

# NEWSLETTER

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Welcome to the fifth bulletin from the Management Council giving information about the issues that were discussed at the October Management Council meeting.

## ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

A first draft of the 2010-2011 Accounts had just been issued by our Accountants. A series of amendments and corrections had been sent back and we are now waiting for, hopefully, the final version. This will be reviewed at the November Management Council Meeting before being submitted to the AGM which we are still planning to hold on Wednesday November 23rd.

## WHAT'S ON DATABASE

In order to help advertise the various social functions that are now happening regularly in the Club it was agreed to create a database of club customers who were happy to be emailed or texted with the latest "What's On" events. As an incentive to get everyone to participate it was agreed to hold an on-going monthly birthday draw for those in the database to win a Sunday Lunch for 2 with a bottle of wine. In addition, for the first few months, there would be a general draw amongst those signing up during the month for a similar prize. Keep a lookout in the bar for entry forms!



## CLUBHOUSE REDEVELOPMENT

Roger and Graham reported that they had met with the developer along with his lawyers and ours. There did not seem to be any remaining differences between both sides on the nature of the contract but there was still some legalese to be agreed on the actual wording of them. It is planned that the final wording will be agreed well before the November Management Council Meeting so that they can be presented to the Council for agreement. Following which they will be signed and the process of submitting a planning application set in motion.

## SPORTS SECTIONS

Each sporting section is contributing to the life of the club but Tennis, Bowls and Softball are still looking for new members. If you fancy joining a section please contact either of the under-mentioned people.

Bowls Contact: Martin West : 0208 842 2209

Tennis Contact: Wendy Jenner : 01753 651071

Softball Contact : Julie Spittle : 07811 600474 : [info@richingsparksoftball.co.uk](mailto:info@richingsparksoftball.co.uk)

## HELP ALWAYS WANTED

We close with the usual repeat of a call for volunteers to help try and keep the clubhouse standing and reasonably attractive for the next couple of years. We therefore continue to ask whether any members out there would be willing to volunteer some of their time. Below is a list of the skills we need and if you can offer some help then please drop a note at the bar addressed to Roger Sprules stating your skill and a point of contact.

Carpentry

Painting / Decorating

Electrical works

General clearing up of grounds and sheds

Welding

