

March 2021 newsletter – Churchdown Club – our Centenary year!!!!

Welcome to spring!! Everything is starting to feel a bit warmer and there are lambs on Churchdown hill! Even more exciting is that it looks as though we have a timeline to work towards reopening outside and later inside space at the Club!

We are happy to announce that based on the current Government guidelines we will be reopening on Friday 16th April at 3pm!! This will of course be outside seated space only but it's really positive that we can do this and serve you a few cold drinks outside. Full details will follow later this month, as I am sure you can imagine there is lots to organise to ensure we can invite you back to a safe and COVID secure environment.

If you haven't already, ensure your membership card is renewed ready for your return visit here:

http://churchdownclub.co.uk/membership.html

A massive development over the last few months has been the collaboration between Churchdown Club and our bowls section, we are incredibly proud of the collaborative relationship that has been established between all sports sections and the progress that has been made on the shared outdoor seating and bowls green. The effort (all voluntary) of all involved in the last few weeks has been immense and something to be very proud of in our community. Last weekend we had a band of happy helpers generously giving up their time and in many cases resources, massive thanks to local businesses, Scott from S K I Construction, Martin Feighery, Patrick from P88 Contracts, Ian from Ian's Upholstery for all your time and commitment to seeing this through! If you would be interested in joining the newly formed Churchdown Village Bowls Club, please visit their section on the Club Website for more information and contact details:

http://churchdownclub.co.uk/what.html



The many developments have of course come at a cost and while so many have generously offered resources there have been costs involved in regenerating the green, setting up a new bowls entity and because of this we have set up a CrowdFunding page to help see our bowls through to 100 years played at Churchdown Club and beyond. If you would consider a donation, no matter how small it would be very gratefully received and a wonderful way to be able to support a local community asset

https://www.justgiving.com/crowdfunding/churchdownbowls?utm_term=ZPQ pYpRKM

Thank you for reading and look out for more details about reopening and future events coming soon!!

The Committee and Management at Churchdown Club