



Winners: John OHara, Reg Birmingham, Wayne Roberts



Finalists: Pat Deacon, Colin Wright, Maetin Harria, John OHara, Reg Birminham, Wayne Roberts



## *Almeria Bowling Club*

### 2017 Spring Handicap Triples Report

This is the fourth year of this competition which commenced on 9th January and was played on Monday afternoons. During that period of eight planned dates, the best four individual total scores was totted up. These were then drawn into two triples to play in the Final on Friday 3rd March.

The Final six successful members were the Winners, Reg Birmingham, John OHara and Wayne Roberts who were drawn to play Colin Wright, Pat Deacon and Martin Harris.

The competition is a drawn triple, except the total handicaps of the drawn teams are averaged and the difference starts the game at that level. The score will count when ten ends have been played if inclement weather stops the game. Other changes are when a dead end occurs, the jack is placed on the side markers

**Final:** In a low scoring, very entertaining quality game, Colin's team took an early lead when Reg's team dropped six shots on the sixth end. Both teams fought well and on the tenth end scores were level at 10-10. Unfortunately, despite some excellent play Colin's team were unable to progress, staying on the score of 10 for five ends with Reg's team scoring single shots until reaching 15-11 on the sixteenth end. At this stage, Colin and his team with only two ends left to play were unable to win as the eleven ends Reg and team had won, gave them a deserved victory.

Our Competition Secretary, Tony Lear thanked the members for their support, Jim Pike and Bryan Hughes for the care of the green and equipment, for the players giving us an excellent Final. Our captain John Fitzgerald then echoed these thanks which included thanking Tony for running the competition. The Trophy was then presented to the winners, Reg Birmingham, Wayne Roberts and John OHara. Yours truly then took the photographs. Please Remember this report and photographs will be found on our website [www.bowlingalmeria.com](http://www.bowlingalmeria.com)

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