



2016 ALBC DRAWN FOURS



Winners

J.Fitzgerald,V. Sykes,C.Ewer,V.Parsons



Finalists

**J.Fitzgerald,V.Sykes,J.Burgess,, E.Ritson
H. Dodds, Bill Lovett, C. Ewer, V. Parsons**

ALBC Drawn Fours commenced with thirty-two players, eight teams, taking part in this knockout competition played from the 28th October until the final on Saturday 29th October 2016

The **Final** was won by John Fitzgerald, Chris Ewer, Vic Parsons and Viv Sykes against John Burgess, Harry Dodds, Bill Lovett and Eileen Ritson. On paper this was going to be a competitive competition and proved to be so. The result was a win For John Fitzgerald's team who lead from the start. However, on the twelfth with the score 15-4, John Burgess and team began to reduce this lead and by the sixteenth end the score was 15-13. For both teams a nervous last two ends was played with John Fitzgerald and team taking the championship 18-13.

Losing Semi-finalist to the winners, Graham Patrick, Roy Ritson, Liz Quintrell and Siobhan Herrity started well in the opening ends, but John and team continued to play well winning comfortably.

The other losing Semi-finalist to the runners up were Dennis Willoughby, Clive Taylor, Clive Pritchard, and D Fowkes. They played well and although reducing John Burgess and team's lead on the thirteenth end were unable to sustain this and lost 20-15.

John Fitzgerald, our Captain, thanked the players and spectators for their support and for Vic Parsons running the competition, Jim Pike and Bryan Hughes for preparing green and equipment, Ken Sykes for taking the photograph of the presentation.

Vic Parsons – Deputy Chairman & Press Officer

