



## Corinthians Badminton Club

### Secretary's Report - 26 May 2016

This is my sixth 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 54 players with Badminton England this year, 2 more 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	2
Mixed B	1	4
Mixed C	2	7
Mixed D	4	3
Mixed E	5	3
Mixed F	6	4
Mens A	1	1
Mens B	2	3
Mens C	3	4
Mens D	6	1

Congratulations go to Ladies A who retained Ladies Division 1, and also Mens A for winning Mens Division 1.. Other winning success was Mens D who won their league.

Only one team were relegated – Mixed C

Thanks to Brendan for arranging all the matches, which is not an easy task, especially with thirteen teams.

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

100 Matches – Yvonne Cross and Michael Laker  
600 matches – Adam Rae and Graham Mitchell  
700 Matches – Bob Chamberlain

4. Playford Trophy – We lost in the first round to YMCA.
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 over 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 - Bob attended the meeting on 9<sup>th</sup> 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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