

Blackburn Northern March Newsletter

British Indoors Tennis Champion

Congratulations to Tom Baron, who, in January, became the British Indoors Tennis Champion for both single and doubles in 85's age group.

Well done Tom, a fantastic achievement!

Blackburn and Ribble Valley Bridge Club

The Bridge Club have now moved their base to our club and will be using the Function Room on Monday afternoon and evening, Tuesday evening and Friday afternoon. In addition they will be holding some tournaments on a Sunday throughout the year.

Playing Sections

Hockey – teams are continuing to do well. The men's 1st team are 2nd in their division and hope to gain promotion. The ladies teams are continuing to do well with the 1st team being in a good run of form at the moment.

It is really pleasing to report that the junior programme is doing well with 54 juniors attending Saturday training.

Squash – everything ok at the moment with all teams doing well in their leagues.

Tennis – refurbishment of the far two courts is now virtually complete. A big thankyou to Arthur and his team for all their hard work.

The club has five teams playing in the East Lancs winter league with the A team and the D team ,who are both 2nd, the highest placed of the teams in their respective divisions.

Subscriptions

Subscriptions will be collected in the Members Lounge on **Wednesday 21st March 7.30 – 10pm.** We are not using membership forms for renewals, so members need to advise Kath, club secretary, if their details have changed. Payment can be taken by credit card/debit card or by cheque if preferred. You can also pay by "recurring payment", which is a scheme which spreads the annual subs over one year or six months.

If you cannot come to the club on subs night, please post your cheque to:

Mrs K.Woods

43 Columbia Way

Blackburn

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Please remember if you do not pay by the end of April, then your membership will lapse, your card will be de-activated and you will have to re-apply.

100 Club

It is now time for members to re-new their number, or join for the first time. By getting involved you are supporting the club, and you maybe a lucky winner of £50 in the monthly draw.

If you wish to join the 100 club and cannot come to subs night, please contact Ian Broughton on 07710958229 if you wish to pay by card or Laura Blomley on 07752982173.