

## Lawn Bowls @ Eastgate

**General Roll-up** Dress—smart casual  
 Tuesday and Thursday @ 14:15hr  
 Friday .@ 18:00hr (coach available)  
 Just turn up & bowl with others..

**Local Leagues** Dress—Grey trousers, shorts, skirt & Club top

### EBF code

**City** : Monday evenings —2 wood three rink triples over 21 ends

**District** :Tuesday evenings—2 wood three rink triples over 21 ends.

**Cliff** : Wednesday evening—three wood three rink triples over 18 ends.

**City** : Thursday afternoon—three wood three rink triples over 18 ends

### EBA code

**Ladies**: Wednesday morning—single rink two wood over 21 ends.

**Club Competitions** Dress—Grey trousers, shorts, skirt & white top

Open Singles

Keith Woodall Cup—Men's Singles

Beryl Hill Plate—Ladies' Singles

Newsum Pairs tankards—Mixed Pairs

Doubles Cup

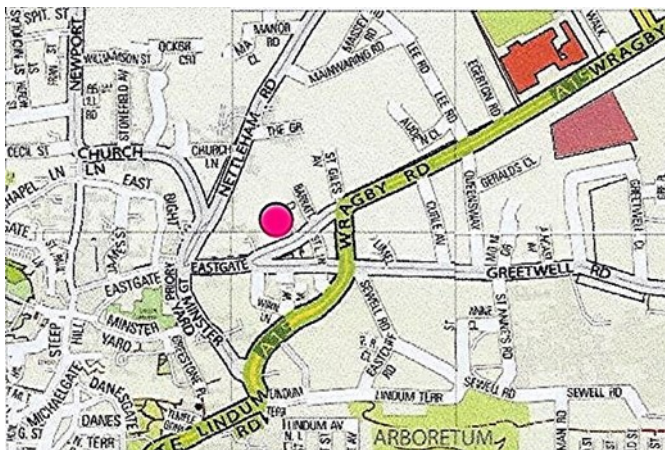
Syd Appleton Cup

Triples Cup

Presidents Shield

Sarah Lidgett Cup—Aussie Pairs

Procter Plate—Singles (handicap)



Red Spot = Eastgate Bowls Green



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New Members



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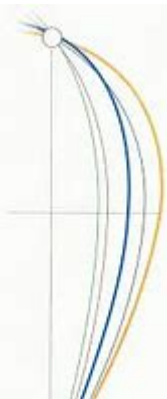
Website : <http://www.eastgateclub.co.uk>

Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/eastgateclub>

## Lawn bowls

Lawn bowls must be one of the most inclusive enabling sports available to all. Inappropriately considered an occupation for more elderly players it can be played from 9-90yr, is played on an equal footing between men and women and can provide gentle exercise for the social bowler through to all of the dynamism and skill of the International bowler. There are also opportunities for individuals with wide-ranging disabilities, with some exceptionally gifted wheelchair bound, visually impaired and restricted para-athletes.

The skill to deliver a biased resin bowl (wood) to a smaller yellow (or white) jack may be taught relatively quickly but take many more years to perform accurately and consistently, taking account of the varying weather and surface conditions encountered outdoors..



A very sociable sport, most games are played over two–three hours with teams made up of “rinks” of players. During a match the emphasis from team mates or opposition is generally encouraged by etiquette to be positive. After a match teams will celebrate or commiserate over a social drink and congratulate the skilled shot,, rue the missed ‘drive’ or playfully curse the ‘lucky wick’ (deflected shot)

## Playing members

New bowlers and bowlers moving to the area are always welcome. New bowlers can have four free coaching sessions throughout May and early June lead by Club Coach Steve Derby, on a Friday evening at 18:00hr. All that is required to start is flat shoes suitable for the green, until joining when bowling shoes are required. Bowls to fit most are available to try before committing to joining the club. The club coach is usually available for advice or input to others on Friday evenings by arrangement.

The club poloshirt & sweatshirt are available to purchase from the club. There are opportunities to buy Bowls equipment and clothing from visiting expert supplier Boston Bowl. New bowlers are introduced to team play in the Thursday afternoon team matches.

More confident or established bowlers should make themselves available to team captains for selection, for evening or ladies league matches, using either club noticeboards or email as preferred by team captains. Players may share travel with others or make their on way to the local venues. A nominal green fee is payable for each match.

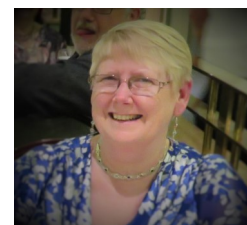
Notification for club competitions entries and fees is circulated by email and posted on noticeboard in the clubhouse.



## Social events & winter

The outdoor bowling season lasts from mid-April to mid-September heralded in by a pre-season lunch. During the summer there are BBQs, shared lunches and pizza nights. Members are free to come to the Club bar any evening throughout the year. Club Trophies (& souvenir miniatures) are presented at the formal Annual Dinner held in November. Twice yearly coach excursions go to interesting venues.

During the winter months many of Eastgate bowlers continue to bowl indoors, choosing either Lincoln & District IBC or Dunholme IBC. Social events continue at Eastgate with book exchange, quiz night, and a Christmas party.



*Message from our Chairman Sue Johnston.*

Eastgate Bowls Club is one of three sections of Eastgate Club in Langworthgate, Lincoln

The Bowls section has about 70 active bowlers and about 30 social or non-playing members. The club enters five teams in the available local EBF code leagues and enters Ladies EBA competitions.

The excellence of the social side sets us apart from all the other clubs in the area regularly attracting people to events throughout the winter in addition to summer season events .

Membership forms are either available to download from the Eastgate website or from Bowls secretary Peter Burgess, 27 Church Lane LINCOLN LN2 1QR. 01522 533967 OR [pete.dil@btinternet.com](mailto:pete.dil@btinternet.com)

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