

NORTHAMPTONSHIRE BOWLS NEWS REPORTS

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PRESS REPORT

NORTHAMPTONSHIRE versus CAMBRIDGESHIRE – LIBERTY TROPHY – RESULT

Northamptonshire's interest in the premier Inter County National Competition, 'The Liberty Trophy' ended at Cambridge Chesterton IBC on Saturday, 25th October, 2008, when they faced Cambridgeshire. Last year in the second round against the same opponents, at the same venue, the County went down by 25 shots, and after 5 ends across the green in this match it looked very much like a large losing score was going to go the way of Northamptonshire again.

Cambridgeshire, as usual fielded a number of International Players, including Nicky Brett and Greg Harlow of the Seniors, and Juniors Eon Morton, Tristan Morton, Matt Marsden, and former Junior International Andrew Easy; and although Northants had Senior International Mick Sharpe, and former Juniors Neil Corbyn and Iain Walker on show, three of the other County Internationals were not able to play, Neil McKee due to an accident at home; Alun Withers who had to return to Wales due his mother's illness, and Paul Broderick – not available, plus Neil Rees recovering from an operation, it was always going to be a hard fight to stay with their opponents.

The match did not start well for the County with the advantage immediately going to the Cambridgeshire players who went into a lead of 16 shots after 5 ends with Northants having just one rink leading at that point, that of Vernon Gearey. Over the next few ends matters got worse as at 10 ends the deficit had increased to 30, and even worse the next end the County having reached 36 shots adrift and the signs were not good at all with Mick Sharpe's rink 3-20 down, and apart from Gearey's rink still in front, albeit by just 5 shots, all other rinks were behind.

The County players, however, much to their credit kept digging in there and the deficit started to come down, quite rapidly over a few ends, with Northamptonshire then on a roll reducing it to just 5 shots down and the officers and supporters getting quite excited that their team could keep the turnaround going. Unfortunately at that point the Gearey rink dropped a 5 shot haul, and the McKee rink, after matching their opponents over the first half of the match, started a last 7 ends dropping 10 shots without reply, and despite some fantastic changes of fortune for the rinks of Mick Sharpe, Neil Corbyn and Team Manager John Haines, the end result was a loss to the County by 11 shots.

Special mention should be made of the Sharpe Rink for from a position of 3-20 down against Greg Harlow, one would not have perhaps expected to see such a change in fortunes for the four to go on a run of 7 ends without reply, scoring 17 shots into the bargain, including a run of 3 successive counts of 4 shots, and recording a very fine draw.

After a very slow start in not scoring until the 5th end, and at that stage being 7 shots adrift, John Haines rink playing some very good bowls managed to eat into their opponents lead bit by bit until drawing level on the 14th end, and then easing away over the last few ends to get their 4 shot win. The other County winning rink was by the Neil Corbyn rink which must have been very satisfying against another of Cambridgeshire's top 'stars' Nicky Brett, for they were always behind, although in touch, and went in front on the very last end by picking up a score of 4 shots to secure a 2 shots win.

Team Manager John Haines, whilst disappointed at losing, was very pleased with the fight that his players put up.

Final Score was Northamptonshire 113 shots – Cambridgeshire 124 shots. Rink scores, Cambs skips only, as follows:

Rink 1.

Richard Lemon, Northampton
Darren Lewis, Kingsthorpe
Richard Mann, Kingsthorpe
Vernon Gearey, Kingsthorpe
18 shots v J Newson 21 shots

Rink 2.

Mark Corbyn, Wellingborough
Peter Ward, Desborough
Calvin Carpenter, Kingsthorpe
Neil Corbyn, Wellingborough
26 shots v Nicky Brett 24 shots

Rink 3.

Bob Fuller, Wellingborough
David Flippance, Desborough
Chris Bland, Northampton
Mick Sharpe, Kingsthorpe
22 shots v Greg Harlow 22 shots

Rink 4.

Andy Smith, Northampton
Simon Walker, Brackley
Phil Reeve, Northampton
Jim McKee, Kingsthorpe
15 shots v E Morton 25 shots

Rink 5.

Dominic Graham, Northampton
Mick Worthington, Daventry
Sam Wade, Kingsthorpe
Iain Walker, Kingsthorpe
14 shots v J Reynolds 18 shots

Rink 6.

Chris Maden, Kingsthorpe
Colin Fowkes, Kingsthorpe
Andrew Manton, Kingsthorpe
John Haines, Desborough
18 shots v A Easy 14 shots

NATIONAL 'DENNY CUP' AND 'DENNY PLATE' - COUNTY TEAMS INVOLVEMENT

Wellingborough IBC versus Bedford Borough IBC – 'Denny Plate' 1.11.08. Selected Team

Wellingborough's team to meet Bedford Borough in the 'Denny Plate' competition for first round losers is as follows:

At Wellingborough: **Rink 1.** Bob Fuller/Michael Chester/Robert Norman/Maurice Allen
Rink 2. Jason Hall/Jamie Walker/Walt Winsor/Paul Broderick

At Bedford: **Rink 3.** Paul Coley/Steve Norman/Darren Lyman/Neil Corbyn
Rink 4. Dennis Collins/Scott Johnson/Mark Corbyn/Wayne Gregory

Daventry IBC versus Solihull IBC 1.11.08. – No Teams Supplied.

Northampton & District IBC versus Lawson Park IBC, Bedford 1.11.08.

Northampton & District's team to play Lawson Park in the 2nd Round of the 'Denny Cup' National competition is as follows:

At Northampton: **Rink 1.** John Freeman/Gordon Lockhart/Olly Kirkwood/Andy Smith
Rink 2. John Leggett/Richard Lemon/Carl Douglas/Phil Reeve

At Bedford: **Rink 3.** Rob White/Roger Summers/Dominic Graham/Alan Ramscar
Rink 4. Will Parker/Tony O'Leary/Ray Castle/Chris Bland

Kingsthorpe IBC versus Desborough IBC 1.11.08.

Kingsthorpe's team to meet Desborough IBC, Northants, in the 2nd Round of the 'Denny Cup' National competition is as follows:

At Kingsthorpe: **Rink 1.** Andrew Manton/Colin Jones/Jim McKee/Neil McKee
Rink 2. Paul Maynard/Darren Lewis/Calvin Carpenter/Mick Sharpe

At Desborough: **Rink 3.** Roger Tansley/Andrew Hunter/Iain Walker/Sam Wade
Rink 4. Jason Bryan/Colin Fowkes/Richard Mann/Vernon Gearey

NATIONAL 'EGHAM TROPHY' – COUNTY TEAMS INVOLVEMENT

Kingsthorpe IBC versus Bedford Borough IBC – 26.10.08. – Result

Kingsthorpe IBC played Bedford Borough IBC in the Preliminary Round of the Egham Trophy and came away with an ultimately fairly comfortable win by 32 shots, although at 5 ends the scores were very close with just 2 shots in it. The next 5 ends saw Kingsthorpe profit by 14 shots, and from then on they cruised to the end of the match with all four rinks recording a win. Final score was Kingsthorpe 85 shots – Bedford Borough 53 shots. Rink scores, Bedford skips only, as follows:

At Kingsthorpe: **Rink 1.** Donna Williamson/Yvonne McKee/Colin Jones/Mick Sharpe 20 – R Ralley 18 shots
 Rink 2. Sally Row/Diane Brumwell/Calvin Carpenter/Sam Wade 22 – A Manning 19 shots

At Bedford: **Rink 3.** Celia Morris/Hilary Sharpe/Richard Mann/Vernon Gearey 20 – P Andrew 15 shots
 Rink 4. Michelle Tansley/Sharon Tansley/Chris Maden/Jim McKee 23 – T Booth 11 shots

Kingsthorpe now face Bridgman IBC, Souldrop, Beds. in the next round.

Wellingborough IBC versus Desborough IBC – 2.11.08. – Selected Team(s)

Wellingborough IBC team to face Desborough IBC on Sunday, 2nd November, 2008, has been selected as follows:

At Wellingborough: **Rink 1.** Karen Leveridge/Margaret Johnson/Walt Winsor/Maurice Allen
 Rink 2. Chris Cooper/Diane Allen/Mick Cooper/Darren Lyman

At Desborough: **Rink 4.** Pam Reynolds/Tina Burgess/Bob Fuller/Paul Broderick
 Rink 4. Jean Burgess/Helena Norman/Jamie Walker/Wayne Gregory

Desborough IBC team to face Wellingborough is as follows:

At Desborough: **Rink 1.** Caroline Cinato/Wilma Walker/Bill Brune/Graham Southgate
 Rink 2. Dorothy Diver/Janet Hall/Ron Chambers/George Warren

At Wellingborough: **Rink 3.** Rebecca Wigfield/Jan Rudge/Ross Knox/John Haines
 Rink 4. Jean Flippance/Mary Stringer/Martin Cinato/David Flippance

Northampton & District IBC versus Daventry IBC 26.10.08. - Result

COUNTY PLAYER REPRESENTING ENGLAND IN WORLD BOWLS UNDER 25 SINGLES

A reminder that Jamie Walker, 16 years, Wellingborough IBC is playing for England in the Under 25 Indoor Bowls World Singles Championship at Auchinleck IBC, Scotland, commencing on Tuesday, 28th October, 2008, and concluding on Friday, 31st October, 2008. He has a very full programme of events throughout the Tournament, playing 3 singles matches on each day Tuesday to Thursday, inclusive, plus a mixed pairs quarter final. If he is successful in both disciplines he will be playing in the singles finals and the pairs finals on Friday.

NORTHAMPTONSHIRE LADIES versus DESBOROUGH IBC LADIES 20.10.08. – RESULT

The County Ladies played a friendly match against Desborough IBC Ladies on Monday, 20th October, 2008, and came away with 4 winning rinks and an overall 20 shots win. The final score was County Ladies 121 shots – Desborough Ladies 101 shots. Rink scores as follows:

Rink 1.

County Ladies

Barbara Hutt, Daventry
Ann Woods, Northampton
Annie Scrimshaw, Daventry
Joan Bryan, Kettering
21 shots

Rink 2.

County Ladies

Jean Burgess, Wellingborough
Lillian Allen, Kettering
Joyce Burns, Northampton
Irene Scoble, Wellingborough
9 shots

Rink 3.

County Ladies

Pat Welch, Daventry
Sue Prior, Brackley
Agnes Johnson, Wellingborough
Valerie Blackwell, Rushden
22 shots

versus
Desborough Ladies
Pam Hopkins
D Wykes
Rosemarie Owen
Wilma Walker
15 shots

Rink 4.
County Ladies
Kay Green, Wellingborough
Margaret Newport, Northampton
Chris Cooper, Wellingborough
Pat Bax, Daventry
14 shots
versus
Desborough Ladies
D Williamson
S Hulme
Jo Pask
Zoe Eisler
15 shots

versus
Desborough Ladies
Judy Carr,
P Price
J Goode
Mary Stringer
26 shots

Rink 5.
County Ladies
Sue Fincham, Wellingborough
Helen Jones, Wellingborough
Pam Wills, Northampton
Barbara Oliver, Northampton
23 shots
versus
Desborough Ladies
S Minto
C Humphrey
Sharon Burrows
Sue Lomas
13 shots

versus
Desborough Ladies
Jean Hallum
R Ganden
C Perkins
Margaret McGillivray
15 shots

Rink 6.
County Ladies
Delia Panther, Kettering
Eileen Williams, Wellingborough
Audrey Gardener, Kingsthorpe
Brenda Bishop, Daventry
32 shots
versus
Desborough Ladies
Pauline McKim
Diana Talbot
Lyn Duff
Jill Nutt
17 shots

NORTHAMPTONSHIRE MEN versus BERKSHIRE IBA 29.10.08. – SELECTED TEAM

The following men have been selected to represent the County in a friendly match against Berkshire IBA to be played at Whiteknights IBC, Reading, on Wednesday, 29th October, 2008, commencing at 2.0 p.m. Travel by coach picking up at the Indoor Clubs of Wellingborough; Northampton; & Brackley; at 10.15 a.m.; 10.45 a.m.; & 11.30 a.m. respectively.

Rink 1.
Eddie Pinder, President
Mick York, Desborough
Mick Weatherill, Desborough
Richard Somerton, Brackley

Rink 2.
Trevor Jackson, Wellingborough
Jim Diver, Desborough
Tony Warren, Northampton
Brian Jones, Daventry

Rink 3.
Mick Hall, Brackley
Willy Wilkin, Desborough
Walter Stoddard, Kingsthorpe
George Warren, Desborough

Rink 4.
John Smith, Kettering
Peter Hales, Desborough
Brian Diver, Desborough
Keith Howlett, Jun Vice-President

Rink 5.
John Whiting, Northampton
Ted Summerton, Northampton
Mick Pullen, Sen Vice-President
Andy Purcell, Desborough

Rink 6.
Tim Hawtin, Daventry
Eric Wareing, Daventry
Doug Hatton, Brackley
Terry James, Rushden

Reserves: Fred Wake, Daventry Tony Lane, Northampton John Bramfitt, Northampton
Peter Byworth, Wellingborough

NATIONAL LADIES 'MASON' CUP COMPETITION – RESULTS

Rushden IBC versus Wellingborough IBC 23.10.08 – Result

The Ladies National Double Rink competition match for over 60's between Rushden IBC and Wellingborough IBC, played at Rushden, resulted in a very good win in a highly competitive match for Wellingborough by 9 shots, with the final score being Wellingborough 37 shots – Rushden 28 shots. Rink scores as follows, Wellingborough names first:

Rink 1. Jean Burgess/Helena Norman/Pam Reynolds/Margaret Johnson beat Jane Redfern/Brenda Ellis/Chris Turner/Margaret Cave 20 – 13 shots

Rink 2. Jean Frisby/Pat Gayton/Maureen McDonald/Diane Allen beat Eileen West/Pat Mattinson/Pam Lewis/Audrey Height 17 – 15 shots.

Wellingborough now plays Lawson Park IBC, Bedford, in the next round.

NATIONAL LADIES YETTON TROPHY COMPETITION – COUNTY INVOLVEMENT

Wellingborough IBC versus Bedford Borough IBC 30.10.08. – Selected Team

Wellingborough has selected the following team to represent the Club in the National Inter Club Yetton trophy competition, which is for four rinks with 2 at home and 2 away, and they play Bedford Borough IBC on Thursday, 30th October, 2008, commencing at 9.45 a.m.

At Wellingborough: **Rink 1.** Joyce George/Sandra Lake/Sue Fincham/Tina Burgess
Rink 2. Jean Burgess/Agnes Johnson/Jan Hunt/Margaret Johnson
Reserves: Pat Gayton/Phyllis Parry/Kay Green

At Bedford: **Rink 3.** Karen Leveridge/Margaret Odell/Maureen McDonald/Diane Allen
Rink 4. Chris Cooper/Helena Norman/Jean Frisby/Pam Reynolds
Reserves: Eileen Williams/A Robinson

MIDLAND COUNTIES INDOOR CHAMPIONSHIP versus DERBYSHIRE 2.11.08. – SELECTED TEAM

John Haines, Indoor Team Manager for Northamptonshire has announced his team to play in the Midland Counties Indoor Championship against Derbyshire on Sunday, 2nd November, 2008, at Wellingborough IBC, meeting at 1.30 p.m. for a 2.0 p.m. start:

Rink 1. Tony Dicks, Daventry Scott Johnson, Wellingborough Bernard Spreadbury, Daventry Mick Worthington, Daventry	Rink 2. Robert Fuller, Wellingborough Adrian Harris, Kettering Richard Mann, Kingsthorpe Vernon Gearey, Kingsthorpe	Rink 3. Chris Wright, Northampton Michael Chester, Wellingborough Simon Walker, Brackley Peter Ward, Desborough
Rink 4. Brian Thomas, Desborough Graham Maddams, Wellingborough Carl Haines, Desborough Jim McKee, Kingsthorpe	Rink 5. Callum height, Wellingborough Martin Cinato, Desborough Darren Lewis, Kingsthorpe David Flippamnce, Desborough	Rink 6. Robert Vowles, Kettering Jim Diver, Desborough Brian Rees, Wellingborough John Haines, Desborough

NORTHANTS VICE-PRESIDENTS NEWS

Northamptonshire Hon Vice-Presidents Association played a match against their counterparts from Leicestershire on Sunday, 26th October, 2008, and recorded a resounding win by a massive 69 shots, and wins for 4 of the 6 rinks. The final score was Northamptonshire VP's 150 shots - Leicestershire VP's 81 shots. Rink scores, Leics skips only, as follows:

Rink 1. Barry Adair Roly Smith Graham Cashmore Michael Moulton v G Lucas 19 shots 8 shots	Rink 2. Ray Timson John Bell Malcolm O'Hanlon Dave Williamson v F Clewes 21 shots 24 shots	Rink 3. Peter Woodhams Ken Friend Mick Pullen Graham Dunscombe v D Bramley 16 shots 20 shots
Rink 4. Alan Jones Graham Maddocks Alan Gardener Tony Buckmaster v P Howe 35 shots 9 shots	Rink 5. Mick Garley Peter Stewart Derek Essam Ken Legan v B Allen 25 shots 10 shots	Rink 6. Len Smith Geoff Care Clyde Hulbert Roy Cave v A Blockley 34 shots 10 shots

Vice-Presidents next match is against South Warwickshire BA to be played at Daventry on Wednesday, 5th November, 2008, at 2.0 p.m.

NORTHAMPTONSHIRE UNDER 25'S – SEARCH FOR SPONSORS

The Indoor Under 25 Team manager, Graham Southgate (Desborough IBC) is making a plea to try to find sponsors for the shirts worn by those young people who have taken up the sport, some of whom are quite young. He feels that to sponsor young people in sport is highly commendable, and the youngsters very much enjoy being able to wear a 'colours' to identify them and to create that team identity which is so important for success in this team sport.

The Under 25's have many matches during the season, and Graham endeavours to give them all a game from time to time, but he is short of the finance to be able to issue shirts to them, either free, or heavily subsidised at present, and he hopes that there is someone 'out there' perhaps a business concern, that would like to identify with this cause.

Anyone interested please get in touch with him on email on geester1982@hotmail.co.uk

NATIONAL COMPETITIONS – LATEST RESULTS

LADIES.

Singles: Brenda Bishop, Daventry beat Audrey Gardener, Kingsthorpe 21-17

Triples: Eileen West/Pam Lewis/Audrey Height(Rushden) beat Celia Morris/Yvonne McKee/Hilary Sharpe (Kingsthorpe) 19-10

Over 5 Triples: Annie Scrimshaw/Jean Pownall-Davies/Brenda Bishop (Daventry) beat Cynthia Cherry/Margaret Lay/Sally Row (Kingsthorpe) 16-12

C of Champions: I Williams (Lawson Park, Bedford) beat Karen Leveridge (Wellingborough) 21-10

Barbara Harris (Kettering) beat Pat Mattinson (Rushden) (No score available)
Marilyn Oram (Northampton) beat Judy Hicks (Daventry) (No score available)
I Williams (Lawson Park) beat Hilary Sharpe (Kingsthorpe) 21-12

GENTLEMEN

National Inter-Club Under 25's Double Rink Competition – Results

Wellingborough IBC Under 25 Double Rink team had an easy passage through to the next round when their opponents, Solihull IBC, conceded the tie. Wellingborough now play either Northampton & District IBC or Melton IBC, Leics. in the next round.

Singles: Neil McKee (Kingsthorpe) beat Phil Woodcock (Kingsthorpe) 21-5
Simon Walker (Brackley) given walk-over by Andy Redfern (Rushden)

Under 25 Singles: Ross Knox (Desborough) beat Dominic Graham (Northampton) 2 sets to nil.
Scott Johnson (Wellingborough) beat Tom Wellburn (Kingsthorpe) 2 sets to nil.

Pairs: Tim Hawtin & Ian Dunn (Brackley) beat Barry Bonham (Rushden) 20-14

Over 60 Pairs: Tony Dicks/Mick Worthington (Daventry) beat Andy Redfern/Martin Keech (Rushden) 20-13

Over 50 Pairs: Paul Coley/Walt Winsor/Mick Cooper (Wellingborough) beat Barry Bonham (Rushden) 21-9
Robert Duff/Malcolm Winckles/Jim Carr (Desborough) beat Dave Masters (Northampton) 26-20
Phil Rhodes/Male Mattinson/Terry James (Rushden) beat Ron Chambers (Desborough)
Roy Worthington/Graham Reynolds/Brian Williams (Wellingborough) beat Dave Thurlow (Wellingborough) 15-12
Drew Russell/Laurie Harrison/Stuart Letts (Northampton) beat Mick Worthington (Daventry) 14-13
Alan Maden/Roger Tansley/Sam Wade (Kingsthorpe) beat John Chester (Wellingborough) 19-13

National Inter-Club Over 60's Double Rink – Result

Desborough IBC 'A' team played Daventry IBC 'A' team in the National Inter-Club over 60's Double Rink competition Round 2 and after a terrific scrap managed to scrape home by 2 shots with the final score Desborough 40 shots – Daventry 38 shots. Details, Daventry skips only, as follows:

At Desborough: **Rink 1.** Jim Diver/Joe Kyle/Bill McGillivray/Clive Greenaway 14 – Mick Worthington 25 shots

At Daventry: **Rink 2.** Brian Thomas/Stan Richardson/Alec McKim/George Warren 26 – Brian Jones 13 shots

Desborough now plays Solihull IBC in the next round.

MIXED

Mixed Pairs Competition

3rd Round:

THE RESULT OF THE ROUND:

Rebecca Wigfield/Ross Knox (Desborough) beat Tina Burgess/Paul Broderick (Wellingborough) This result, which went to an extra end, was something of a shock win because Tina and Paul were last year's *NATIONAL* Semi-Finalists.

Kirsty Gage (aged 14 years playing her first National competitive game) and Graham Southgate (Desborough) beat Sue and Graham Prior (Brackley) 21-10

Marilyn Oram/Chris Bland (Northampton) beat Di Baggat/Dave Masters (Northampton) 28-6

Yvonne McKee/Mick Sharpe (Kingsthorpe) beat Celia Morris/Sam Wade (Kingsthorpe) 26-11

Di Brumwell/Phil Woodcock (Kingsthorpe) beat Sam Manton/Jason Bryan (Kingsthorpe) 24-14

Dee Rushall/Mick Worthington (Daventry) beat Lyn Smith/Adrian Harris (Kettering) 26-12

Delia Panther/Herbert Starsmore (Kettering) beat Sharon Tansley/Calvin Carpenter (Kingsthorpe) 22-21

Gordon Black (Bridgmans) given walk-over by Colin Fowkes (Kingsthorpe)

Michelle Tansley/Chris Maden (Kingsthorpe) beat Pat & Malc Mattinson (Rushden) 21-9

Dena Bryan/Phil Reeve (Northampton) beat Jean Burgess/Jamie Walker) 23-19

Ann-Marie Burnham/Alun Withers (Desborough) beat Jim McKee (Kingsthorpe)

Linda Warren/Andy Smith (Northampton) beat Karen Leveridge/Darren Lyman (Wellingborough)

CLUB NEWS AROUND THE COUNTY

ABINGTON BC

Fixture:

1.11.08. Members visit Bedford Borough IBC for a men's match at 2.30 p.m.

Brackley IBC

Fixture:

1.11.08. Banbury Cross BC visits for a mixed match at 2.15 p.m.

DAVENTRY IBC – NO INFORMATION SUPPLIED

DESBOROUGH IBC

Famous Grouse Open Triples Competition

In the Group stage matches played on Sunday, 26th October, 2008, the following Triples qualified for the Finals in December:

1. Helena Norman/Matthew Wordingham/Steve Norman (Rushden & Wellingborough)
2. Karen Leveridge/David Leveridge/Darren Lyman (Wellingborough)

Fixtures:

- 29.10.08. The Club hosts a match between the Northants & Hunts Masonic BA & Midland Counties at 2.0 p.m.
30.10.08. Members visit Wellingborough IBC for a match against Swanspool BC at 2.15 p.m.
1.11.08. Rothwell Manor BC & Geddington & Newton BC visit for a mixed match at 2.0 p.m.
2.11.08. Fred Hodge Select team visits for a mixed match at 2.0 p.m.
3.11.08. The Club holds its Presidents Invitation match.
5.11.08. **The English Women's Indoor Bowling Association visits for a Ladies match at 2.0 p.m.**

GEDDINGTON & NEWTON BC

Fixtures:

- 1.11.08. Members visit Desborough IBC for a mixed match at 2.0 p.m.
2.11.08. Members visit Rushden IBC for a mixed match at 2.30 p.m.

Annual General Meeting of the Club is to be held at 7.30 p.m. on Tuesday, 4th November, 2008.

ISE BC, KETTERING

Fixture:

- 3.11.08. members visit Kettering Lodge IBC for a ladies match at 2.0 p.m.

KETTERING LODGE IBC

Fixtures:

- 1.11.08. Members visit Kingsthorpe IBC for a mixed match at 2.0 p.m.
2.11.08. Bridgmans IBC visits for a mixed match at 2.30 p.m.
3.11.08. Ise BC visits for a ladies match at 2.0 p.m.

KINGSTHORPE IBC

Fixtures:

- 30.10.08. Members visit Luton IBC for a men's match at 2.15 p.m.
1.11.08. Kettering Lodge IBC visits for a men's match at 2.15 p.m.
2.11.08. Bletchley IBC visits for a mixed match at 2.15 p.m.

NORTHAMPTON & DISTRICT IBC

Fixtures:

- 29.10.08. Members visit Luton IBC for a ladies match at 2.15 p.m.
30.10.08. Rushden IBC visits for a mixed match at 2.15 p.m.
1.11.08. Swanspool BC visits for a mixed match at 2.15 p.m.
2.11.08. Northampton West End BC and Travis Perkins BC visit for a mixed match at 2.15 p.m.

RUSHDEN IBC

Fixtures:

- 30.10.08. Members visit Northampton & District IBC for a mixed match at 2.15 p.m.
- 1.11.08. Raunds Conservatives BC visits for a mixed match at 2.30 p.m.
- 2.11.08. Geddington & Newton BC visits for a mixed match at 2.30 p.m.

SWANSPOOL BC, WELLINGBOROUGH

Fixture:

- 1.11.08. Members visit Northampton & District for a mixed match at 2.15 p.m.

WELLINGBOROUGH IBC

Fixtures:

- 30.10.08. Members visit Harborough IBC for a men's match at 2.0 p.m.
- 30.10.08. Club hosts a match between Swanspool BC and Desborough IBC at 2.15 p.m.
- 1.11.08. Ampthill BC visits for a men's match at 2.15 p.m.
- 2.11.08. Members visit Daventry IBC for a mixed match at 2.0 p.m.
- 2.11.08. The Club hosts a Midland Counties match between Northamptonshire & Derbyshire at 2.0 p.m.
- 3.11.08. Bridgmans BC & Earls Barton BC visit for a ladies match at 2.15 p.m.
- 5.11.08. The Club hosts a match between The Cavaliers and the Northants & Hunts Masonic BA at 2.15 p.m.

WEST END BC

Fixtures:

- 2.11.08. Members visit Northampton & District IBC for a mixed match at 2.15 p.m.
- 5.11.08. Members visit Northampton & District IBC for a ladies match at 2.0 p.m.



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