



Corinthians Badminton Club

Secretary's Report - 21 May 2015

This is my fifth Secretary's report and I would like to report the following: -

1. We again fielded 13 teams in the Ipswich and District League, the most teams fielded by a single club.
2. No of playing members – We registered 52 players with Badminton England this year, 5 less than we registered last year.
3. League Positions – The tables below shows each team and how they finished in their respective leagues.

TEAM	Division	Placing
Ladies A	1	1
Ladies B	2	5
Ladies C	3	6
Mixed A	1	3
Mixed B	1	6
Mixed C	2	4
Mixed D	4	3
Mixed E	5	6
Mixed F	7	1
Mens A	1	2
Mens B	2	4
Mens C	3	5
Mens D	6	5

Congratulations go to Ladies A (who won Division 1 - first time since 1972, we have one it 8 times before in the 1960's and early 1970's) and Mixed F who won Division 7 with 8 straight wins.

Every other team managed to stay in their respective leagues.

Thanks to Carolyn for arranging all the matches, which is not an easy task, especially with thirteen teams and it was the first time she had done it.

There were lots of significant league milestones which were reached this season. They are listed below:-

50 Matches – Glenn Tooke

100 Matches – Andy Jennings

200 Matches – Brendan Goffin, Neil Bonham and Claire Race

250 Matches – Maia Wright and Suzanne Scott

450 matches – Paul Finbow

550 Matches – Steve Larkman

4. Playford Trophy – We lost in the first round to Felixstowe.
5. Committee Meetings – The Committee met on four occasions during the year (July, August, November and May) to try and ensure the smooth running of the club. The bulk of the work however happens outside these meetings and as always my thanks go to all the committee members who have devoted time and effort to make the season run so well.
6. Club Nights – These continue to be well attended. Average club night attendance is just under 25. Our thanks go to everyone for helping tidy up at the end of the night and especially Bob for all his efforts organising club nights
7. Social Activities – We had our usual array of curry nights and ten pin bowling night. These make membership of our club much wider than just playing Badminton. .
8. Suffolk Badminton Association - Glen will be attending the meeting on 11th May and he will verbally update the meeting on any relevant issues.
9. Finals Day – Results to be updated at the meeting. Well done to all who took part.

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Secretary
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