Camerton & Peasedown Croquet Club

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With a score of 16 - 4 our winning Level play team at Nailsea on 13 July

The Club House still has plenty of bits and pieces left to do! But we are getting there!
The ramp outside the rear door remains temporary. Please only use the front double doors.

The driveway down from the cricket club is increasingly hazardous. Quotes are awaited for repair. For the time being, if possible, **please park at the top, behind the cricket club**, and walk down the steps. If you do drive up our driveway please do not accelerate fiercely at the top and/or tailgate another car. This is tearing up the surface.

A floor finish is needed in the Club House but our funds are now very limited. Quotes have been obtained to carpet the main area and fit vinyl in the toilets and kitchen area.

A decision will be made shortly as to what we can afford. Repairs to the driveway cannot be delayed as the grass maintenance vehicles must access the lawns.

There is a problem with the lock to the equipment store please do not pull off the electronic lock cover that is below the handle… if it does come off please fit it back…

Remember The Club is everyone's responsibility. Please keep it clean and tidy!
AND ENSURE THAT EVERYTHING IS LOCKED UP AT THE END OF EVERY SESSION!!
Please continue to take **special care** in and around the building as there are still **hazards**!!!

Club Lunch Although the last Newsletter said otherwise a Club Lunch **did** happen on 3 August at the Riders' Rest Café at Wellow. 6 people enjoyed the food and venue, despite a few last minute apologies.
The next lunch is planned for 28 September, venue to be agreed.

TOURNAMENTS

CPCC Summer Tournaments are underway: **Finals Day is on Saturday 30 Sept.**
Some entry fees are still due and David will be contacting those who haven't yet paid!
It would be very helpful if, before this happens, outstanding your entry fee is paid……..!
£5/person/competition
By bank transfer if possible to: Camerton and Peasedown Croquet Club
Sort code 30-90-54 account no 41274968 with a reference Summer T.
Or cash…….Any query please contact David Milford. d.milford@yahoo.co.uk

League Tournament Results in July:

GC High Handicap v Bath at home on 4 July:	**A draw……10 - 10**
GC Handicap Team B v Glamogan away on 9 July:	**A draw……10 - 10**
GC Level Play v Nailsea away on 13 July:	**CPCC won……16 - 4**
GC Handicap Team B v Weston Super Mare away on 18 July:	**WSM won.....11 - 9**
GC Level Play 5+ v Swindon away on 21 July:	**A draw……10 - 10**
GC Level Play 5+ v Bath away on 21 July:	**Bath won……..14 - 6**
AC Short Croquet v Taunton Deane away on 31 July:	**Taunton Deane won…… 11 – 5**

Team Captains. **please** keep me posted with results and photos!

GC All England Handicap Tournament
Good Luck to Lynne Wulcko and Phil Hendy who, after taking part in CPCC's qualifying rounds, compete in the Area Final in Bath on 14 August.

FUND RAISING

100 Club lucky number 65…… won £27 for Sandra Fraser again this month!
Contact Nigel to join or buy numbers.
£12 per number per year….. with a chance to win each month. nigelwulcko@yahoo.co.uk

Croquet Taster Event on 19 July organized by Fran for "Not the WI" raised **£110.** Well done!

Wednesday 29 November Craft Stall at Bath Christmas Market coordinated by Sue and Mo.
If you have any **spare wool, fabric or materials** which can be transformed by our crafty team into beautiful things please bring them and put them in the box in the Club House.
moboys@talktalk.net sue.wagstaff2@btinternet.com

COMPETITIONS

Progressive Doubles Competition on Thursday 31 August
18 players are signed up for this Competition but as multiples of four are needed two more people are required…… or six?.....!
This competition is particularly good for less experienced players… they get help from the more experienced and a chance to take part in a competition without the stress and with some fun!
Please contact Mo moboys@talktalk.net or sign up on the Notice in the Club House.

Open Doubles Competition on Tuesday 19 October
16 couples are required for this Competition. Currently there are two spaces left. Mo is also organising this so please contact her if you and/or your partner would like to take part.
moboys@talktalk.net

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

31 August Progressive Doubles Competition
19 September Open Doubles Tournament
28 September Club Lunch
30 September Club Finals Day and Bbq

Week commencing 2 October: Lawns out of action for Winter dressing and lawn resetting

21 October Quiz Night at Claverton Village Hall
29 November CPCC Stall at Bath Christmas Market
14 December Christmas Party and Lunch

Our B team who at played away at Glamorgan on 9 July.....
the result was a draw!

And then they played again on 18 July at Weston Super Mare but ….

Weston Super Mare won 11-9
The score was 9-9 until the last two games!!