

the SYSTON GREEN

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Green Keepers Report



Following on from my recent article in last months Syston Green regarding my 'Wish List of Improvements to the green I am pleased to confirm the Board of Directors met very favourably with the recommendations outlined in my detailed report. There was unanimous support, subject to Syston Town Council approval, being given for a new single wrought iron gate installed along the hedge line near to the St. Peters street park entrance. The gate similar in design to the existing gates will vastly improve the ease of access/egress of the brown waste bins containing grass cuttings and other green waste on collection day.

The board also approved the proposal of a more permanent brickwork surround to the existing green. This again is subject to STC approval and would see brickwork/ block work or edging stones replacing the existing wood and concrete edging combination that is collapsing in places and has become unsafe and rotten in most areas.

Quotations for the work to be carried out are currently being sought and it is hoped to commence work as soon as possible after the season closes. Further improvements such as slabbing on all four sides of the green are also in hand, once the hedges have been cut back.

There are exciting times ahead for the further improvement of our green and our own enjoyment of the facility.

All of the above of course are subject to suitable quotations being received and approved but fingers crossed we soon may have arguably the best green in the County.

.Martin Warner

Gala Days

Following on from the recent success at the Market Overton gala day Syston Bowling Club were once again represented in force at the Belvoir Vale rinks and Market Overton Triples Galas.

Bank Holiday Monday saw Ken Renshaw, Rod Heggs, Tyler Johnson and Andy Savage together with Kate Toon, Dave Hudson, Martin Warner and Tom Jordan taking on both the challenging green and the cold wind returning with mixed fortunes from their endeavours. Certainly the green played its part and after a 2 game winning start Ken's team slipped back a little after lunch. Dave's team started poorly in the morning breeze and never really recovered, but nevertheless enjoyed each others company if not the bowling.

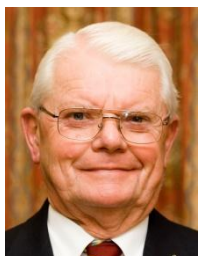
Better luck once again at Market Overton where Andy Savage, Martin Warner and Ken Renshaw were runners up to a Market Bosworth triplet, losing out by 3 points having won 3 and drawing 1 of their 4 matches.

They owe their runners up spot mainly down to Marilyn and Ray Wood together with George Stone who comfortably beat the favourites in their last match allowing Kens team to secure runners up.

Tyler Johnson, Kate Williams and Shelia Parker also represented the club admirably, but lady luck was not on their side and after a bright start slipped away to finish mid position in the overall scores.

Martin Warner

WELFARE REPORT



Good to see John Woodward back in action after a leg injury earlier in the season. In spite of nearing 90 years of age, John still makes a useful lead player.

John Clarke has also been absent from the green recently suffering with a painful attack of gout, but is now able to play again.

No more late news or updates for this month so please keep me informed of any member you know of who may need support from the Club

ROB (Wilbourn)

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BONUS BALL



Lucky Winners for August & Sept are: Linda Brown (57) - Edna (11) – Stan Page (48) – Hazel Renshaw (50)



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Congratulations to the winners!!!

WYMESWOLD TRIPLES LEAGUE – WEDNESDAY EVENING

Congratulations to everyone involved in winning this league.

Social Calender for 2018/19

28th September – Candlelit Bowls

6th October- Presentation Evening & End of Season Party

20th October – Call My Bluff

17th November – Dog Racing Night

15th December - Christmas Party

5th January – New Year Party

3rd February - Beetle Drive

9th March – Karaoke

FINALS MATCHES

<u>Competition</u>				<u>Marker</u>	<u>Date</u> <u>Sept</u>	<u>Time</u>
2 Wood Pairs	G Kennell / M Page	v	D Renshaw / S Page	-	7 th	12:00
2 Wood Mens Singles	S Page	v	G Dodge	G Kilbourne	8 th	10:30
4 Wood Singles –	A Savage	v	R Wilbourn	K Toon	8 th	10:30
Maidens Champion of Champions	Kate Toon	v	Derek Renshaw	D Hudson	8 th	12:30
3 Wood Triples	M Page / E Loder / P Murray	v	G Kennell / K Renshaw / S Page	-	8 th	14:30
4 Wood Ladies Singles	M Wood	v	J Warrington	A Savage	8 th	14:30
4 Wood Pairs - Antita Lowder	R Meyer / D Renshaw	v	A Savage / M Wood	-	9 th	09:30
2 Wood Ladies Singles	K Toon	v	M Wood	TBC	9 th	14:30
4 Woods Mens Singles	D Renshaw	v	K Renshaw	A Savage	9 th	
2 Wood Triples – Syston Town News	TBC	v	P Murray / R Hill / D Hudson	-	15 th	14:00
2 Wood Rinks – Warner Trophy	TBC	v	TBC	-	15 th	10:30

NOTE

All Finals

Played in Whites

Forthcoming Social Events

- **28th Sept - Candlelit Bowls** – Food to include Burgers, Sausages and Chicken Curry.
- **6th October – Presentation Evening/ End of Season Party** – Faith Supper

Vacancy for the position of Regulatory Compliance Director for Syston Bowling Club
Applicants should contact Val Foreman

PLEASE NOTE THE NEXT COFFEE MORNING IS SATURDAY 13th October 2018

Message from the Editor

Thanks to everyone for their contributions to this edition.

Please continue to provide me with regular updates of club activities, by email.

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Please let me have items for the October edition by Friday 5th October 2018

Thanks Sue

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