Tue, Feb 24 2026

Dear members,

What a lovely afternoon we had at Ovingdean Village Hall, a lovely venue with welcoming people.

Firstly, thank you to our “super sub” Chrissie for stepping in at the last minute to play, we couldn’t have done it without you as we were a player short, you really helped us out, thank you Chrissie. Also well done to everyone else who turned out to play today, we all did very well on two very different mats, each with their own challenges.

We got off to a great start, well I say we; that’s the royal we, as sadly, on my rink, Chrissie (Super Sub), Mary, Marsden and I didn’t manage to score until the seventh end where we picked up 2, but we held them to 1 on most of the other ends. After tea, we swopped mats, and we started to come back, and we finished 9 to their 13.

On the other mat, Jacqui, Barry, Brian and Glenn did a lot better, they took a couple of ends to get to grips with the mat and finished the first half strongly, so after 8 ends they lay 2 ahead as we stopped for tea. They continued when they changed mats. There was a slight interruption due to an accident to one of Ovingdean's players but our team forged ahead to finish 2 ahead, well done all of you.

Unfortunately, due to the accident, we could only fit in 14 ends and the combined overall score was Peacehaven 21, Ovingdean 24, however we won more raffle prizes so we felt we’d achieved something on the day!

Thank you, Super Sub Chrissie, Mary, Marsden, Glenn, Brian, Barry and Jacqui, you all did very well this afternoon and I look forwards to playing short mat with you in the near future.

Clive