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Chieveley SMBC 20th Year 1999-2019

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13th April Presentation Evening This was a very successful evening with some 26 members, family and friends attending. David and Roy issued sheets containing the simplest of quiz questions and pictures to be resolved during the evening while Liz provided an excellent dinner preceded by canopies. Thanks to all who provided raffle prizes and purchased raffle tickets which raised £74. However, before the raffle firstly David read out his quiz answers which Anglea won, and picture places won by the group at the south end of the table.. Anthea



Thinking caps on for quiz answers before dinner commenced



Roy presenting answers to his quiz

was disqualified from winning a prize having carefully looked over everyone's shoulder during the evening supposedly to enquire on other matters!!!. Roy (see picture) then gave answers to his quiz with Margaret Maggs the winner.

After the quiz results Norman then introduced the main purpose of the evening, namely the presentation of awards for the various club events held during the year, as illustrated below.

The CLUB SINGLES (19th November 2017)



Men Winner
Norman Cottrell



Men Runner-up
Tom Wright



Ladies Winner
Dorrien Ives



Ladies Runner-up
Anthea Armitage

The CLUB MIXED PAIRS (14th January 2018)



Winners: Tom Wright & Michelle Passmore



Runner-up: Norman Cottrell & Janet Freer

THE CLUB TRIPLES (12th February 2018)



Winners: Stan Kent, Dorrien Ives and June Kent,



Runner-up: David Campbell, Roy Rayner,
Liz Cottrell & Michelle Passmore

THE JO BUTCHER CUP & HARRY ARGENT PLATE (11th March 2018)



Jo Butcher Cup Winner: Dave Sims



Jo Butcher Cup Runner-up: David Campbell



Harry Argent Plate Winner: Roy Rayner



Harry Argent Plate Runner-up: Norman Cottrell

We would like to thank Val Byron-Taylor for making several presentations including the Jo Butcher Cup. Val had made and given the cup to the club in 2003, in memory of Jo Butcher.

Norman then presented flowers to Liz and Michelle for their efforts in providing the excellent dinner.



Liz was then asked to come forward again as David Campbell offered her the club's grateful thanks for all she has done for us over many years, not only at major club functions such as this evening and the annual Christmas dinner but also at our regular Monday and Thursday club meetings. To show our thanks David then asked Anthea to come forward and present Liz (see picture) with a collective gift from all club members. (See Liz thank you at end of AGM notes below)

- **16th April Annual General Meeting** Our Annual General Meeting was attended by 18 members. The Meeting Minutes have been placed on the club's Notice Board.

Your committee for the coming year is:

Norman –Treasurer; David C - Secretary; Gill; Diana; Anthea; Dennis; & Roy.

As discussed at the meeting, Norman has just completed 6 consecutive years in office and, in accord with our constitution, he cannot stand for the 2018/19 year. As no other club member had put their name forward to be voted in as chair, a committee member will be asked to chair each future committee meeting for this year, or until a new Chair is proposed and elected.

At the end of the meeting Liz thanked all present and other members who had so generously contributed to her unexpected gift given at the recent presentation evening. As she put it she had been “gobsmacked” on opening the gift after the presentation evening to see what had been given to her, and would take time to decide how and what to use the gift token for.

We have now entered our 20th year since the club was formed on 28th April 1999 and the meeting agreed with the suggestion as originally floated by Denis Wilson at a recent committee meeting that we hold a BBQ and open day on **12th August 2018**. We will also use the hall to encourage potential new members to have a go at short mat bowls. This was agreed by all present and further details will appear in June/July Newsletters.

- **Skipton Building Society Grant for New Mat**

The picture below shows a group of club members together with the captions, as submitted to Skipton BS, at the time our new mat was delivered in mid-April 2018.



- **Annual Subscription** Please remember that Annual Subscriptions (£5) are now overdue. Please let Norman have your payment as soon as possible.

For more club information go to:

<http://www.mychieveley.co.uk/info/chieveley short mat bowls club>