

RBC NEWS

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Our Vision: "To become the first-choice club for new and experienced Crown Green bowlers in Derbyshire."

Welcome to the fifth edition of RBC NEWS 2023



Prime timers Well done to everyone who took part in our prime timers event. Congratulations to Barry Holland who won the trophy.

The 'prime timer' is a competition open to all members who are 80 and over this year, a round robin where each game last 7 ends and a maximum jack distance of 35m. Everyone is then treated to a sit-down tea.

Macmillan Coffee Morning

A big thank you to everyone who supported our Macmillan Coffee Morning on Friday 29th September. We raised an amazing **£750!**



Top of the Averages

On a very wet Sunday, we held our first 'top of the averages' competition where one player from each team was invited to play. Playing up to 21 and with handicaps, the competition saw Kieran Bracken and Ed Furniss reaching the final which was won by Ed!

Champions of Champions

Rykneld hosted this year's Champion of Champions where the top 4 teams from the Friday night league battle it out to become the champion of Champions. This was won by Stretton Anglesey.

New Floodlights

Our new LED floodlights have now been fitted. Thank you to Malcolm Holden for all your hard work on securing the funding for these. We received a grant from the Tom Carey Fund and were pleased that Sue Carey, daughter in law of Tom Carey came to our official launch and turned them on!



Annual Dinner

There are still places available for the annual dinner on Thursday 16th November at Mickleover Golf club. Please let us know your menu choices and payments by 1st November 2023. If you haven't got a menu yet please contact rykneldbowlsclub@gmail.com.

Raffle Tickets

Raffle tickets for our Christmas draw are now available. If you need more booklets to sell please let us know. Please return all stubbs, payment and any unsold tickets to Julie Eason by 30th November. The Christmas draw will take place on Wednesday 6th December 7.00 for 7.30 in the clubhouse where a buffet and drinks will be available. Any donations for the raffle will be gratefully appreciated. They can be left at the clubhouse on Tuesday mornings or contact Julie (07973364099)

Survey results

Thank you to everyone who completed the survey this year to help identify the strengths, weaknesses, opportunities, and threats to the club. The results will be looked at by the sub and main committees. The survey is still open until 3rd November so pop any completed surveys in the post box on the gate or in the suggestion box in the clubhouse or follow this link:

<https://forms.office.com/r/3R8NDGwbSN> Results will be published in the next newsletter.

Events

1st November – Afternoon social in the clubhouse 1:30 start

16th November – Annual Dinner at Mickleover Golf Club 7 for 7:30 start

24th November - Social evening – Bingo 7pm start


6th December – Christmas Raffle Draw and buffet 7pm for 7:30

16th December – Social Evening – Luke and Sean's 'House of Games' Quiz 7pm start

10th January – Afternoon Social 1:30 start



Contact us

If you have any suggestions, items to raise at the next committee meeting, idea or picture for the next newsletter, please either pop them into the suggestion box in the clubhouse or contact us via  Email: rykneldbowlsclub@gmail.com

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