

## 2018 Avalon 321 Challenge Cup

**Winners** Finalists





The competition was open to Cabrera, Indalo, Mojacar, Almeria, Zurgena bowling clubs. It was disappointing that only three teams from Indalo Bowling Club made up the total twelve teams in the draw. This year it was held over two days , 28<sup>th</sup> and 29<sup>th</sup> October. This competition played with a 321 round-robin format, where teams of three players play six ends of Triples, six of Pairs and finally six ends of Singles over a set period of two hours. The players drawn into two groups A & B. The winners of each group play each other in the Final and the Runners-up play for 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Place

Winners were a mixed team from Almeria Bowling Club. (ALBC) and Cabrera. Keith Minnett, Eileen Ritson (ALBC) and ex Almeria player Austin Crilly from Cabrera against an Indalo team of John Henworth, Richard and Lois Swaine This game went to the wire when scores were level as they were at 14-14 a triple was played to determine the winners

In the 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> play off Sylvia Pritchard, Colin Wright and Reg Birmingham lost by two points to Cath and Graham Patrick with Wayne Roberts.

After the games our Captain, Reg Birmingham, thanked Roy Ritson for his excellent scoring software, Jenny Birmingham for helping with collating scores, Tony Lear for running the competition. All the players who took part plus the many spectators that attended. Finally, for Bryan Hughes for keeping the green and equipment in order. He then presented the Trophy and prizes to the Finalists

## Vic Parsons – Vice Chairman & Press Secretary

The prize money was fees taken and contribution from ALBC funds. Hopefully Avalon Funeral Plans will continue to sponsor the **Open 321 Avalon Challenge**. Unfortunately, they weren't informed early enough because I didn't contact them in time, but the Avalon Management are confident this will be paid