

SSMBC *IN TOUCH*

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CHAIRMAN'S Comment

I am very pleased that the club has gained three new members during the summer months, including one junior member which is very encouraging. Two further members will be joining shortly. The league season has now started and I hope you all have an enjoyable winter-bowls..

The next issue will be

in December 2019 and all copy material should be sent to me at

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By the end of November 2019

The Generation Game
Three generations of the Cadman family are now club members



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Treasurer's Financial Update

I'm pleased to report that our finances are in good shape and will further be boosted as I collect annual subs which are due this month.

A new supply of "Short Mat Bowling" publications should arrive shortly so our new members will get a copy which I am sure they will find most helpful.

Your Competition Secretary say's

Our summer season against Slapton has been very enjoyable despite losing heavily in the first game leaving us at a disadvantage. However, in July we played at Slapton and won by eleven shots and in the last match at home we won on both mats so honour was restored. Overall Slapton won

by nineteen shots. Many thanks to all who played and supported.

The final of the pairs in house competition was eventually played on September 22nd and won by Adrienne and Dave.

A late presentation for the Lavis Cup

Something to look forward to

Bowls Drives

Our next bowls drive is planned for Sunday November 24th

The first bowls drive of the season was played on September 29th with an excellent turn out of thirteen members. The joint winners with thirty four points each were Yvonne and Tony.



Skittles

We are also planning to hold a skittles evening again just before Christmas on Friday December 20th. With mulled wine and mince pies!!!

Lavis Cup and Christmas Party

We are plannig to hold our Lavis Cup and Christmas Party on Saturday January 11th 2020

AGM and Committee

At our last AGM you voted on the committee Terry Wilson who will primarily be responsible for our club web site. Please make sure you access our web site regularly.

Your Committee now comprises:

Chairman: David Sidwell

Vice Chairman: Alan Bell

Treasurer: Dave Aldworth

Competition Secretary: Anne Sidwell

Secretary: John Cadman

Committee Members:

Chris Bell, Ann Cadman and Terry Wilson

Secretary's Ramble

We are participating in the South Hams league this season with one team as per last year. We are playing in Division Three and I am hoping this will provide most of

our players with more match confidence. Last year was difficult for us due to numbers available for matches however, with numbers increasing we should have less problems

fielding teams. Those of you willing to play please refer to the notice board for full details of our match schedule. I shall issue a small match schedule to all players.

League Demise

Confirming my report on the South Hams Short Mat Bowling Association league meeting. We need to appreciate that this

season is only going ahead because the existing management committee agreed to stand for one more year. If they do not receive

nominations for next year there will be no league. Harsh though this may seem, it is now a reality.

Look what's on

Bowls Drive: Sun November 24th

In House Competitions s Start Nov

First League Match Wed Oct 7th

**Skittles, Mulled Wine Mince Pies
Friday December 20th**

**Lavis Cup and Party
Saturday January 11th 2020**

**Quiz night Saturday March 7th
2020**

SOMETHING SPECIAL

Fund raising

We are planning a quiz night for
Saturday March 7th in aid of
Devon Air Abulance.



As you are all aware
it was our Chair-
man's 80th birth-
day this year and he
has done this in
true style including
a party for club
members in Sep-
tember. Thoroughly
enjoyed by all at-
tending. I am sure
you will join me in
thanking both David
and Anne for their
generous hospitali-
ty.

