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30 March 2020

~ A very Happy 70th Birthday today to Bill Dickie

28 March 2020

~ The Lottery Bonus Ball this evening was number 11 giving an eleventh win for Gillian Trimmer

27 March 2020

~ There is better news as Mike French is showing some improvement, and it looks like he is getting better clinically although still classed as critical but stable. The hospital has reduced the sedation so he is more awake

22 March 2020

~ We have heard that Mike French is very poorly at the moment and currently in the ICU Department of Frimley Park Hospital and has been diagnosed as having the Corona Virus. He is stable but it is likely to be a while before he starts to respond. All our thoughts and prayers are with him and Maureen at this time

21 March 2020

~ Bowls England has issued a 'Frequently Asked Questions' paper on the impact of COV-19, a copy of which can be found by [clicking here](#)

~ Tonight's Lottery Bonus Ball was number 41 which gives a sixth win for Tony and Kay Edwards

19 March 2020

~ The Aldershot and District has issued a Newsletter confirming the expected news that all competitions will be cancelled and there will be no league programme until at least June 1st at the earliest. The newsletter is on their website but a copy can also be found by [clicking here](#)

~ Following the Bowls England statement yesterday, Bowls Hampshire will be issuing a note later today giving advice to Clubs on the impact of Covid-19 and this will be added here once received. As already advised all our social events and short mat bowling have been cancelled based on the advice from Public Health England

Update - the Bowls Hampshire note has now been issued and a copy can be found by [clicking here](#)

A small group of the Committee hopes to meet early next week to discuss our limited options for the season ahead. Our first priority will be the health and well-being of all our members. Once we have any more news we will let you know but again we ask for your patience and understanding in these unprecedented times

~ There is now a website for the Stan Hardman League and a link will be added to page we have of other Association websites. In the meantime it can also be found by [clicking here](#)

18 March 2020

~ The Emergency Board Meeting of Bowls England was brought forward to yesterday. [Click here](#) to read the Statement that has just been issued. Clearly, with a month to go before our scheduled Opening weekend, much will still change so we will not make any immediate decisions on our options for the season but as you will read, all Bowls England Championships and Competitions are cancelled for 2020



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Both Bowls Hampshire and our local District Associations will also need some time to assess their options and we will try to keep you informed but we will need your patience and understanding

17 March 2020

~ With the Short Mat league season ending early, the adjusted final league table has been received which shows our two teams ending the winter in 10th and 13th place. Thank you to all the players who supported the teams

~ The Music Quiz planned for Saturday 11 April has been postponed and we hope to rearrange for a night in October. All other events have also been suspended until further notice

16 March 2020

~ The Men's County Competition draws have been completed and uploaded to the Bowls Hampshire website. Paper copies are also in the hanging folders in the Clubhouse. Whether we get to play them is, of course, in some doubt at the moment but we await updates from Bowls England later in the week

15 March 2020

~ Members will undoubtedly start to ask as to what will be the effect on the outdoor season due to the Coronavirus problem. We have no idea and nor does Bowls England, our Governing Body. When we have something concrete to let you know we will do so. However, given the reports this morning that most senior citizens, and therefore for bowls, the majority of its participants, are likely to be confined to their homes for a considerable period it seems unlikely that there will be much bowls in the early part of the season, but we await information and direction from our Governing Body. We will all have to be patient and understanding in these unprecedented times

We now understand that an Emergency Meeting of the Board of Bowls England will be held on Thursday 19 March in order to discuss issues related to the Coronavirus outbreak. Any update following the Board Meeting will be posted here

14 March 2020

~ Tonight's Lottery Bonus Ball was number 14 which gives a fifth win for Bill and Sue Dickie

07 March 2020

~ The Lottery Bonus Ball this evening was number 42, giving an eleventh win for Terry and Jan Wilkinson

06 March 2020

~ Our annual trip to Warners Coast Hotel at Bembridge on the Isle of Wight has ended with a third consecutive win in the their Open Fours competition. The defending champions of of John Hall, June Preston and Carl Taylor together with Harrison Ash retained their title in the final against Tony Lea, Jan Wilkinson, Terry Wilkinson and John Stone. We plan to return again in late February 2021 and details will be announced shortly

29 February 2020

~ The Lottery Bonus Ball this evening was number 9 which gives a seventh win for Terry Hart

~ Our final Round Robin match in the Moreton Cup tomorrow against Hyde Abbey has been conceded as they cannot raise the team. The result makes no difference to the group sadly as we cannot win overall and so our participation in this year's competition has now ended



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~ There has been some confusion regarding the inclusion of Mytchett C in the Third Division of the Aldershot and District League this coming season. They have now confirmed they will not be entering a C team so we will have two weeks where our C team will have a free week. The League Fixture page for the C Team is being amended

24 February 2020

~ We have heard the sad news that Doreen Dudley passed away this morning. Doreen was a Bowling and Social member in her time at the club and our thoughts are with her family at this time. No details are yet known about any funeral arrangements

23 February 2020

~ The team draws for the Farnham and District Club Competitions were made this morning. In the first round of the Boyd Shield we are drawn against Seale and Sands with the match scheduled for Thursday 25 June. As the 'away' team we will host the Pairs and Triples with the Fours and Singles being played at Seale and Sands. We are drawn at home in the first round of the Ken Britton Cup against Farnborough which we will play on Wednesday 5 August

22 February 2020

~ Tonight's Lottery Bonus Ball was number 17, giving an eleventh win for Mick Porter

15 February 2020

~ The Lottery Bonus Ball this evening was number 18 which gives a seventh win for Eric and Mary Fry

12 February 2020

~ The Competition and Championship draws have been published for the North Area Ladies and are now on the Bowls Hampshire website. Paper copies will be in the clubhouse this week. The Men's draw is due to take place on the evening of Thursday 12 March

In the team competitions the Ladies' County Thornbery Trophy team will be at home against Old Basing in the preliminary round on Thursday 25 June and in the Mixed Top Club we are also at home in the preliminary round against Odiham and North Warnborough with the match to be played by Sunday 17 May

11 February 2020

~ In appreciation of the incredible amount of work John Hall does around the club, as well as for the benefit of the sport in umpiring, the Committee has rewarded him with a position of Life Vice Presidency which is very deserved

~ Unfortunately Mytchett C has withdrawn from Division 3 of the Aldershot ad District League which will now give our C Team a couple of free weeks during the season

08 February 2020

~ For the second time in a fortnight the Lottery Bonus Ball this evening was number 21, giving a fourth win for Ray Galpin

01 February 2020

~ The Lottery Bonus Ball this evening was number 52, giving a 6th win for Andrew Taylor



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25 January 2020

~ The Bonus Ball tonight was number 21, giving a third win for Ray Galpin

19 January 2020

~ In this morning's Moreton Cup match against Eastleigh Railway we were narrowly beaten overall by 34 shots to 37, picking up a single point in a 1 - 4 defeat. Our final match is against Hyde Abbey on Sunday 1 March

18 January 2020

~ For the second time this month, number 11 was the Lottery Bonus Ball giving a tenth win for Gillian Trimmer

11 January 2020

~ Tonight's Lottery Bonus Ball was number 14 which gives a fourth win for Bill and Sue Dickie

08 January 2020

~ Following last weekend's rejoining morning the Member's Telephone numbers and Email details have been updated on the contact page. Please let us know if anything is incorrect

07 January 2020

~ The funeral for Brenda Cliffe will take place at 12.00pm on Tuesday 14 January at Woking Crematorium

04 January 2020

~ Tonight was the 350th Lottery Bonus Ball draw and the winning number was 11, giving a ninth win for Gillian Trimmer. Since we started the weekly draws almost seven years ago we have now given away prize money totalling £11,610 to lucky winners