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BRIXHAM BOWLING CLUB – PAIRS FRIENDLY LEAGUE

PLAYING DETAILS AND COMPETITION RULES

1. 19 pairs have signed up to take part. They have been split into two parallel leagues – Wednesday League, 10 pairs and Thursday league 9 pairs.
2. Matches have been fixed for Wednesdays and Thursdays during sessions 1 and 2 (10:00 -12:00 and 12:30 to 14:30) Fixtures will be put up in clubhouse window. PLEASE TRY TO FOLLOW SET TIMES AS LISTED.
3. If you are unable to play at your allocated time then contact your opponents, agree alternative times and then ring Mo and Ken Penhaligon to book a green.
4. League starting dates – Wednesday League 8th July and Thursday 9th July. Last week for matches – Wed 9th and Thursday 10th September. Matches must be completed by 7.30 pm on the Tuesday following the original date. e.g. for week 1, all matches must be completed by Tuesday 14th July prior to start of week 2.
5. Note – Geraldine Nicholls and Mo Penhaligon have agreed to act as reserves if any team member is unable to play in a particular week, however, anyone can stand in providing they are not already in a team.

MATCH RULES

1. Each match is composed of 3 sets of 6 ends – 3 woods played by each player. Toss of coin for Jack in sets 1 and 3, set 2 goes to second team in set 1
2. The match must be completed in the 2 hour session so please be ready to start on time.
3. Scoring – 2 points for winning a set, 1 point if set is drawn. Maximum score possible for winning team is 6 points.

The winners of the 2 leagues will have a playoff, format to be decided, to determine the overall winners.

4. If skippers cannot agree on results for an end, both teams score zero for that end. Move on to next end.
5. Scorecards can be collected from box on the window.

At end of match place card in the competition box next to the scorecards.

6. Ken Butler will collect the scorecards weekly and will record results. Regular updates of league positions will be posted in the clubhouse window.

7 Dress code for matches – club shirts are preferable or suitable white tops and grey trousers or shorts.

Note

1. In case of bad weather stopping you playing on your set day, agree a new date and book with Mo and Ken. If the match is not played by 19:30 the following Tuesday for the Wednesday League and Wednesday for the Thursday League then both teams will score zero for that match.

2. If a match is interrupted by bad weather, the minimum for a match to count is one set to be completed. If rain disrupts the 2nd or/and 3rd sets then each team scores 1 point for the unplayed or uncompleted set.

3. If a pair cannot fulfil a fixture in the allocated week then the match points go to the opposition.

4. In case of prolonged poor weather preventing play in the allocated week. It can be possible to play an extra catch up match in the following week.

HEALTH AND SAFETY – BOWLS ENGLAND REGULATIONS.

1. 1 member of pair 1 only to place the jack at start of first set and then to place it in position as requested by team winning the previous end or at the start of a new set.

2. 1 member of pair 2 only to place the mat in position at start of first set and to place it in position as requested by the team winning the previous end or at the start of a new set. The second member of pair 2 to remove the mat when all 12 bowls have been played.

3. **Pushers and measuring are now allowed.**

4. Mats must be sprayed by allocated handler at end of match and jacks placed in disinfectant bucket as usual.

Enjoy the tournament, be competitive but remember it provides an opportunity for us to meet up with fellow bowlers during lockdown and have some fun.