

HURST BOWLING CLUB NEWSLETTER

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Skittles Evening Saturday 19th February

25 members have booked their places at our annual winter reunion at the Jack O' Newbury. If you have not told Jackie whether you want the sausage or chicken option please do so as soon as possible. You can pay cash on the night but it would mean less work for Jackie if you sent her a cheque beforehand.

If you are one of the few who has not either accepted or declined please give Jackie a ring (0118 962 9667).

Cheese and Wine - Sunday 27th March 3pm

We will meet at the Scout Hut as usual for a pre-season Chianti, cheddar and chinwag. Please remember to bring

1. A raffle prize
2. Your diary so that we can fill in the first few match availability sheets.

Proceedings will start at 3pm but earlier arrival and help with setting up the tables, chairs, food and raffle would be appreciated.

Chairman v Captain

The Committee have decided that there will be a £3 match fee for the traditional first game of the season (Chairman v Captain) on Saturday 23rd April. Food and a cuppa will be provided.

The green will open on Sunday 17th April at the greenkeeper's discretion, so there is the opportunity for cobweb-clearing roll-ups before the off.

Car Boot Sales

Ronnie has collected some items which are suitable for a Car Boot Sale. She has researched which venues have started running Sales and will look at the long range weather forecast before deciding on a day before the season starts. This is not a one or two person task so please volunteer if you can. Car booting is fun if there is a small crowd of helpers who can chat at slack times and cover each other for toilet and burger breaks. Ronnie will email when she has a planned date or 'phone if you are not on email.

Fixture lists to end of May

		Mixed	
Sat 23 April	3.00	Captain v Chairman	
Wed 27	6.15	Woodley	H
Sat 30	2.30	Wallingford	A
Sun 1 May	3.00	Wargrave	H
Mon 2	3.00	Hose Cup	H
Wed 4	6.00	Farley Hill	A
Sat 7	3.00	Windsor G Park	H
Sun 8	3.00	Ladies v Gents	H
Wed 11	6.15	Maidenhead Th	H
Sat 14	2.30	Harwell	A MUL
Sun 15	2.30	Farnborough G	A
Wed 18	6.30	Great Hollands	A
Sat 21	3.00	Shiplake	A MUL
Sun 22	3.00	Thatcham	H
Wed 25	6.30	Maiden Erlegh	H
Sat 28	3.00	Bracknell	A
Sun 29	2.30	Tilehurst	A
Mon 30	3.00	Farnborough G	H

		Ladies	
Tues 26 April	2:30	Farley Hill	H
Tues 3 May	2:30	Desborough	A
Tues 10	02:30	Bracknell	H
Tues 7	02:30	Palmer Park	A
Tues 24	02:30	Twyford (T/B)	A
Tues 31	02:30	Caversham	H

Pre-Season help at the Club

Dave Green is hoping that the weather will still allow him to do some work on the "car park" bank. He will need help, however, so please expect Dave to contact you if you can hold a spade and stand up at the same time. If you can only manage a feather duster rather than a spade your chance will come when the clubhouse is prepared for the opening of the season.