



# Aldershot & District B.A.

## JUNE 2024 NEWSLETTER

### New Season

OK the season is well under way and the weather has turned quite warm. We moaned because we had not seen Summer, now we have got it and some have found temperatures a bit too hot – just never satisfied!

### Association Matches

The Association is playing Bowls Hampshire in the “Dick Smith Cup” on Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> July at Yateley BC.

We would like a rink from each club if possible so if your club is prepared to put in a rink, please let Andy Thompson know ASAP so that he can put the teams together. Singletons are also welcome as there are often spaces left when a club cannot field a full rink or if a member pulls out at the last minute.

Currently we are short of three rinks so please try and find some of your club players who are willing to support us.

e-mail Andy on [andy40church@hotmail.com](mailto:andy40church@hotmail.com).

or Phone: 07851 685566

### Membership Recruitment

If you took part in Bowls England’s “Big Bowls Weekend” held on 25<sup>th</sup> – 27<sup>th</sup> May and were successful in recruiting new bowlers, don’t forget Camberley IBC are offering £40.00 per person to any outdoor club who recommend new bowlers to join them. John Guerin is managing the scheme and so, if your club wishes to take advantage of the offer, please let John know.

e-mail John on [guerin.john63@gmail.com](mailto:guerin.john63@gmail.com)

or phone: 0785 565 8177

Camberley IBC are also offering a reduced membership fee for new members as an inducement to get them to join the club. It recognises that a couple joining will find it quite expensive to pay two full membership fees at the start of the season and hope the reduced membership fee for the first year will encourage more new bowlers to join.

### Janet Guess