

**CLUB PHOTO – 14TH NOVEMBER @ 8PM, PLEASE BE THERE!!**



# Club News

**24th October 2013**

## Charity Status!

The Bury Bombers Wheelchair Basketball Club have been awarded Charity status this week. Particular thanks must be sent to Jordan (who now stands down as Fundraising Co-ordinator) and Rui for their work on the initial application.

Registered Charity Number is 1154299 under our title BURY BOMBERS WHEELCHAIR BASKETBALL CLUB

## Christmas Meal - 19th December Greengage, Hungry Horse

Thanks to Nicola for organising deposits. Make sure you make your menu choice by the end of November!

## IMPORTANT

Please may I remind all members, when you are not attending a club session, phone : 01284 728458 or text on 07766 817685 BEFORE 5pm

IF YOU CHANGE ANY CONTACT DETAILS PLEASE LET US KNOW SOONEST.

## 1st Team

The team have had a good start to the season. Having to nominate 8 players, Daniel has joined Jack, Aiden, Chris, Amy, Robert and Lloyd in the first team squad and new signing Paul has taken on the Captains' role. They have played 4 matches, with 2 wins and 2 defeats. The team have been working hard in training and their game has been developing well. It has been great to have Caroline Maclean and Hugh training with us. The last game against Cardiff Celts at the weekend was played without Jack and Amy. However the team put on a great performance to win 19 - 49.

## Club Dates 2013

Half Term break: 31st October

Last Club before Christmas:

12th December

Club Christmas meal: 19th December

## 1st Team Match Schedule

Date	Home Team		Away Team	Tip Time
10 Nov	Bombers	v	Jaguars 2	14.00
15 Dec	Lewisham Thunder	v	Bombers	14.00
5 Jan	Bombers	v	Maidstone Rebels	14.00
12 Jan	Titans 3	v	Bombers	16.30
9 Feb	Bombers	v	Titans 3	14.00
9 Mar	Bombers	v	Cardiff Celts 2	14.00
16 Mar	Shropshire Warriors	v	Bombers	16.00
30 Mar	Bombers	v	Lewisham Thunder	14.00
3 May	Jaguars 2	v	Bombers	14.15
10 May	Bombers	v	Cobras 2	14.00

## Silent Auction

The Silent Auction raised over £130 for Club funds. However four items didn't receive any bids and 3 more vouchers have been found that were not included.

If you are interested in any of the following, talk to Matthew, our Treasurer. He will take bids during the 2 club sessions after half term, and the highest bidder wins!

- £15 voucher at The Studio (hair salon)
- 1 month pass for 2 at LA Fitness
- Family Swim voucher, Abbeycroft Bury
- £10 Leisure voucher, Anglia Community Leisure
- Culford Family Silver membership for one year
- Car valeting Kit
- Reebok Fitness mat

## Women's League

Good luck to Amy, Fiona, Kate and Sam who will be playing in the competition this weekend.

## Safeguarding Training

Following the latest course which Jill, Barry Chris and Aiden attended, it has been decided that all the Bury Bombers Committee, Coaches and any Club Officials will not be having any Social Media friendships with any Club member under the age of 16.

## Development Team Games

BWB has now announced the Development Leagues and we will be playing Essex Outlaws, Frenford Falcons and Brixton Ballers. The games are planned to take place at Culford, Redbridge and Chelmsford in the New Year. More information when the schedules are decided.

## Bury Bombers Official Website [www.burybombers.org.uk](http://www.burybombers.org.uk)

How often do you visit our website?

It is an awesome mine of information that is updated on a regular basis. A lot of time and effort is expended to make it one of the best wheelchair basketball sites in the country.

Match reports and photos are regularly posted and by using Twitter you are kept updated of events as they happen! DO USE THIS FANTASTIC RESOURCE!

Many thanks to our Webmaster, Hugh.

## TABLE OFFICIAL COURSES

We have one volunteer for table officiating, anyone else consider having a go?

The committee will be looking for an appropriate course soon.

Talk to Jill or Matthew.

[jill@burybombers.org.uk](mailto:jill@burybombers.org.uk)

[matthew@burybombers.org.uk](mailto:matthew@burybombers.org.uk)

## Club Subs

PLEASE can I remind all players to mark the register when you pay your subs with the amount you are paying, not just a tick! Please try to bring your money each week.

Anyone outstanding team subs that should have been paid by now should be given to Matthew as soon as possible. Cheques payable to Bury Bombers please.

## CLUB HELPERS

We are trying to run a rota for tea/coffee each week and looking for family members to give one night every two months? Do you know anyone who could help? Contact Carol on 07807 783947