

PARWICH CROWN GREEN BOWLS CLUB

Statement for the Parish Council Annual meeting.

15th May 2024

Chair: Sue Ash

Secretary: Tony Ash

At this meeting in 2023 we reported our concern that our membership was in decline which would inevitably affect the viability of the club. I am happy to report that following a successful Open Day we recruited 9 new members (now 25 in total). Any more of course would be welcome. We believe that our annual membership fee of 35 pounds is good value for money.

Some of our members unfortunately still have to work so it can still be difficult to field a full team for our league games on a Thursday afternoon. We were promoted in this league last year and are having to play our best every week to obtain good results. However, this is never taken too seriously even though we want to win. We always have a good sociable afternoon with the other clubs around the county. We also play on a Tuesday evening in a different league.

Sunday afternoons, we meet for practise or a club competition and we also play friendlies against other clubs.

We look forward to welcoming new members in 2024 – remember you are never too young to play crown green bowls!

Tony Ash
(Secretary)