

Bert Fairhurst Challenge Trophy

The final of the Bert Fairhurst Challenge Trophy was held on Saturday 4th May in front of a large and appreciative crowd. It followed a week of close and exciting games in which the handicap system proved everyone had a chance of winning. Stuart McAlpine, who bowled well all week, overcame a spirited fightback by Bob Leach to win 21-17. Thanks again to Mal Fairhurst for his generous support in providing trophies and prizes for the finalists. Also thanks to Shiela and helpers in organising afternoon tea.



Captain's Main

The Captain's Main competition was held with a large number of entrants and some excellent and very close encounters. The semi finals were particularly good with Phil Leech overcoming Margie Ratcliff and George Roberts triumphing over Brenda Boulton to set up a final on Saturday 8th June between two competitive rivals. It was touch and go whether the final would take place following 24 hours of rain but we managed to get it underway mid-afternoon. George probably played his best ever match, real A team stuff, and ran out a comfortable winner 21-6. Thanks go to our Captain, Shiela Spearing, for her organisation and a super afternoon tea.



President's Main

The final of the President's Main was played on Saturday 6th July and it was a "Dad v. Son" final with Bob Leach playing Phil Leach. Phil was the "Comeback Kid" all week with exceptional victories over George Roberts and Don Peers and then coming from a good way behind to beat Bob 21-16. It was a high quality match enjoyed by the crowd and the President. Thanks go to Bobby Bibby for providing the trophies, prizes and afternoon tea.



Club Championship

The Club Championship for the Don Oakley Cup was held last week and it was a competition full of giant killings. Three ladies made it through to the semi finals but the only man, George Bell, got through to play Sheila Holey. The weather was not great for the final on Saturday 10th August but it proved to be a close encounter watched by a sparse crowd among whom was Don's daughter Sam Oakley. Sheila won the game 21 – 17. The Captain thanked Sam and the Oakley family for the prizes and generous donation to the Club. Thanks go to the Captain and helpers for providing the afternoon tea



Hughes Ennion Pairs Competition

The final of the Hughes Ennion Pairs Competition was held on Saturday 7th September on a bright sunny day. The bookies' favourites lived up to their billing with Brenda Boulton and Phil Leech winning 21-15 against Margie Ratcliff and Shiela Spearing. Thanks go to Margie and Shiela for providing afternoon tea on a most enjoyable afternoon.

