



# Clanfield Bowls & Sports Club Newsletter

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## A few words from your Chairman

I would first like to thank all of our renewed members for their tolerance during recent weeks. Nobody wants to be out on the rinks bowling more than me, but our small committee of volunteers are trying hard to strike that fine balance between increasing flexibility, whilst maintaining the safest possible environment for those who are visiting the Club to play. We will continue to listen carefully to suggestions and are already taking steps to improve the "service". Examples would now be Pairs play, paying guests and "Sports" members, plus the use of the pusher / gatherers. These next changes will take effect from Monday 3rd August.

Next, I would like to take this opportunity to pay thanks to Carol Carter. Carol has been on the team since our opening last year and since then has been doing some amazing work with developing and managing the membership database and more recently the bookings system. Carol now has to stand down for family reasons but, typically, she has already laid plans for this vacancy to be filled.

Finally, that said, there will be one monthly task left remaining when Carol steps down and that is the one of preparing the members monthly Newsletter. I am assured this is not too time consuming, as most of the articles are forwarded to her ready to go. Thereafter, some minor editing and spellcheck and it is ready to be circulated. **If any one of our members has basic desktop publishing knowledge and would like to take on this little job, that would be very much appreciated. If you are interested please call me or email me using the contact details below.**

Thank you  
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## The 100 Club

The winner of the roll over of £100 drawn at the beginning of July draw was Wendy Peters. Congratulations Wendy!

The final draw for the 100 Club competition will take place at the beginning of August.

**The 100 Club**  
A chance to WIN £50.00 every month



## Cause for Celebration



You may remember that earlier in the year we won the 'Best Community Facility' at the Fullers Village of the Year Awards. We are pleased to say that a plaque has been installed at the club to celebrate this achievement and takes pride of place above the bowls monument created by our very own Mike Smith!

## New Ramps for Disabled Access to Rinks

We reported in our June Newsletter that we had purchased a new Bowls Royce wheelchair to enable bowls play on our all-weather rinks. We are now delighted to report that we have purchased a pair of ramps that will enable wheelchair access directly on to the bowling rinks.

We are grateful to the iGas Community Fund for awarding our Club a grant that has made these vital acquisitions possible.  
Teresa

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## East Hants Lottery Supporting Good Causes

If you would like to join in and support our Club, we would be delighted. If you have any questions, please contact [admin@clanfieldbsc.com](mailto:admin@clanfieldbsc.com)

<https://www.easthantslottery.co.uk/support/clanfield-bowls-and-sports-club/>



## Pairs Play

As mentioned on the previous page from Monday 3rd August 2 rinks will be available at each session for a maximum of four players, so pairs play is now an option. We would kindly ask that you read the **updated bowling procedures** document, sent at the same time as this newsletter, which gives full details.

We realise that many members may wish to just come and spectate, and we would love to see you, but in order to comply with Covid-19 regulations on maximum numbers we must ask that you make sure you have booked your space (and don't forget your picnic chair and suncream!)

Thank you.

**And a note from Nuala.....**

Just when you thought I had gone!

I will be sending out details of a pairs and singles knockout competition to be played under Covid rules.

The competitions hopefully will start approximately mid August.

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## A BIG THANK YOU TO VOLUNTEERS

Thank you, thank you, thank you to all the volunteers who help keep the rinks and Pavilion open. You also help keep me sane – most of the time!

The majority of you will be aware that the duties have changed a little from the system we used before the lockdown reopening. In particular the sanitising of equipment and facilities are essential. Common sense needs to be applied and we should all work together to ensure none of us get or cause the spread of this dreadful disease. Can I ask all members who currently do not volunteer but feel that they can help out, contact me if you haven't already done so?

Current New Stewards, the term I use for those who have agreed to adopt the new guidelines, are responding exceptionally well to the new system. Can I ask you to put the gate padlock on the outside of the main gate? Also, when locking the Car Park gate, if it is difficult, then you are doing it incorrectly! If both plates are correctly aligned the padlock is easy to fit. If you attempt to unlock the gate after the padlock has been incorrectly fitted, you will curse the person before you!!

One other small request is, after cleaning or checking the toilet during your shift, please sign the sheet on the door as well as ticking the steward report sheet. Please smile when you need to remind anyone about self-distancing. Finally, please enjoy your shift and I very much hope you can encourage others to join us. When we can, we shall return to full bowling and the volunteering requirements will double as indeed the chances to enjoy bowling will also. Oh and I am hoping to be the first steward to reach 100 washes of the toilet floor!

Kind regards  
Mike Smith

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## Important Dates For Your Diary

**With much regret, all events are now cancelled due to the Covid-19 outbreak. Please continue to monitor this section as this will be where we will bring you any updates on any possible future events.**