

May 2025 Newsletter

Open Day – Our open day is this Saturday 10th May from 2pm – 5pm. Like most Bowls clubs in the Worcester area, we are always looking for new members – especially of the younger generation – so if you know of any family, friends or neighbours that would like to have a go at bowling, then please bring them along. If you are able to help out on the afternoon, please can you let me know so that we can allocate specific roles in the knowledge that we have all bases covered. We will need members to meet & greet, look after refreshments, play bowls and generally look after our guests. We also pride ourselves with providing a range of homemade cakes and savouries, so if you can help out, please let me know what you can donate.

Social Events – Our next social evening is a Bingo Evening on Friday 30th May. If you would like to take part, please add your name to the list displayed on the club notice board or let me know. The cost will be £5 per head which will include a finger buffet. Doors will open at 6.30pm with the first number being called at 7pm prompt. As usual, family and friends are most welcome. On 20th June, following the Friday roll-up, will be an organised guided walk around Inkberrow lead by Paul Cotton who will be sharing many interesting facts about this historical village. The trek should last about 45 minutes ending back at the Bowling Club for a light supper provided by Kathy & Bob Mountford. The cost for this event will be £5 per head – again please let me know if you would like to take part or add your name to the list on the club noticeboard. Following last year's very successful musical evening, we are welcoming back the Ukelele players, lead by our very own John Bradley, on Friday 18th July. The cost for this very pleasant evening will be £6 per head to include supper. Further details will follow at a later date.

IBC results & the "green" – We have had many positive comments from clubs visiting Inkberrow about how good the green is looking and how well it is playing, and I am sure that of those members that have been up to the Club, they will agree with those opinions. The committee would like to thank Paul Cotton, Michael Chappell and all those in the "Green Team" for their efforts in making the green so good!!! The Club have played 5 friendlies so far this season and with notable victories against Evesham, Pershore & Droitwich, the future is looking positive. Unfortunately, the Vale team lost their first game against a very powerful Broadway club 8-2. The Interberga league starts this week.

Sponsors – The committee have been working especially hard this year in increasing the number of sponsors to the club and it is with great pleasure that we can announce the following Businesses and Companies that have agreed to promote the sport of bowls at Inkberrow. In no particular order and on behalf of all of the members of the club, I would like to thank Hills Ford of Kidderminster & Malvern, Ecclesiastical Financial Services, Bulls Head Inkberrow, Feckenham Village Shop & Café, Botany Bay Nurseries, Thomas Bros & Johnsons Coaches. Without their help and support the Club would struggle to survive financially in todays very difficult environment. If you would like any further information about the services and products that our sponsors can provide, then please do not hesitate to contact me.