

# the **SYSTON GREEN**

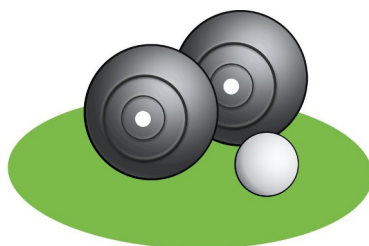
Official Newsletter of the Syston Bowling Club

MARCH 2023

## Dates for your diary 2023

**Friday 3rd of March** - Meet the President (pay subscriptions)  
**FRI 17<sup>th</sup> Mar CLUB LUNCH**  
**Friday 24th of March** - closing date for competition entries  
**Saturday 1st of April** - Green opens (weather permitting)  
**Thursday 6th of April** competition draw  
**Saturday 8th of April** fixtures start.  
**Saturday 22nd of April** - open day  
**Saturday 7th of May** - Kings coronation internal competition & faith tea  
**Monday 29th of May** - open day. ( Part of bowls England big bowls weekend )  
**8th ,9th & 10th of September.** Finals weekend -  
**Friday 6th of October** - Club AGM  
**Friday 13th of October** - presentation night.

**Friday Socials 7PM**



## Editorial copy deadlines

All copy for the next edition should be sent to Pauline Wright (paulinewright15@outlook.com) by no later than the 28<sup>th</sup> Of each month  
Please, please, please supply your match reports, scores, stories, recipes and anything else which you would to share.

**March 31<sup>st</sup> 10.30AM-9PM** and **10 AM-4PM April 1<sup>st</sup>**  
**ART EXHIBITION**  
**FOOD AND DRINK AVAILABLE THROUGHOUT AT REASONABLE PRICES**  
**PICTURE QUIZ AVAILABLE TO DO RAISING CLUB FUNDS**  
**PLEASE SUPPORT SEE POSTER ON BOARD**  
**Thank you**



### SYSTON BOWLING CLUB

All communications should be addressed to The Chairman, Board of Directors  
Syston Bowling Club, Central Park, Syston, Leicester LE7 2HB



Are there signs the intelligent human race is doomed?



I rest my case!!!



# IMPORTANT NOTICE

EQUIPMENT/CLOTHES LEFT IN THE MAIN CHANGING ROOM WILL BE MOVED TO A DESIGNATED SHELF IN THE BACK STORE AND **THROWN AWAY** IF NOT CLAIMED WITHIN TWO MONTHS SO PLEASE MAKE SURE YOU USE YOUR LOCKER OR TAKE YOUR BELONGINGS HOME  
THANK YOU JENNY DEWICK



**Lockers: There are some spare lockers please contact Val Foreman if interested**

**BEETLE DRIVE ON 18TH FEBRUARY 2023  
SOME MEMBERS ENJOYING THE EVENING**



You can have 2 of my best helicopter pilots for free. They're called Andrew and Harry

22:31



# PUZZLE PAGE

## What are these olympic sports?

### Anagrams

REACH RY  
 NOB DAMN IT  
 LABEL BAT SK  
 ALL LEAVE BY BLOCH  
 X BINGO  
 GO IN CONE  
 C CLINGY  
 GIV IN TD  
 I QUEEN STAR  
 NICE GNF  
 DOCK IF HEELY  
 STING MY CASS  
 BANDHALL  
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 BOOTFALL  
 MISS WING  
 CHROME MISSY WINGS  
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 IN STABLE TEN  
 WOODEN KAT  
 N STINE  
 STALE HICT  
 ROT IN LATH  
 BELLY OVAL L  
 A POWER TOOL  
 TIE FLIGHT WING  
 LEW STRING

### Sport

## Arrows crossword 3

Musical instrument	Overseas	Racket	Afresh	Curious	Claim	Wane	Charge
				Suitable for farming	Mature		Jump
				Unused			
Aquatic birds	Blue-violet	Expel				Insect	
			Quick and skillful			Parallel of latitude	
			Result			Division of quantity	Swarm
Expert	Gem				Burst out		
	Naive						
		Twitch	Famous admiral				Novel
Perform			Spell	Lair	Backbone		
Height					Long poem		
						Part of a list	
Constrictor	Crawl					Fibber	Languish
	Desiccated						Unit of power
		Single number	Nothing			Ruminant food	Rumpus
			Sticky substance				
Incorrect				Noisy insect			
Claim back	Become liable to				Inspect accounts		
				Fervid			

## Sudoku easy 011

5			6			9	8	7
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## Number cruncher 03

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### Across

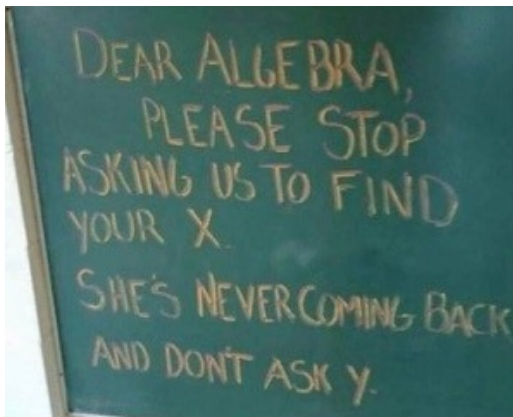
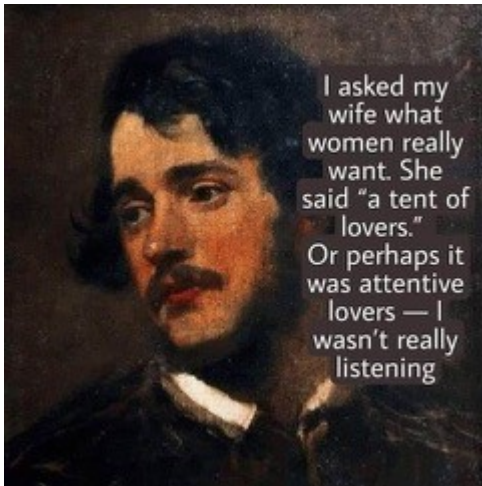
- Nine times eighty-seven
- 8 across plus twenty-seven
- Five times 19 across
- 12 across divided by six
- Four times thirty-one
- 10 down minus six
- Minutes in four days
- 3 down minus 232
- 13 down minus twenty-five
- 4 across plus six
- A gross
- Eleven dozen
- 21 across tripled
- 22 across double

### Down

- 6 across plus nine
- 20 down minus sixty-two
- 150 score
- 4 across minus fifty
- Eight times twenty-three
- 17 across plus 119
- 4 down times seven
- Months in ten years
- Five times 17 down
- Eight times 589
- 11 down plus thirty-three
- 23 across minus sixteen
- 9 down minus 149
- Three times 19 across



## FUNNIES



Dear Sir,  
I have a very complicated benefits question.  
Many years ago, I married a widow out of love who had an 15 year old daughter.  
After the wedding, my father, a widower, came to visit a number of times, and he fell in love with my step daughter.  
My father eventually married her without my authorisation.  
As a result my step-daughter became my step mother and my father became my son in law.  
My father's wife (also my step daughter) and my step-mother, gave birth to a son who is my grandchild because I am the husband of my step daughter's mother.  
This boy is also my brother, as the son of my father.  
As you can see, my wife became a grandmother, because she is the mother of my father's wife.  
Therefore it appears that I am also my wife's grandchild.  
A short time after these events, my wife gave birth to a son, who became my father's brother-in-law, the step-son of my father's wife, and my uncle.  
My son is also my step mother's brother, and through my step-mother, my wife has become a grandmother and I have become my own grandfather.  
In light of the above mentioned, I would like to know the following:

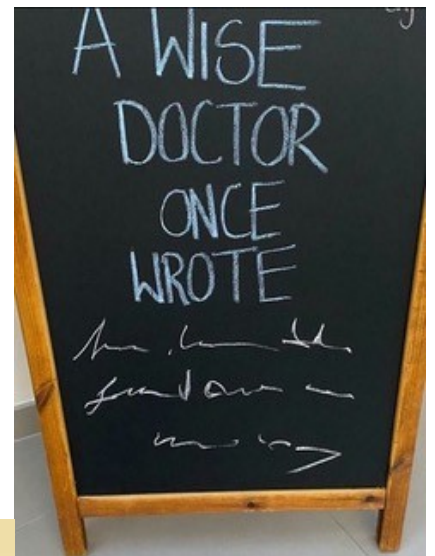
Does my son, who is also my uncle, my father's son-in-law and my step mother's brother fulfil the requirements for receiving childcare benefits?

Sincerely yours,  
Mohammed Mohammed

THE ANSWER:

Of course you qualify Mohammed! I have arranged to start mailing the cheques to all of you just as soon as you arrive here in the UK

Yours faithfully  
Jeremy Corbyn



## Chairs Report by Dave Anderton

Firstly please support our **Art Groups exhibition** which is being held in the clubhouse between the 31st of March & the 1st of April 2023.

It's not long now until the **start of the season**, only one more coffee morning before the season starts. We hope to open the green from Monday 3rd of April 2023 this will be dependent on the weather & the condition of the green. A final decision will be made nearer the time.

Our **first fixture's are scheduled for Saturday the 8th of April 2023.**

Please support our club Captain Roger Stone by putting your names on the availability sheets for the matches throughout the coming season.

A list has been placed on the notice board for volunteers to help **spring clean the club house** . We will also need further volunteers to help **set up the green**. Our Green Ranger will set a date nearer the start of the season.

**Competitions Secretary**-The Board is still looking for a person to run our **internal Competitions**. Whoever takes on the role will be given every assistance available from the board.

**"WHAT'S GOING ON?"** - A flavour of issues currently engaging the attention of the Board and Management Committee by Colin Grimes

### **Greenside benches**

Most of our greenside benches are past their sell-by dates and require increasing amounts of repair to keep them serviceable. The Board is anxious to replace them but, before committing precious resources from Club funds, would like to invite any Member who would like to donate a bench, whether in memory of a loved one or as a simple act of generosity, to make their interest known to Club Chairman, Dave Anderton (07917 573700) or Finance Director, Derek Burdon (07840 103193).

Wood benches of a suitable quality can cost between £200 and £400. Recycled plastic benches cost in the region of £400.

### **Coronation party**

The clubhouse will be open during the Coronation Celebration Picnic Party, organised by the Town Council, to be held on Central Park on Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> May.

### **Competitions Secretary**

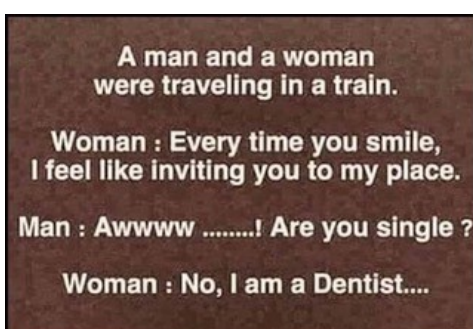
The post of Competitions Secretary remains unfilled. Unless a volunteer comes forward we are at risk of not being able to organise Club competitions this year. Full support and assistance will be given to any individual who offers his/her services.

### **Credit card payments**

Please note that payment for all Club services can now be made by credit/debit card.



Jet fighter pilot on vacation





## BIRTHDAY GREETINGS!

Jane Anderton  
 Myles Clare  
 Jan Holmes  
 David Ingram  
 Ivan Jordan  
 Edna Loder  
 Maureen Page  
 Lesley Richardson  
 Steve Rudkin  
 Ray Wood



## 59 CLUB WINNERS

Hazel Renshaw

Zena Hall

Janice Wilbourn



## Puzzle answers

### OLYMPIC SPORTS

ARCHERY  
 BADMINTON  
 BASKETBALL  
 BEACH VOLLEYBALL  
 BOXING  
 CANOEING  
 CYCLING  
 DIVING  
 EQUESTRIAN  
 FENCING  
 FIELD HOCKEY  
 GYMNASTICS  
 HANDBALL  
 JUDO  
 MODERN PENTATHLON  
 ROWING  
 SAILING  
 SHOOTING  
 FOOTBALL  
 SWIMMING  
 SYNCHRONIZED SWIMMING  
 TABLE TENNIS  
 TAEKWONDO

TENNIS  
 ATHLETICS  
 TRIATHLON  
 VOLLEYBALL  
 WATER POLO  
 WEIGHTLIFTING

### ARROWS CROSSWORD

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### SUDOKU 03

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### NUMBER CRUNCH 3

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