



NORTHERN BOWLS ASSOCIATION

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## Bowling Update – June - July 2020

Dear Members,

The bowling season has started at Beau Sejour and we are really pleased over 30 members have taken the opportunity to play in the games available.

We will be playing a “home” and “away” game against GBC on the 4<sup>th</sup> of July at 2pm, with the return fixture on the 5<sup>th</sup> of July at 10am. These will be triples matches and if you would like to play, and haven’t already been spoken to by Paul, please contact him as soon as possible.

### Fixtures Secretary Update from Emma

NBA Monday Night Triples (Up to 22 <sup>nd</sup> June)						<p>We have our own notice board in the GBC club house, and all the Monday nights triples cards are there, and rink drawn in an envelope on the board. If they can be kept in date order that would be great.</p> <p>If you wish to play a game before the date, let me know, and could you put the card in the other envelope so that I can collect them.</p> <p>Results and league fixture list are also on Facebook - Northern bowls association and on the website - <a href="http://www.northbowls.com">http://www.northbowls.com</a></p>
Team	Played	Won	Draw	Lost	Points	
Jokers	2	2	0	0	4	
All the Micks	1	1	0	0	2	
Bridge	2	1	0	1	2	
LIME	2	1	0	1	2	
Westerners	1	0	0	1	1	
The Tadds	2	0	1	1	1	
Socialites	1	0	0	1	0	

For those playing at GBC they have a limited number of spare lockers please check with Robin to see if any are any available.

There is a tuck shop in the club house and they will be acquiring the stock from NBA so please feel free to tuck in!



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Trevor has some spray chalks available for sale for the NBA funds – please see him if you need one.

**Quick reminder Friday nights are still available to us for an umbrella competition – we will open up for 6pm so please come along if you want to play.**

We have set-up a subcommittee to work with GBC, Bowls Guernsey, and the Sports Commission to ensure that bowls not only continues to be played on the island but grows in terms of membership and facilities. Andrew Bull, Mick Hullock and Paul Wakeham are our reps so please speak to them if you have any suggestions or feedback.

There will be some fund-raising events and ideas coming soon! Watch out for more details and we would like to thank you all for your continued support!

Kind regards

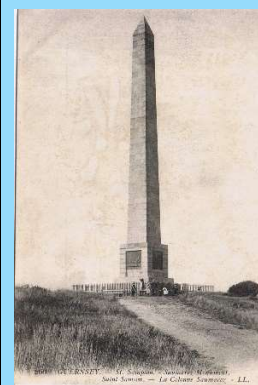
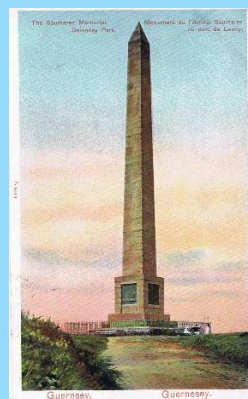
The Committee

## The Delancey Monument

Admiral Lord James de Saumarez died in Guernsey in 1836 after a long and celebrated career in the Royal Navy. To build a memorial to celebrate and remember his achievements money was raised through public subscription and the foundation stone for the monument was laid on 1 August 1876.

The 99 foot high granite memorial in Delancey Park was completed on 11 October 1877 and officially unveiled on 1 August 1878, the 80th anniversary of the Battle of the Nile where Saumarez had been second in command. On 7 December 1943 all except the base was demolished as the German Forces occupying the Channel Islands levelled many of the island's monuments and structures to clear fields of fire for their artillery batteries.

In 1954, after a debate spanning more than ten years, the States of Guernsey decided not to replace the monument and instead place the bronze plaques, which had adorned the memorial, in the outer bailey of Castle Cornet. (Thanks again to Ted for the pictures)



### **REMINDER Personal Belongings at Delancey Park**

**If you have any bowls, or other belongings, you would like to pick up from the club house we will be opening on Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> June from 1-3pm, Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> of July from 6 to 7:30 or contact one of the committee to arrange access so you can collect your stuff! Please note anything left onsite at the end of July may be disposed-off.**