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INDOOR BOWLS LEAGUE (Final Placings)

Please find below the Leagues' top 3 teams

Sole Bay League P W L PTS

Kessingland 14 11 3 66

Reydon 14 9 4 56

Southwold 14 9 5 54

Aussie Pairs P W L PTS

Northern Territories 21 18 3 36

Melbourne 20 14 4 31

Victoria 21 14 6 29

Car League P W L PTS

Mazda 23 19 4 38

Bugatti 25 16 9 32

De La Haye 24 9 14 19

Football League P W L PTS

Chelsea 20 18 2 36

Liverpool 21 15 6 30

Reydon Town 19 11 7 23

Planet League

Jupiter 9 7 2 30

Mercury 9 6 3 28

Pluto 8 3 5 19

Animal League P W L PTS

Cheetahs 12 9 3 18

Emus 10 7 3 14

Squirrels 10 7 3 14

Thanks to Peter Wenham for collating and supplying these statistics.

2022 INDOOR BOWLS CLUB FINALS DAY 2ND APRIL

As the Indoor Bowls season draws to a close, we experienced an exciting Finals Day on Saturday 2nd April. Well done to all finalists! It was great to watch!

The Winners are highlighted below.

Mens' Singles: Alan Buck v Steve Rennick

Open Singles: Alan Buck v Nigel Anderson

Ladies Singles: Angela Yates v Sheila Self

Mens' Pairs: Alan Buck & Bill Smith v John Whiting & Stuart Bourne

Open Drawn Pairs: John Whiting & Bill Smith v Alan Buck & Nigel Anderson

Ladies Pairs: Angela Yates & Jean Crook v

Maureen Denny & Sheila Self

Mixed Pairs: Alan Buck & Sue Denny

Open Triples: Ray Skitt, Maureen Denny & Sheila Self v Steve Rennick, David Collings & John Block

Open 99 Up: John Block v Nigel Anderson

A big, big thank you to Maureen Acraman, Linda Coe and Rita Smith who battled all day with a temperamental oven but still managed to keep the troops happy with a continuous supply of bacon rolls, sausage rolls and cakes. The kettles were never cold as three gallons of teas and coffees were consumed.

REGISTRATION NOW OPEN SEPTEMBER 2022 INDOOR LEAGUES

Can Indoor League Captains please register their teams for the next Indoor season that begins in September 2022. Ray Skitt has made forms available at Club.

MIXED COUNTY LEAGUE

Our Sole Bay County Mixed team, which travel the County on Sundays, have performed well to finish fourth in the League. An excellent effort.

Team	P	W	D	L	Points
Beccles A	6	6	0	0	39
Ipswich A	6	4	0	2	24
Felixstowe	6	4	0	2	22.5
SOLE BAY	6	3	0	3	20
Mid Suffolk	6	2	0	4	18
Beccles B	6	1	0	5	12.5
Ipswich B	6	1	0	5	11

SOLE BAY INDOOR PRESENTATION EVENING FRIDAY 6TH May 2022

To round off another successful indoor season (particularly for Alan Buck!), a Presentation Evening will be held at the Sole Bay Club on Friday 6th May. This also sees the return of Cathy's legendary buffet. Tickets are very limited and cost £17.50. Contact Robert to secure your seat and plate!

Outdoor Season 2022

For the 2022 season, we have once again entered the Bob Wright League, Benacre League, and Sunshine League.

Please sign up in the Club if you would like to play in these leagues.

Outdoor Captains are John Block (Benacre), Ray Skitt (Bob Wright) and John Yates (Sunshine). A fixture booklet is now available.

A big thank you to the 14 members who turned up to tidy up the green, its surrounds and the pavilion. Your help was much appreciated.

OPENING DRIVE – SATURDAY APRIL 23RD

YES! The season has begun!! Good weather greeted our 18 outdoor stars. Once the rust fell away, two sessions of 8 ends saw the crowds enjoy some close matches played to a high standard.

Our Chairman Derek also made an appearance and thanked Fred Goldsmith for his hard work on the green and Maureen Acraman who, not only worked on the garden surrounds with David Kerridge, but singlehandedly cleared the ditches of leaves and trimmed the edges of the bowling green.

Whilst the stars were performing on the green, a sumptuous array of cakes were revealed in the

pavilion. Tea and cake between the two bowling sessions was followed after the matches by prosecco and beers as members helped celebrate Linda Coe's birthday. Thanks to Pam Lowe and Pat Rumsey for serving the refreshments.



Buck and Smith win by one shot on last end following a rare 'Oulton Broad Draw' This was an extremely close and exciting game.



Angela Yates overcomes Sheila Self to become Ladies Singles Champion.



Three musketeers win Open Triples

Images from the 2022 Sole Bay Indoor Championship

CLUB HATS

Robert still has a very LIMITED NUMBER of white baseball caps (one size fits all shapes of head!) complete with the Sole Bay Club Logo. They cost £7.50 each.

THANKS ROBIN!

Big thank you to Robin and Sue Pipe who took on the responsibility of opening the Club on

Monday, Wednesday and Friday Roll Up
mornings. It's much appreciated.