



# Club News

27th October 2016

## **Membership Forms**

Thanks to you all for completing the relevant forms for your membership to the Club.

This is the first season we have everyone's details collated by half term.

After half term you will be asked to complete forms for our governing body.

Hopefully you can complete them at Club and return them immediately to Barry.

## **RAF Lakenheath Elementary School Roadshow**

We had a very successful Roadshow at the American base this week. This is an annual event where members of the Club give a demonstration of chair and ball skills and play a game for over 500 pupils. During the rest of the day, 160 pupils are then given the opportunity to have a go, under the tutelage of Jill and the team.

Thanks to Dan, Kate, Demi, Tim, James, Jorja, Barry, Matt and Jill for giving up their time. We were presented with £200 for Club funds.

## **Bombers Clothing**

You were asked in the last Newsletter to let Jill know if you would like to order any Bombers Polo shirts, Fleeces or Hoodies for the new season. We need to know approximate numbers before prices are finalised. Once this has been agreed you will need to pay by cash, cheque or BACS before your order is processed. The order will be finalised in November, in time for Christmas. Please talk to Jill if you are interested.

## **IMPORTANT**

A reminder to **ALL** Members; if you are **not** attending Thursday club, **please phone** Jill before 5pm on **01284 728458** or text **07766 817685** **BEFORE 5pm**

## **Annual Raffle**

Thanks to all the members who were able to sell their £50 quota of tickets for this year's fundraiser. The prizes have been distributed and several letters of thanks received.

We raised £1600 in total from members sales, the two events at Haverhill and the Apex. It is clear that when we can approach the public, it is very easy to increase sales. Let's hope that next year we can find more local events to attend.

Thanks to everyone who helped to provide prizes, to sell to family and friends and those who helped at Haverhill and Bury Apex.

### **Non Smoking Site**

PLEASE NOTE THAT  
CULFORD SCHOOL IS A  
**NON SMOKING SITE.**  
IF ANYONE NEEDS TO  
SMOKE THEY NEED TO  
LEAVE THE PREMISES AND  
GO OVER THE MAIN B1065  
TO SMOKE.

### **Teenie Bombers**

The next Teenie sessions are:  
24th November  
15th December

### **Get Well Wishes**

It's great to see Jorja's return to Bombers following her recent surgery. Our best wishes go to Carl, slowly recovering from major surgery in West Suffolk Hospital.

## **Bury Bombers NL Team**

The National League team has played three games in Division 3 so far. Our first game was at home against Hampshire Harriers. This was a tough match as the team haven't played in competition since April 2015. However they showed great spirit and everyone kept up their best efforts until the final whistle. The score was 15-49.

At the end of each game two trophies are awarded for 'Shot of the Day' and 'Player of the Match'. These awards are presented by Jill as Coach. The 'Shot' may be for an individual basket that is scored at a difficult time or a turning point in the game, or for the higher scorer. The 'Player' goes to the team member who consistently makes a difference to the play and helps the team.

Dan was awarded 'Shot' and James 'Player' in this first game.

The second game was away at Leicester against the Cobras.

This was a closely fought game that saw Bombers come out as winners, 27-31. All players gave 100% to this tough match and with a fantastic team spirit and willingness to fully support each other they thoroughly deserved the win. John was awarded 'Shot' and 'Player' went to Kate.

The third game was away to London Sparrows. Despite a fantastic team effort, we lost this game 50-31. Dan was awarded 'Shot' and Barry 'Player'.

Our next game is away against Brixton Ballers on 19th November. The following game is at home against London Titans on 11th December. Do come and support your team. Tip Off is at 1400.

### **Christmas Meal**

Still hoping for suggestions about our annual Christmas meal?  
Talk to Demi, Dan or Jill if you have any suggestions.

### **Club Dates 2016/17**

*Half term: 3rd November*  
*Last Club: 15th December*  
*Spring start: 12th January*