



2018 Christmas Party and Presentation

A wonderful day was had by our members on the 11th December celebrating the annual Christmas get together, first having a drawn mixed match bowling match.

Most members were dressed traditionally in Christmas attire and thoroughly enjoyed their game. A group photograph of all attendees was taken before play commenced to be published on our website home page heading. A 'Spider' then took place. After bowls everyone retired to the Miraflores Ballroom for liquid refreshments prior to the Christmas Lunch. As usual the Carvery was excellent and the sweet just as good.

When the carvery was completed, Our Captain, Chris Brown then addressed the attendees beginning with thanking all members who had helped making this day successful and a special mention to Bryan Hughes helped by John Fitzgerald for their care and attention of the greens and surroundings. He continued with results of the morning bowls. The winning team was a rink, Graham Patrick, John Phoenix and Chris Smith who were presented with a bottle of wine each. The 'Spider' winner was Mike Hendry who received a bottle of whiskey.

Chris was then joined by our Ladies Captain, Carole Hollett to present all club competition finalists with their prizes. A Photograph of all was then taken. This can be viewed on our website under 2018 Christmas Party. Included in this post is a file with all Winners and Runners up.

Thanks to all members who had donated the prizes for the Christmas Party. On completion of prize giving the raffle took place starting with Chris and Sandra Brown's wonderful Hamper, which raised 150 euro, won by Bryan and Rachel Thompson. Thanks go to Eileen Phoenix, Elaine Lovett and Carol Hollett. who had worked very hard in sorted prizes into packs, hampers etc. Carole Hollett then went around the ballroom getting individuals to draw raffles from her large box. The winners announced by Eileen Phoenix.

All monies received from Raffles, Chris and Sandra's Hamper and Spider amounted to a superb 412 euros. Well done to all.

Finally, a huge thank you to Sandra Brown who once again did a superb job in organising, collecting monies for the meal and staff who had also supported us well with refreshments during the dinner. And giving us a great Christmas Party

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