news that the A Team has won the Premier Division, finishing on 57 points and 4.5 points ahead of Old Dean congratulations to all who have played. The B Team has also secured another season in the top division after finishing in 5th place on 25 points a very good performance against seven other A teams. in Division 3 the season still has another three matches left which will be a challenge as the evenings draw in but the C Team has risen to third place and are now on 46.5 points. It is unlikely that we will catch the leaders but second place is very possible and we are just 2 points behind Aldershot Underwood

14 August 2018

- \sim Another mixed evening in the Aldershot and District Men's League with the A Team away at Mytchett A and in a very close match which came down to the last wood we returned with a 62 61 shots win and by 3 points to 2 which will be enough to secure the Premier League title. Unfortunately, the B Team did not do as well and were beaten on all three rinks at home to Camberley A by an overall score of 42 shots to 88. In Division 3 the C Team continued their good run with an eighth consecutive win in beating Farnborough B at home by 71 shots to 46 and by 4 points to 1
- ~ The following team has been selected for next week's Aldershot and District League match

C Team - Away at Aldershot Traction B on Tuesday 21 August at 6.00pm

Terry Wilkinson, Richard Brown, Alun Devonald and Chris Kennedy *(Captain)*Mick Porter, Dave Green, Alan Harton and John Guerin
Tony Edwards, Phil Money, Wayne Reed and Joe Sharp

13 August 2018

- ~ Well done to Alan Shelley who will play against Camberley in the final of the Aldershot and District Singles and to Sam Selby, Mike Allen and Ian Taylor in the Triples who will play West End. All District finals are being played at Cove on Saturday 25 August
- \sim As expected Fleet United did win their final Stan Hardman match and so pip us for second place in the league which means we do not qualify for the playoffs

- \sim Unfortunately Irene Galpin, Donna Taylor and Allyson Flint were defeated in the Women's Triples this afternoon at the National Championships at Leamington
- ~ Well done to both Donna Taylor and Allyson Flint who have both been selected for the North Area Dolly Gore team who will play against the East at Banister Park on Friday 31 August



11 August 2018

~ The Lottery Bonus Ball this evening was number 57 which gives a fourth win for Donna Marsland

10 August 2018

- ~ Our Women's North Hampshire Gazette Cup team were due to play Alton Social in the semi final on Saturday 18 August but they have conceded as they are unable to get a full team. This means we automatically go through to the final that afternoon when we will play the winners of Fleet United or Basingstoke Town
- \sim Well done to Ray Galpin, Mike French and Alan Shelley who will play against Mytchett in the final of the Aldershot and District 2 Wood Triples which we are hosting on Saturday 25 August

09 August 2018

 \sim Well done to Jim Marsland, Wayne Reed and Terry Hart who have reached the North Area final of the County 2 Wood Triples which will be played at 6.00pm on Monday 20 August at Oakley when they will play against Alton Social

08 August 2018

- \sim Well done to our Men's Aldershot and District Coventry Cup team who lifted the trophy this evening by beating Aldershot Traction in the final by 36 shots to 31
- \sim This evening we faced Mytchett away in the first round of the Farnham and District Ken Britton Cup, a two mixed triples competition, and we won by 2 shots overall. We now play away in the next round to the winners of either Fleet United or Rowledge on Wednesday 15 August
- ~ The latest Aldershot and District League Tables make good reading with the A Team now rising to top place in the Premier League and 4.5 points ahead of Old Dean with just one match remaining at Mytchett A next week. Half a point will secure us the title as our shot difference is far better than Old Dean. Despite losing last evening the B team is safe from relegation and will therefore be in the Premier league again next season. In Division 3, the C team's 7th consecutive win keeps them in fourth place and just 2 points behind second place with four games left to play

07 August 2018

- ~ Another mixed evening in the Aldershot and District Men's Premier League with the A Team visiting the league leaders, Old Dean, and winning comfortably by 89 shots to 34 to secure a vital 5 points with just one more match to play. Unfortunately, it was not such good news for the B Team who were at home to Farnham and were defeated on all rinks with an overall score of 40 shots to 66. Another good win for the C Team in Division 3 as they played at home to West End B and won by 61 shots to 46 in a 4 1 points victory
- ~ The following teams have been selected for next week's Aldershot and District League matches

A Team - Away at Mytchett A on Tuesday 14 August at 6.00pm

Sam Selby, Terry Hart *(Captain)*, Glenn Reed and Wayne Reed Alan Shelley, Mike Allen, Dave Tonks and Ian Taylor John Dickie, Bill Dickie, Carl Taylor and John Stone



B Team - Home to Camberley A on Tuesday 14 August at 6.00pm

Graham Nicholson, Neil Kelsey, John Hall and John Guerin Allen Cliff, Peter Knight, Malcolm Havord and Jim Marsland Ray Galpin, Alun Devonald, Bob Sharpe and Chris Kennedy (*Captain*)

C Team - Home to Farnborough B on Tuesday 14 August at 6.00pm

John Fewings, Richard Brown, Ken Eichen and Mike French Mick Porter, Bill Setterfield, Terry Wilkinson and Alan Harton Dave Cumes, Terry Burton (*Captain*), John Dickie (Jnr) and Joe Sharp

 \sim Unfortunately our Women's Four of Karen Cranham, Jan Allen, Donna Taylor and Sarah Bowen were defeated in the second round at Leamington, losing by 7 to Northumberland

06 August 2018

- ~ Well done to our Women's Four of Karen Cranham, Jan Allen, Donna Taylor and Sarah Bowen who won their early first round match at the National Championships at Leamington this afternoon, defeating Derbyshire by 20 shots to 12. They will play their second round match tomorrow afternoon against Northumberland
- \sim The final Blackwater Valley League table has been received and shows that we improved to 9th position after a better finish to the season
- \sim After last week's Stan Hardman win against Farnborough we have risen to second place in the updated league table on 54 points. Unfortunately for us third placed Fleet United, who are on 53 points, still have one rearranged match to play against Fleet Social and unless the result is a 0 7 score they will go back ahead of us and take the end of season playoff place

05 August 2018

 \sim Our Men's County Club Championship Team played against Fleming Park in the semi final this morning but were beaten by 30 shots overall

- ~ Well done to Andrew Taylor who played for Disability Bowls England (South) this afternoon in the Inter Area match against the North at the National Championships at Leamington. Although the rink he was playing in won by 19 shots to 11 the South were defeated by just one shot overall. However it was better luck this evening when Bonus Ball number 52 was drawn for the second time in three weeks to give Andrew his fifth win
- ~ The squad for our Tony Allcock Mixed Double Rink team against St Austell in the National Final quarter final which is to be played at Royal Leamington Spa BC at 2.00pm on Saturday 1 September is Chris Cranham, Bill Dickie, Sue Dickie, Carol Eichen, Ken Eichen, Allyson Flint, Ann Guerin, Terry Hart, Sue Sharpe, Alan Shelley and Carl Taylor
- ~ The squad for the Men's Aldershot and District Coventry Cup final against Aldershot Traction which we are hosting next Wednesday 8 August is Mike Allen, Allen Cliff, John Guerin, John Hall, Terry Hart, Malcolm Havord, Peter Knight, Alan Shelley, Ian Taylor and Phil Vincent



03 August 2018

 \sim Good luck tomorrow to Andrew Taylor who will be playing for Disability Bowls England (South) in their interarea match at Leamington

02 August 2018

- \sim In the final match of the Stan Hardman League match of the season we visited Farnborough and won on all three triples with an overall 60 shots to 35 victory
- \sim In the quarter final of the Tony Allcock Trophy at Leamington we will be playing St. Austell BC on the afternoon of Saturday 1 September
- \sim The final Farnham and District League Match against Tongham ended in a 56 shots to 89 defeat and by 1 point to 5 which leaves us in third place on 43.5 points and ahead of Pyestock on shot difference
- ~ After last week's win over Fleet Social in the Stan Hardman League we remain in 5th place in the league table ahead of this afternoon's final match of the season away at Farnborough
- ~ Once again we have been forced to cancel a Club Friendly this time at Westfield on Sunday 5 August

- \sim Congratulations to Terry Hart and Jim Marsland who qualified for Leamington later this month in the Men's Senior Pairs after winning the Hampshire Area Group
- ~ Well done to our Men's Aldershot and District Coventry Cup team who won the semi final against Tongham this evening and will now face Aldershot Traction in the final next Wednesday which we are hosting
- \sim The latest Aldershot and District League Tables have been updated and show that in the Premier Division the A Team remains in second place and now just a half point behind the leaders Old Dean who we visit next week. The B Team has dropped to 5th place but still comfortably ahead of the relegation zone on 25 points. The C Team remains in 4th place in Division 3 but now just one point behind second place and a promotion slot
- \sim Congratulations to Allyson Flint who has reached the last four of the Women's County Over 55 Singles which will be played at Banister Park on 20 21 August