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THE VETERANS SQUASH RACKETS CLUB OF GREAT BRITAIN

Dear GB Vets member,

February 2015 Newsletter

With 2014 now firmly behind us, the 2015 season is now in full swing.

CLUB CHAMPIONSHIPS

Matches are now well under way and will culminate in the finals weekend which takes place at Colets, Thames Ditton, 18/19 April. Do come along and support even if you are not playing. Free buffet supper on the Sunday evening after the AGM and presentation of prizes.

FRIENDLY MATCHES

Matches that have been played this year – Camberley, Beckenham, Roehampton & Park Langley. Matches due in February – Eton Boys, Dorking, Bexley & Fitzwilliam, Dublin.

NEW MEMBERS

We warmly welcome the following new members who have joined since the December 2014 Newsletter: **Nick Sheppard,** Bishops Stortford, **Russell Sparshott,** Royal Berkshire, **Marvin Rust,** Harpenden.

OBITURARIES

We are most saddened to announce the death, towards the end of January, of **Barry Gage**, aged 55, who died of a brain tumour. Also **Chris Sebire** who also died this January.

MEMBERS HANDBOOK

This is now printed every 2 years and the next one will be published around September 2015. Have you changed any of your details – address, phone numbers? Do you have an e mail address now? If so please advise the Hon. Sec asap: Nigel Belle, The Red House, Church Road, Sundridge, Sevenoaks, Kent, TN14 6EA.

CLUB SHOP

In addition to shirts, pullovers and ties we now have a new stock item: GB Vets 'man bags'. Ideal for carrying money, credit cards, mobile phone etc. Available in 3 colours. Details from the Hon. Sec.

FEBRUARY MASTERS TOURNAMENTS

Midlands Regional- Coventry 6-8 February. National Squash Championships (British Closed) – Manchester 11-15. North West Regional – Stockport, Manchester 27 Feb-1 March.

NORTH REGIONAL – PONTEFRACT 2/4 January

The GB Vets win the Men's O55, O60, O65 and O70! Men's O55 **Dermot Hurford** won 3/2 against **Neil Harrison**, MO60 **Stuart Hardy** won 3/1, MO65 **Barry Featherstone** won 3/0, MO70 **Mike Clemson** won 3/2 against **Adrian Wright. Lynne Davies** was the losing finalist in the women's O55.

YOUR NEWS & VIEWS

This is **your** Club. Let us have your individual and/or Club news. What can your committee do to improve the service and information provided for your annual subscription? We would love to hear from you.

Have a great spring!