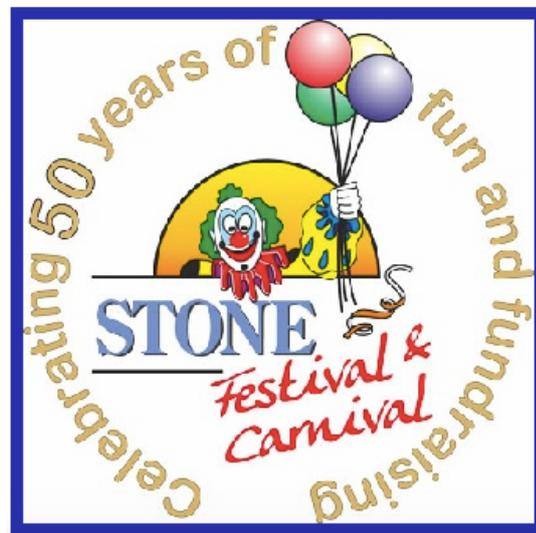


Stone Festival Bowls Charity Competition 2019



Stone Town Festival needs **Crown Green Bowlers** (whether members of a club or not) to be fully involved in this year's competition. You are being asked to enter this competition to widen it's appeal across the Crown Green Bowling community and raise funds for The Stone Festival charity fund.

At a cost of £5 per pair - please find yourself a bowling partner (mixed OR same gender) and enter your names on the adjacent sheet - ensuring you are available for the following dates & times: Either or both of the evenings (6pm start) of **Tuesday 7 May** and **Friday 10 May**. Both afternoons (2pm start) of **Sunday 2nd June & Sunday 9th June**. All matches played to 21 up.

Monies raised from entry fees and from raffle tickets sales throughout the event go directly to the Stone Festival Committee for use in the Charities Fund. You can see who the beneficiaries were in 2018 on our website. <http://www.stonefestival.co.uk>

The commitment is:

1. You will be drawn to play (venue to be notified) in a preliminary round on Sunday afternoon 12th May - this may not be on your home green - if it is the home green of any player then that player's pairing must forfeit the 1st jack. If you win your initial match you may be required to play a second preliminary round that same afternoon (this is dependent upon the total number of entries).
2. Prior to the Preliminary rounds' stage, substitutions **MUST** be notified to Frank Collins (017716 232407), or on the night, when you must advise the Festival Bowls Organising Team Member attending. If a substitute has played on that green regularly at any time then the pair must forfeit the initial jack. Prior to entry each substitute **MUST** advise that they can play on Sundays 2nd and 9th of June. If they cannot their opponents will have a walkover.
3. Should you be successful in winning through your preliminary round(s), you would then play one match on Sub-finals Day - the afternoon of Sunday 2nd June at Stonefield Park. This quarter finals round will result in four winning pairs qualifying for finals day.
4. If you win through to the Festival Bowls Finals Day, you will then play on the afternoon of Sunday 9th June at Stonefield Park. This day will comprise two semi-finals followed by the Final and the Presentations.
5. Should any pair, who have won through to either of the two Finals Days, withdraw for any reason the highest scoring losing pair from the previous round will be invited to replace them. They will also be invited to attend the following round and to be ready to bowl in the event of a last-minute withdrawal. This contingency plan is an attempt to minimise the chance of reducing the spectacle of the finals days by having walkovers on the day and to maximise the number of spectators who will enjoy these days and ultimately to boost our fundraising. - other than the fun of participating this is the real purpose for the whole tournament.