

2019 February Monthly Report

The **Dyer Cup and the Appleby Vase.** Men and Ladies Club Singles commenced on Thursday 31st January with preliminary rounds, followed by both men and Ladies playing Quarter Finals on Friday 1st reaching both Semis on Saturday 2nd with the Final on 3rd February

The winner of the **Appleby Vase** was Catherine (Cath) Patrick over Sylvia Pritchard who was also the finalist in 2018. Bryan Thompson winner of the **Dyer Cup** in 2018 won again winning over last year's finalist Ken Richardson. Cath reached the Final by beating Maureen Ohara, Bryan won over John Fitzgerald. A full report and photographs can be viewed on link. http://www.bowlingalmeria.com/archives/18855

This year the FAB Mixed rinks entries were very good with twenty teams taking part. Hosted by Mojacar Bowling Club. The competition was open to all local bowling clubs including, Mojacar, Cabrera, Almeria, Indalo and Zurgena. Commencing on Thursday 14th and continued until Sunday 17th February, when the Semis and Final took place, weather was generally good with a little chill in the air.

Winners were an Almeria team: Tony Lear, Carole Hollett, Joyce Sheard and Joe Sibley who were successful over an Indalo team: Richard and Lois Swaine, John Henworth and Brian Roberts. Tony's team reached the final by successfully winning over a team from Zurgena: Keith Porter, Adrian & Ruth Davies, Ann Belsey. In the other semi-final, Richard and team were winners in a close game against an Almeria team: John and Chris Fitzgerald, Chris Ewer and Brian Hallam. A full report and photographs can be viewed on link. http://www.bowlingalmeria.com/archives/18966

2019 Parsons Trophy & Jackson Cup. The Ladies Club Pairs, Jackson Cup and Men's Club Pairs, Parsons Trophy competitions were played from Thursday 21st until the Finals on Sunday 24th February

The **Jackson Cup** Final was between the winners Carole Hollett and Eileen Ritson against Lyn Smith and Mandy Harris

The **Parsons Trophy Final**, was between the winners Reg Birmingham and Colin Wright against last year's winners Chris Ewer and Ron Lloyd. A full report and photographs can be viewed on link. http://www.bowlingalmeria.com/archives/18929

The **Winter League** and **11 a Side** competition continues and at the time of writing our Rovers team are leading the league. Our three 11 a Side Teams Red, Blues and Navy are doing well with the Red team leading in one part of league and Navy competing for second place in the other league. More information in March report which will include news and report of the Spring Handicap Triples and Lady's Charity League games

Finally, please note that all full reports and photographs will be found on our websites www.bowlingalmeria.com

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