



JACK HIGH
DECEMBER 2024

Christmas Event

We will be holding two Christmas bowling events on Monday 30th December. These will be on a name down basis and payment will be taken in advance of the event to help with a smooth running of the day. Both will be published on the Managers noticeboard by the front desk. You will not be able to just turn up on the day and play.

At 9.30-11.00am we will run a standalone Christmas Webber, no points scoring just for fun!

Webber will be £8.50pp which includes a bap and tea/coffee to be served at 11.00am.

At 11.30-6.00pm we will run a drawn open Christmas pairs. This will be drawn in advance of the day.

The pairs will be £10pp which includes a bap and tea/coffee to be served between 12-1.30pm.

Both events will be extremely popular and will fill up very quickly so please do not miss out!!

We can take a maximum of 56 players for each event!

Taster Days/Membership

We have had 149 people try bowls at Whiteknights over our two days and taster sessions so far and this continues to grow.

We have had 118 new members so far this season, 14 members re-join These are very encouraging figures we now stand at 901 members.

We have our next Taster day on January 5th at 2.30pm and we are now looking for any volunteers who would be able to support with this. Please let Andy Knapper know via email.

If you live outside of RG5 and RG6 and would be willing to deliver some flyers, please get in touch and we can organise this for you.

Taster Sessions

To support the Taster Days, this season we will be running taster sessions; these will be available for potential new members to book and have a short session with an experienced member on the green.

These must be booked through John McKenzie. These will be available every Thursday morning- 9.30-12.30pm and can be organised outside of these slots by agreement. To book call John on 07817729117.

Bowls Coaching and pathway opportunities as a WIBC member

Losing your line or having weight problems?

May be about to join the New Bowlers League and finding Skipping a bit of a challenge?

Club Coaching (from EBCS qualified coaches) is here to help you.

Normally available Sunday mornings or Monday evenings. Thursday mornings may be possible or other days/times by arrangement. Andy Knapper, the Club Manager, can direct you.

Please see the Posters on the Manager's Noticeboard, opposite reception.

New Bowlers Roll ups

To bring the new bowlers together we will run structured social/practise sessions. This is open to anyone who has joined in the last 2 seasons.

We will then have a practise together, with formats to suit our new members. (Non-members restricted to a maximum of 6 practise sessions). Cost £5 to bowl.

Sponsorship

We are currently in negotiations with several sponsors, however this is an area we would love to grow in the club, if you have any suggestions or contacts, please let us know and we will follow these up. We have managed to attract 15 sponsors to the club for this season, this is an incredible achievement and one that separates us from many other clubs.

Early Bird Roll Ups

This is a reminder that we run early bird roll ups from 7.00am-9.00am on a Monday- Friday, No need to book, just turn up. £2 for the session.

National Competitions

Please keep an eye on the tv in the lounge and the main noticeboard as you enter the club, you will see all the upcoming games advertised in these areas.

Competition Survey

We currently have our survey regarding club competitions out on the front desk, please take the opportunity to complete one of these- we need your opinion...!

Rink Usage

A huge thank you to the members for their superb support in using the rinks at the club. So far, the figures for the season to date have been excellent.

September-100%

October- 93.98%

November-94.77%

Next Steps Meeting for new members

We are hosting a meeting for all members who have joined this season in the dining room on Sunday 1st December at 10.30am. this is an opportunity to find out more information about the club and how it operates, membership options, new bowlers' sessions, new bowlers league, equipment, Webber sessions, coaching and a q and a. This will last about 1 hour, and it would be great for our new members to attend if possible.

New Bowlers League

The NEW BOWLERS LEAGUE LAUNCH NIGHT will be on Wednesday 18th December at 6.30pm in the dining room.

Christmas Draw

The Christmas draw squares are now selling from the kitchen. Please support this. £1 a square with various prizes up for grabs. All proceeds to go to Daisy's Dream.

EXCITING NEWS COMING UP- WATCH OUT FOR THIS IN THE JANUARY "JACK HIGH"...

Events in December

Sun	10:30	01-Dec-2024	NEW MEMBERS NEXT STEPS MEETING	Whiteknights
Sun	14:30	01-Dec-2024	Whiteknights vs London Welsh BA	Whiteknights
Tue	10:00	03-Dec-2024	Governance Group Meeting	Whiteknights
Wed	18:30	05-Dec-2024	M Bicknell Tennis Club	Whiteknights
Thu	12:00	05-Dec-2024	NHS Honorary Volunteers	Whiteknights
Thu	14:00	05-Dec-2024	Recreation Afternoon	Whiteknights
Fri	12:00/10.00	06-Dec-2024	Fish and Chip Friday/Finance Meeting	Whiteknights
Sat	19:30	07-Dec-2024	Barbarettes Choir Evening	Whiteknights
Sun	14:30	08-Dec-2024	Maiden Erlegh BC CLUB DAY	Whiteknights
Tue	10:00	10-Dec-2024	Marketing Group Meeting	Whiteknights
Wed	13.00	11-Dec-2024	Christmas Lunch	Whiteknights
Thu	18.00	12-Dec-2024	Christmas Dinner/Evening	Whiteknights
Fri	09:30	13-Dec-2024	Board Meeting	Whiteknights
Sun	14:30	15-Dec-2024	Whiteknights Men vs Ladies	Whiteknights
Tue	14:30	17-Dec-2024	Ladies Bowls Christmas Event	Whiteknights
Wed	18:30	18-Dec-2024	NEW BOWLERS LEAGUE LAUNCH NIGHT	Whiteknights
Thu	14:00	19-Dec-2024	Recreation Afternoon	Whiteknights
Fri	09:30	20-Dec-2024	Board Meeting	Whiteknights
Fri	18:30	20-Dec-2024	Christmas Quiz and Games Night	Whiteknights
Mon	09:30	30-Dec-2024	Christmas Webber	Whiteknights
Mon	11:30	30-Dec-2024	Christmas Fun Pairs	Whiteknights