

Urgent for the attention of all members

HELP NEEDED AT NORFOLK BOWLS CLUB

There are many roles undertaken voluntarily at Norfolk Bowling Club, to keep the club running as best we can for the members to be able to enjoy playing bowls.

Unfortunately, despite the sterling efforts of a relatively small number of people we are beginning to find that we are becoming unable to keep up with the demands of the club.

We are therefore appealing to our members to come forward and help with the following roles.....

Newsletter Co-ordinator

We launched last year our Club Newsletter which is emailed to all members each month and a copy available on the club notice board. We have received many favourable comments about the newsletter and its content – and we are pleased to say quite a few suggestions not just for content but also good ideas that we have tried to take forward in the club. It has quickly become our best method of communication with our members.

However, due to time constraints and simply a lack of people we are struggling to continue with it.

We are looking for an enthusiastic person with writing skills and some flair for layout to become part of the communications team and put the newsletter together each month. The team will help with content, proof reading and distribution.

If you are interested, please contact Carole Slaughter - newsletter@norfolkbc.org.uk

We really hope someone will come forward to help us.

Cleaner

We advertised in the recent newsletter for someone willing to help with the cleaning of the bowls club. **This could be a voluntary role if anyone is able to take it on – or we can look for a paid part time position. The hours/times are by negotiation but ideally a minimum of 2 hours twice a week.** The role involves general cleaning of the club lounge, rinks seating area, toilets, entrances, and surrounding areas.

Please contact Brian Holcroft if you can help or know of anyone that can or email contactus@norfolkbc.org.uk or 01603 455165

Outdoor league team captain

A team captain is urgently required to take over the running of the **Cavaliers team** – please contact Phil Richards if you can help or email contactus@norfolkbc.org.uk

Management Committee

We are looking for **2 members who we can co-opt onto the committee** to help with the many decisions and general workload of the current committee members. These are non-voting roles but the intention is for you to learn how the committee works, give valuable input to all discussions taking place and when vacancies arise to be called upon to become a full committee member representing the club membership – subject to nomination.

Please contact Carole Slaughter for more information – contactus@norfolkbc.org.uk

Chairman and Treasurer/Administrator

Any member attending the NBC AGM will know that Peter Chapman is standing down as Chairman in April 2026, and Brian Holcroft is standing down from his role as Treasurer/Administrator at the end of the year.

Both Peter and Brian have given many, many years and a tremendous amount of their time to Norfolk Bowling Club and both will be a hard act to follow.

However, we do need to find replacements for them and again are appealing to the membership to see if anyone is interested in supporting the club by taking on these roles.

Ideally, we are looking for people with Business, Management, IT and Financial experience.

Brian is very willing to spend the next year mentoring/training anyone willing to take on his role.

If you are interested and able to help with these key club positions then please speak to Peter or Brian asap or email contactus@norfolkbc.org.uk or 01603 455165