



“Pay and Play” Arrangements starting June 2014

The club has reached agreement with the Town Council for a new 21 year lease of the courts and pavilion site and we expect to conclude the formal documents in the next few weeks. The new lease will enable the club to plan for the resurfacing of the courts, possibly in 2015.

As part of the agreement, the club has agreed the following conditions -

- 1) to restrict our use of the floodlights by accepting a “curfew” between the hours of 10pm and 7am
- 2) to make available one of our courts for “pay and play” public use at certain times, with the use being administered by the Leisure Centre.

We’ve agreed that the court available will be court 3 (nearest to the old toilet block) and that any visitors will use the double gate access nearest to the toilets rather than “our” door , so they can come and go independently of any club presence.

The use is limited to 12 hours per week, with the initial times being as follows-

Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays, Fridays 2pm to 4pm, changing to 3pm to 5pm in school holidays

Saturdays and Sundays 5pm to 7pm

All members are free to use court 3 at all times outside these hours and can also use it as normal within the hours if no visitors are using it. Please welcome any visitors and if you get the chance, tell them that our membership is “open” and is very reasonably priced! We’ll try to make sure that there are membership forms in the clubhouse for any prospective members (for members to give visitors)

Please note however that the “pay and play” use does not give floodlight use, nor does it give access to the pavilion, as both floodlights and the pavilion have been, and will continue to be, provided, maintained and run entirely by the club membership.