

MINUTES
Sellindge Bowls Club
Committee Meeting
Held at Sellindge Bowls Pavilion
13th April 2026 10am

Present:

Trevor Oliver-Jones Lawrence Harvey Teresa Oliver-Jones Christina Sandy Kevin Gipson
Jacky Antin Shelley Shephard Andy Shephard Debbie Anderson Joyce Groom
Apologies: Rosemary Atkins

An additional meeting was held to discuss the following: -

Applications for five new playing members were considered and agreed by the voting committee members.

Treasurers Report: -

Very similar to last year, Lawrence is happy with the situation at this time.

Matches: -

Christina was happy with the new system she is putting in place apart from a few teething problems. Unfortunately, she is immediately having problems with the mid-week away fixture at Minster which may have to be cancelled if further volunteers are not forthcoming.

It is suggested that car sharing becomes more the norm to help with the fuel situation, this worked well prior to covid and the committee would like to encourage the system to become more regular for away matches.

Competitions: -

Andy has suggested a social evening on Wednesday 29th April in the clubhouse to include a quiz and the drawing of the first rounds of the three main in-club competitions. This was considered an excellent idea, and further details will be put out shortly.

Shirt designs: -

This was discussed as a possible for the future, as so many designs are available, and we needed a starting point to discuss with Zapkam when getting quotes etc.

Open Day: -

We ask that members playing on Saturday bring a £1 coin with them for donating on the first event which will be a "spider" this is for the Bowls England "Charity Visually Impaired Bowls England" Committee to organise.

Coaching Sundays: -

Andy and Shelley have this in hand and Shelley came up with some good ideas picked up from indoor bowls.

Inhouse Raffles: -

This was suggested that two members be asked to take this on for the season when we hold our inhouse social gatherings. Prizes still to be donated by members but the selling of the tickets to be owned by two chosen volunteers, to also include the annual dinner raffles sales.