

Club Competitions

Club Comps – Please see board for dates of competitions by which each game needs to be played by.

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LEICESTER INDOOR BOWLING CLUB

January NEWSLETTER

Welcome to the January edition of the Leicester Indoor Bowls Club Newsletter.

The aim of this newsletter is to keep all members up to date with what's happening at the club, what's planned for the future, and to promote the club further.

Shoes

We have noticed recently people are arriving at the club in bowling shoes which is causing excessive dirt on our bowling green.

Please only wear your Bowling shoes when playing.

Club Membership

Many thanks to all those that have renewed their membership for the 2021-2022 season.

Those wanting to renew who yet haven't can join now for £25 for the year.

New members can join for £35.

Below are the figures for membership renewals received at 14/1/2022;

Full Membership - 650

Social Membership - 93

Junior Membership – 8

Holidays

We are currently organising two trips. One to Weymouth in May for 4 nights, and Isle of Wight in October for 4 nights.

All details are on the notice board – limited spaces are available.

Winter Leagues

Winter league is now well underway, good luck to all players!

League tables, fixtures and results can be found online at [Leicester Indoor Bowls Club](#). All club leagues are now open to all members, no restriction on gender, to alleviate issues with availability.



The Club Shop is Open!

Wide range of Stock including; Shoes, Bags, Trousers and Shirts

**Monday – Friday
9am- 12pm**

New Bowls Committee

Following the recent AGM and subsequent Management Meeting it has been agreed that instead of the current Men's and Ladies' Bowls Sections we would have just one committee to oversee all bowling activities within the club. The new Bowls Committee would comprise of 1 Secretary (who would oversee all meetings, minutes and arrangements), A Men's and Ladies' Captain and a team of 4 delegates. Any members who wish to be considered for the posts of Secretary, Captain or delegate please see Tom.



Club Charity

The Air Ambulance Service is this year's club Charity. This also the National Children's Air Ambulance. They receive no government funding And are entirely reliant on donations. Each mission costs around £1,700. Please help us by raising as much funds as possible for them this year.

Summer Opening

We will be opening in the Summer months (May-September) on a Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday 9-4.

Anyone wishing to play or set up a team please see Tom for more information.

Vaping

Please be reminded that vaping and/or smoking inside the building is not permitted.

This is a non-smoking club in line with British Law.

Club Merchandise Price List

Henselite Club Shirt - £21 each
(See office for available sizes)
Old design club shirt - £5 each
(limited sizes available)
Club Fleece - £20
Made to order – choice of colour
Club Soft Shell Jackets - £28
Made to order – choice of colour
Club Bowls Towels - £2 each

Club 50th Anniversary

Leicester Indoor Bowls Club turns 50 in September 2022! We want to celebrate this occasion with a number of events during the Autumn months, culminating in a Gala Dinner in December. If anyone has any ideas on other events we can do, please come and contact Tom.

Graffiti

There has been significant additional Graffiti on the club exterior walls.

If anyone would like to volunteer to help us remove and tidy up this on Tuesday 25th January at 10.30am it would be much appreciated.

Pershore

With the New Year brings a new world bowls test stamp. Any set of bowls with the stamp 21 or earlier are now due for testing. Tom will be heading to Pershore again in the next couple of weeks.

Please let him know if you wish to have your bowls tested, stamped or polished.

COVID 19 – Plan B

Face coverings will be legally required to be worn by members and visitors when they enter and move around the club.

The face covering can be removed when they are on the green playing and when having a drink and or meal.

Please also be aware some members / visitors due to age, health or disability reasons are exempt from wearing face coverings.

In addition, if any members / staff live with or have been informed by NHS Test & Trace that they have been in contact with someone who has been identified as a suspected or confirmed case of COVID-19 they do not need to self-isolate.

Finally, we can confirm that Indoor Bowls Clubs do not need to implement procedures for seeing COVID Passports and or negative Lateral Flow Tests, before entering the premises. These are only required, currently, for Indoor venues who will have 500 or more people.

CAR PARKING

All members should now display club sticker in plain sight on their vehicles to avoid receiving a parking fine.

If you need to get one, please see behind the bar.

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Winter 2020/2021 Leagues

Entries for next seasons leagues are now open, all current registered Teams will receive a reminder to enter. Spaces are available for new teams to join the leagues, also some teams Require new players, so keep an eye on the notice board by the pool table For the latest vacancies.

Race Night

The club shop is NOW OPEN! Stock from all the main 4 bowling brands are available to see, try and buy from Slater Street.

New Bowls Prices

Black from £215
Coloured from £275.

Polo Shirts

Available from £15 (subject to sizes in stock)

Get ready for the Outdoor season with New fleece jackets from £40.

Shorts and Trousers from £30.

Opening times:
Monday – Friday
12pm-2pm, 5pm-6pm.

Evenings and weekends available with prior arrangements

The club will be holding its 2nd Race Night of the season on Saturday 21st March.

The cost will be £1 per person, tickets can be purchased from the bar, office or club shop. In the weeks leading up to the event forecast sheets will be going round with a cash prize of £30 if you pick the winning combination.

Also Horses may be purchased prior to the event. If you own the winning horse a £25 prize will be yours.

The night will be ran by Soar Valley Race Nights, more information can be found at www.racenights.biz

Betting on the night is encouraged.

Leicester City FC

Tuesday 18th February saw the team from Leicester City in the Community visit our club to try their hands at Indoor Bowls.

They were kitted out with bowls and shown the basics of our game.

Their competitive nature soon kicked in and in a match of 8 ends one team became victorious 13-7, helped in the most part by a huge score of 7 on the first end!

All the players have commented on how welcoming and supportive our members were, offering tips and tricks to point them in the right direction.

I am sure they will return in the near future and hopefully bring some more of the staff with them.

If anyone would like to book taster sessions for their work parties, friends or family please see Tom who will be happy to help.

Below: Leicester City in the Community Team at Slater Street





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