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FINALS NIGHT-AUTUMN TEAM COMPETITION

After three months of battling it out Team Emsden whose team was Rob Mahon, Tom Heigl, Colin Walkey, Lucy Emsden emerged as victors against Team Walker comprising James Alty, Pete Walker, Nick Mathews, Ashley Kennes by 166 points to 145. Well done to everyone who participated and/or supported.

A special thank-you to Jack Parkin, our Competitions Organiser, for running and managing the event.





SQUASH TOUR PORTHCAWL 2019 - CALLING ALL PLAYERS!!

Are you interested in coming along on the 2019 Squash Tour to PORTHCAWL Squash Club. Friday 3rd (pm) to Sunday 5th May. All standards welcome.

To register interest please email Graeme Mascall at squash@warwickboatclub.co.uk.



WBC DEVELOPMENT PLANS

Approval was granted at the main club AGM held on 28th November 2018 for the Development Committee to move forward to, "the next stage" with the development proposals that have been exhibited in the clubhouse.

This will entail working up a detailed planning application over the coming months. Alongside this, we will need to ascertain the cost attributable to the squash components and explore all possible funding options through the likes of England Squash and Sport England. If you are interested in getting involved please contact the Squash Captain, Graeme Mascall.

For more information on the development proposal please follow the link below:

http://warwickboatclub.co.uk/Proposed_development_plans_10-



24 HOUR SQUASHATHON SUCCESS!!!!

A whopping £1900.00 was raised for the Friendship Project over 24 hours on 13th October to coincide with World Squash Day. Many thanks to all who took part supported and raised funds.

Some pictures of the event start and finish are above.

For more information about the Friendship Project please visit:

<http://www.friendshipproject.co.uk/>

SUMMER POINTS ACCUMULATOR

Many congratulations to Tibor Szolnoki for winning the summer points accumulator in the squash leagues. Tibor won with 84 points, a large margin of 19 over second place Martin Smart with 65 followed by Nick Mathews in third.

OLYMPIC NEWS UPDATE

Get squash into the Paris 2024 Olympic Games . There has been communication from the I.O.C .that with scheduling pressures it will be increasingly difficult for 'new' sports to be included in the Olympics. Make sure you register your vote at @Vote4Squash to give our sport the best chance possible of making it to Paris

Our local team, Warwickshire / Kenilworth are top of the northern division with a 100% record of 4 wins. The fixtures for the second half of the season have yet to be published but up-to-date details can be found at:

<http://pslsquash.com/>



SQUASH TEAM'S HALF TERM REPORT

The first half of the season has seen mixed results. The men's 1st team have consolidated 4th place in division 4 with 4 wins and 4 losses. The second team, despite a number of close matches, remain without a win. A battling performance by the 3rd team have seen two wins and 5 losses meaning they are 6th in division 7.

Our ladies team sit in 3rd place in div 2 with 4 wins and 2 losses. A big push is required in the second half of the season.

NEXT QUARTER UPCOMING EVENTS DATES FOR THE DIARY:

- Committee Meeting – 07/02/19
- Captains Grand Prix - 22/03/19
- Club Open Day – 27/03/19
- WBC Singles Spring Tournament – March/April
- Upcoming PSL Fixtures – See PSL Website
- Porthcawl Tour – 03/05/19

TEN PIN BOWLING AT LANE7 BIRMINGHAM

A striking social afternoon of ten-pin bowling was held on Saturday 15th December at Lane7 at The Cube, Birmingham. Competitive instincts kicked in as Gary Murphy, Polly & Lai Tsang, Jack Parkin, Paul Docherty, David Wall and Graeme Mascall battled it out. A truly fantastic venue, see more at www.lane7.co.uk. Dinner afterwards at Cote was followed by a final seasonal (and medicinal !) beverage at the German Christmas Market.

CALLING ALL VOLUNTEERS!!!

If you are interested in getting more involved in the squash section, development proposals, social media or writing an article for our next news letter please get in touch with one of the committee members.

We are trying to make more of our social media platforms. Be sure to follow us at:

Website - www.warwickboatclub.co.uk/squash

Twitter - @warwickboatclub

Facebook - www.facebook.com/WarwickBoatClub/

Instagram - warwickboatclub

