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PALM READER

The Palmerston Indoor Bowling Club Magazine

Annual General Meeting

**Please make a date in your diary to attend the AGM on the 11th April
Your attendance is vital for this very important meeting**

Finals Week

30th March to 5th April

**Come and support your fellow members who have
progressed through to the finals of the various**

There have been several requests this month for positions in **your club** to be filled by volunteers. There is also a request in general for members to participate in as many club activities as possible from league membership to attending 'Friendlies' of which we have had several cancellations through lack of support this season. The club needs to be kept vibrant and competitive with a sustainable income. This can only happen with your help. Thank you

Lady Vice President

*Nominations are invited to fill
the role of Lady Vice President
for the coming year.*

Help stop the decline in Leagues

Ladies.....Can you find six or seven friends or colleagues to make a team of rinks or triples for the next winter season. Choose a name for the team along with the day and time you would like to play. Registration fees required by Friday 27th March

Lesley will only be too pleased give you information and help if you are interested. Please think seriously about this as we are really hoping to have a full league programme for the season.

Palmerston Business Park (off Newgate Lane, Fareham) Tel 013 2923 2005

www.palmerston-indoorbowls.co.uk

In case you ever wondered about the competitions you see on the notice boards.....a short explanation

These competitions usually take place at the weekends.
Team details are on the club notice board

MEN

Bramley Bowl - County League First Division
4 Rinks
2 Home / 2 Away



Top Ten National League played in Areas
4 Rinks
Singles - Pairs - Triples - Rinks
2 Home / 2 Away

LADIES

Riversmeet Trophy - County League
4 Rinks
2 Home / 2 Away

Other competitions being played by men and ladies are county and national individual entries.

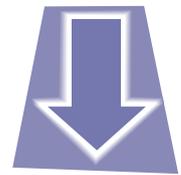
Some team competitions are played earlier in the season and will be detailed at the start of next season



What's the connection with the following?

Plasters
Nail clippings
Tissues

Answer



They have all been found whilst cleaning the rinks!!!
Please be careful

The Social Committee has agreed to suspend the operation of the 'Treasure Chest' in its present form. The fund raising to the club part of it raises only about £11 - £12 per week, a far cry from its earlier days. We much appreciate the support that has been given and we congratulate the lucky winners. Opinions and advice will be sought, in the hope that we can either re - vamp the 'Treasure Chest' or introduce some other form of fundraising in the Autumn.

Members are asked to accept our regrets and that we can re - kindle your support in the next season.
We will keep you advised on the matter

Maurice Brown (on behalf of the social committee)

Vacancy in April

Men's and Mixed League Secretary
required

We must have a volunteer for this post so please think seriously about if you could fill this vacancy

All possible help and guidance will be given to the applicant

Please contact Ian Chittenden

Please
Do not throw
 away the cup
 holders with the
 plastic water
 cups

Belated thanks
 Just to say a big 'Thank You' to all those who helped or
 donated in any way to the
 Christmas Coffee Morning / Fayre.
 This event raised a magnificent **£913.05** for the club
 funds



Don't sit at home and worry about the things you have to do
 Like the cleaning of the kitchen, the bathroom and the loo
 And don't forget the laundry, the ironing as well
 And putting out the dustbin before it starts to smell
 You can always find so many things that still need to be done
 But if you let them rule your life there's no time left for fun
 So get up of your backside and get those two feet rolling
 Leave the chores and jobs behind and take your self out Bowling



DH



**Rainbow Centre
 Charity Evening
 Dinner and Dance**

*14th March
 6:30 for 7:00*

*Dress
 Ladies - Evening wear
 Gents - Lounge Suit or
 Black Tie*

*Members - £13
 Guests - £14*

**Phil Owen
 entertains**

Answers to terrible Teasers 4

- 1 The knob of iron left on a cannon ball after casting
- 2 One's self
- 3 In 1918 (just after First World War)
- 4 The ferry vessel for ferrying first class passen
 gers to the Titanic. She lays in Belfast docks,
 having been rescued
 from scrapping in France
- 5 Spiral bands holding up the yolk within an egg



Bonus Ball
 Winners for Jan / Feb

	3rd Jan	M Snelling
	10th Jan	D Daish
	17th Jan	M Todd
	24th Jan	R Maple

*Mixed
 Drive
 4th
 March
 At
 2:00pm*

Treasure Chest latest

9th Jan	Peter Carter	£5
16th Jan	Paul Urry	£5
23rd Jan	Malcolm Chapman	£5
30th Jan	Bill Pennicott	£5
7th Feb	E Urry	£55 + £5

£15 carried forward to September



LIGHTER SIDE



Across

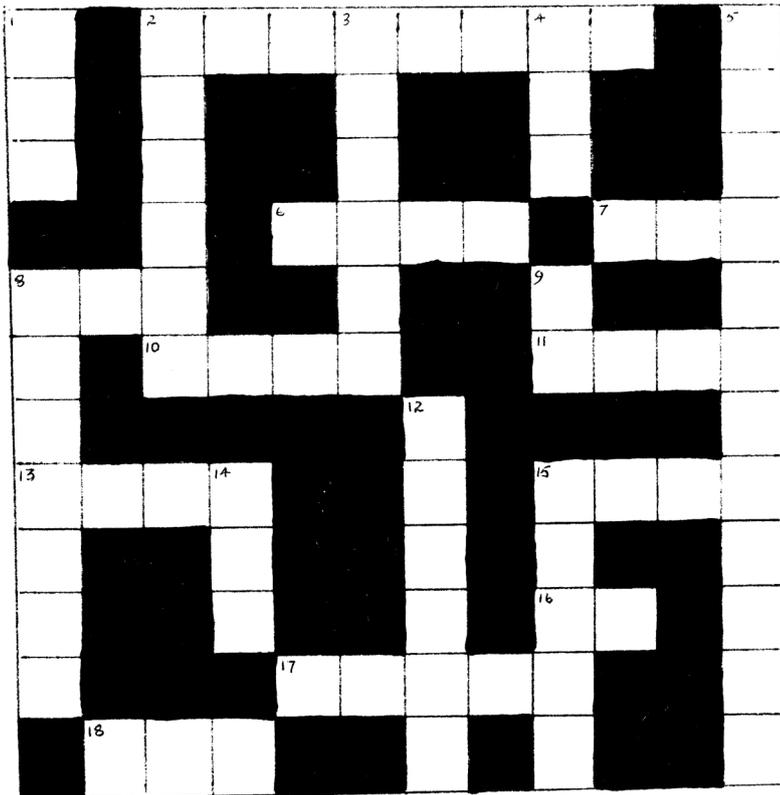
Down

- 1 Equal to the game 3
- 2 See the point with these shoes 6
- 3 Number one 6
- 4 Get this right for the green 3
- 5 Helps to get a grip 6/6
- 8 Helps to carry the weight 7
- 9 A conjunctive to make this work? 2
- 12 With seven across and nine down 6
- 14 In for birdie? 3
- 15 Bit over the par! 5

PJC No. 6



- 2 An Americanism for a hazard 8
- 6 Could not play golf here 4
- 7 First nine 3
- 8 Not for drinking 3
- 10 Not painful to watch 4
- 11 Bring that round 4
- 13 More on this clue 4
- 15 Something to shout about 4
- 16 Don't stop 2
- 17 This will keep the club open 5
- 18 Got it down 3



Across

- 1 Sulfonic
- 6 Imp
- 8 LWE
- 9 Ann
- 10a Acting
- 11 Peter
- 12 Apple
- 13 End
- 15 Gap
- 16 PE
- 17 Nor
- 18 Untidy
- 21 IT
- 22 In
- 23 Art
- 25 Yes
- 26 Ma
- 28 Yataghan

Answers to crossword 5

Down

- 1 Statehouse
- 2 Flip
- 3 Own
- 4 Negate
- 5 Capping
- 6 Integrity
- 7 Paraphrasing
- 10 Nel
- 14 Destined
- 16 Pod
- 19 In
- 20 Yamas
- 24 Rat
- 27 Age

Accountant - someone you hire to explain that you didn't make the money you did

Q: Why is perfume so obedient?
A: Because it's scent everywhere it goes

A man goes into his son's room to wish him goodnight. His son is having a nightmare - the man wakes him and asks his son if he is OK? The son replies he is scared because he dreamt that Auntie Susie had died. The father assures the son that Auntie Susie is fine and sends him to bed. The next day, Auntie Susie dies.

One week later, the man again goes into his son's room to wish him goodnight. His son is having another nightmare - the man again wakes his son. The son this time says that he had dreamt that Uncle John had died. The father assures the son that Uncle John is fine and sends him to bed. The next day, Uncle John dies.

One week later, the man again goes into his son's room to wish him goodnight. His son is having another nightmare - the man again wakes his son. The son this time says that he had dreamt that daddy had died. The father assures the son that he is OK and sends the boy to bed. The man goes to bed but cannot sleep because he is so terrified.

The next day, the man is scared for his life- he is sure is going to die. After dressing he drives very cautiously to work fearful of a collision. He doesn't eat lunch because he is scared of food poisoning. He avoids everyone for he is sure he will somehow be killed. He jumps at every noise, starts at every movement and hides under his desk. Upon walking in his front door at the end of the day, he finds his wife. "Good God, Dear," he proclaims, "I've just had the worst day of my entire life!" She responds, "You think your day was bad, the milkman dropped dead on the doorstep this morning."

Articles, comments, letters are always welcome and can be put in my pigeon hole or sent by email to b.hayles@ntlworld.com