

"THE WEEK AHEAD"

MONDAY 17TH AUGUST – SUNDAY 23RD AUGUST

SPECTATORS ARE VERY WELCOME AT OUR HOME AND AWAY MATCHES

Monday 17th **No organised events.**

Tuesday 18th **HBC Coaching for Beginners & Improvers:**
Rollup**. Arrive for 10.15 a.m. Start time 10.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. 6 rinks.
Dress code – casual.

HBC Ladies' Practice Session:
Rollup**. Play starts at 1.30 p.m. to 4.00 p.m. 3 rinks. Dress code – casual.

Wednesday 19th **Inter-Club Competition. Dalesman League (Home):**
Harrogate Stray v Ripon. Start time 1.45 p.m. 2 rinks. Dress code – formal*.

Inter-Club Competition. Dalesman League (Home):
Harrogate Springs v Wetherby. Start time 1.45 p.m. 2 rinks. Dress code – formal*.

Inter-Club Competition. Dalesman League (Away):
Kirkby Malzeard v Harrogate Spa. Start time 1.45 p.m. Dress code – formal*.

Note: Harrogate Spa is currently top of the league. Kirkby Malzeard is second. This match will decide the winner.

Inter-Club Competition. Harrogate Ladies League (Home):
Harrogate Harlow v Bishop Monkton Becks. Start time 1.45 p.m. 2 rinks. Dress code – formal*.

Inter-Club Competition. Harrogate Ladies League (Away):
Bishop Monkton Bridges v Harrogate Ebor. Start time 1.45 p.m. Dress code – formal*.

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**Thursday
20th**

HBC Club Afternoon:

Rollup**. Discs in 1.30 p.m. Play starts at 1.45 p.m. 3 rinks. Dress code - casual.

Green Maintenance:

All rinks closed.

Friday 21st

Inter-Club Competition. Bateson League (Home):

Harrogate Valley Gardens v Thirsk. Start time 1.30 p.m. 4 rinks. Dress code – formal*.

Inter-Club Competition. Bateson League (Away):

Masham v Harrogate Pinewoods. Start time 1.30 p.m. Dress code - formal*.

**Saturday
22nd**

“Short Jack” Roll Up:

Rollup**. Discs in by 1.15 for a 1.30 p.m. start. 3 rinks. Jack length is between 23 and 25 metres. Invaluable to any player wanting to focus on playing/practicing short ends. Dress code casual.

Sunday 23rd

No organised events at home.

York Area Inter-Club Competition. Private Clubs League (Away)

Wetherby v Harrogate. Mixed triples, three woods. Play starts at 2.00 p.m. Dress code – formal*

ADVICE

*DRESS CODE - FORMAL

For all Club internal competitions and leagues, players must wear:

Above the waist - A club shirt, a collared white shirt, or a shirt from a recognised bowls manufacturer. Below the waist – Medium grey or black trousers (formal or sports), skirts or tailored shorts/cropped trousers.

External Matches/Competitions/Leagues/Friendlies and Representative Fixtures:

Above the waist - When representing the Club in external competitions or leagues, the new design Club shirt is mandatory. Below the waist – medium grey trousers, skirts or tailored shorts/cropped trousers.

Team Uniformity Requirement (Bowls England):

During the 2026 transition, all members of the same team must wear the same colour below the waist for Club external competitions and leagues - this will be grey.

**ROLL UPS

****Rollup:** Rollups are open to all members, unless designated specifically for gentlemen or ladies. No need to pre-book. Just turn up.