

President - AGM -2020

As your President thank you for the faith you show in me. I will continue to work hard for the club and for you the members.

I would like to take the opportunity at this meeting to thank those who work so hard to ensure that we all have the facilities to play the sport we all love.

Firstly, I would like to thank both the Management Committee and the Bowls Committee where, this year most of the members serving on these committees are new to their roles. The work they have done during the winter and for what they will be doing in the year ahead is much appreciated, as running a club of this size takes a lot of time, effort and dedication.

The weather during this winter has not been easy for Ken and Trefor working on the greens, but again they look a picture and I thank them and all those who work with them, in whatever capacity, for producing the best greens in the county, which gets so many favourable comments.

Last year the Social Committee was reformed, and they have put on a number of events during the winter with more planned over the next twelve months. They continue to work hard to provide all of our members, social events which befits this club, so please support them and if you have any ideas for any future events, I am sure they would like to hear from you.

As with all clubs, we rely heavily on volunteers to work in different parts of the club. I would like to thank Sheila Turner & Terry Miles who run a very busy bar but they are in need of more support to cover the many matches and events where a bar is required, so if you think you could help have a word with them to find out more about what the job entails.

Most of the matches require some level of catering thanks go to our catering team.

Every year we have an Open Day where we try and recruit new members into the club, last year we had a very successful day with many of those joining have integrated into the club well. We will be running another Open Day in the future but as you know circumstances dictate a delayed start to the outdoor season.

Looking ahead positively once the season does get underway I would like to wish our captains Sue and Simon, along with their vice-captains Alison and Terry a very successful year and as I have said before please make their job difficult, in a nice way, by putting your name down for matches meaning they have a lot of names to choose from.

Finally, can I wish you all a healthy year, with some months of bowling taking place under blue skies and Coronavirus free. I have said this before, this is your club so if we all pull together we can make it a club that others will be envious of and we can all be proud of.

