



THE RINK - January 2022

The President speaks

The days are certainly getting longer and the brighter weather, although cold, makes you feel that things are getting better and with the relaxing of some of the Covid restrictions there is a general sense of turning the corner, certainly if we think back to this time last year when a dark cloud hung over all of us. Down at the Club today the sun was shining, the Green was looking good and the Spring bulbs were popping up - a definite positive feeling that Blackhall Bowling Club is heading towards a good year.

The Management Committee have been planning for the coming season with entries to various competitions and friendlies, Opening Day, return of 'Try Bowling' Open days and social events it feels like it might be a normal year (fingers crossed). The Kitchen is all complete and looking very smart. A big thank you to all of the Committee for all their efforts during the close season to ensure everything is in place for the start of the new season.

This will be my last President's Report for the Rink and I sincerely wish to thank you all for the support you have shown me as President. The past two years could not be described as normal within the Club but everyone rallied round, stuck to the rules and were able to carry on with some bowling but more importantly were able to share the warm friendship that can always be found at the Club. I cannot thank you enough.

Around the Club

The Clubhouse carpet has received a clean and is looking all the better for it. This complements our new kitchen which was put to good use when a group of volunteers helped with the annual bar clean. Instructions for use of the dishwasher and any other salient items will be put up in the kitchen. Broadband is now up and working, network and password details will be published at the club. The green and surrounding areas continue to be worked upon so that they are in great shape for the start of the playing season.

Thanks again to everyone who has helped in the continued preparations for the new season.

Diary

Due to the ongoing COVID situation, events were restricted during January however we hope to be able to return to a more normal programme of events as restrictions have eased. It is worth repeating key dates already agreed upon for 2022 and more will follow in due course:

- AGM: 22nd February
- Ladies annual meeting: 23rd February
- Opening Day: 23rd April
- Closing Day: 24th September

Separate communications will be issued with regards to the annual meetings mentioned above.

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