#### GARDENING

The Committee have employed a gardener for the care and maintenance of our grounds. This of course does not stop those of you who would still like to contribute flowers or plants into the garden.

A big thank you goes to Keith for the planting of the stunning baskets which adorn our pavilion and the planters which surround the area. Also to Denise who has kept all the cutting back and weeding done up until this time.

Many thanks to those who have helped maintain and water the grounds.

#### MENS

In the Men's League Season 1 unfortunately, despite some excellent results, including beating Waverley at home, the first team suffered relegation to Division 2. Now how that looks for next season remains to be seen as there is likely to be a restructuring of the league. We will keep you posted on that. All the men should have received an email asking them what games i.e. First Team ( likely to play Friday evenings), Combination League ( likely to play Wednesday evenings) and/or Mid Week Triples that they would like to play in.

With regard to the current season's Mid Week Triples – in League 1 the Purple and Orange teams are performing very well and at the time of writing they are placed first and third. There are a few games left to play. The Blues and Whites are enjoying a mixed season but as long as the players are enjoying their game this bodes well for the future of the club.

In the Reflex League we have again enjoyed some excellent games and at present are placed second in the League there are still a couple of games to play so we are looking forward to an exciting finish. Needless to say I will keep you all informed of developments.

Kevin Ford

## SUPERSTARS – 6<sup>™</sup> SEPTEMBER

On the 6<sup>th</sup> September Peter Cowley will be holding an afternoon of fun on our rinks.

The list is on the wall and please put your name down to say that you will be attending. This is open to friends and family. There will be an American Supper after and Elaine will be putting a list on the wall with foods ideas please tick if you are contributing towards the buffet.

## THE HYLAND GAMES

With the Summer season drawing to a close I am sure that many members are looking forward to the Third Season of what we now call 'The Hyland Games' so brilliantly organised and run by Mike Hyland. Mike will soon be putting the list up for names so please keep a lookout on the usual notice board.

Date	Team Leader	No 1	No 2
02-08	Len Spencer	Joan Wilson	Derek Rawles
09-15	Nigel Pritchard	Carol Pritchard	Chris Jeffrey
16-22	Brian Horn	Betty Horn	Gavin Smith
23-29	Roger Dymock	Jean Dymock	
30 -06	Jeff Man	Sheila Baverstock	Geoff Baverstock

#### **ROTAS FOR THE STEWARDING - SEPTEMBER**

PS: As the Summer Season is on its way out Winter Membership will be open, so if you know of friends and family that would like to join us, membership forms are available in the Club House.

# **RESULTS: CLUB FINALS DAY 2024**

GAME Club Championship Ladies Singles	WINNER Mick Pullen Denise Green	21 21	RUNNER UP Mick Whelan Rita Luffman	19 19
Men's Singles Open 2 Wood Singles	Len Spencer Mike Isham	21 17	Robin Loscombe Rita Luffman	20 11
Men's Handicap Winner	Len Richards	21	Gary King	8
	Denise Green Terry James	20	Pat Metcalfe Malcolm Brewer	7
Australian Pairs	Rita Luffman David Luffman	23	Jane Franklin Bryan Franklin	16
Men's Pairs	Kevin Ford Richard Haydon	22	Gary King Dave Powe	11
Ladies' Pairs	Kath Egerton Denise Green	19	Jan Atcherley Julie Page	10
Ladies Handicap Mixed Triples	Rita Luffman John Egerton Dave Powe Jane Franklin	21 13	Jan Atcherley Terry James Rita Luffman Richard Haydon	20 10
J & M RINKS	Joan Wilson Terry James Len Richards Brian Horn	20	Jane Franklin Gill Davies Mick Gould Dave Powe	18
NEW MEMBERS Novices	Julie Page Len Richards	21 21	Sean Reeves John Cromey	10 13

### "LADIES GET TOGETHER"

Jan and Jane would like to invite all ladies for a luncheon to be held on the 7<sup>th</sup> October 2024 after the Monday Roll Up. Please let us know if you will be attending. Julie will be sending an email out for you to respond..

## **BOWLS HAMPSHIRE – MIXED PRESENTATION** LUNCHEON

Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> October 2024 sees Bowls Hampshire staging its tenth Mixed Presentation Luncheon. All are welcome – husbands, wives, partners, family and friends – so why not come along and join us for this special event. Bowls uniform is not required but we ask that attendees are smartly dressed, e.g. jacket and tie for men. The venue is Fleming Park Bowling Club (off Passfield Avenue) Eastleigh SO50 9 NL at 12.00 for 12.30 pm and the menu can be found on the Friendly Notices Board in the Club House.

P.S. If anyone would like to host a Quiz Night please would you let the Committee know.