

AUTUMN 2022

# The BRAMPTONS CLUB

Your club newsletter



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**BY THE CLUB COMMITTEE**

The Bramptons Club Committee would like to give you a quick update on all the club events, past, present and future.

Please enjoy our newsletter for Autumn 2022.

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## THE 2022 SEASON IS ENDING

The club season in 2022 was a huge success. We would like to take this opportunity to thank all members for making such good use of the club.

Membership numbers are very positive this year with over 70 households. Great to see some new faces signing up to use the facilities.

The pool heating was turned on fairly early this year, in late March, and will stay on until 2nd October. The filter system will remain on at a minimum level.

Those that enjoy a colder swim can continue to do so. Please note, at water temperatures below 15 degrees Celsius, the advice provided by [www.swimserpentine.co.uk](http://www.swimserpentine.co.uk) would be to use a wet-suit for any distance. The club does not provide a pool life-guard / attendant. User discretion is advised.

The pool heating system will be switched on again in May 2023 (or sooner).

THE CURRENT  
SEASON WILL  
END ON 2ND  
OCTOBER

ENJOY A FEW  
LAST-MINUTE  
HEATED POOL  
SWIMS BEFORE  
THE SEASON  
ENDS





## THANK YOU ALL!

A huge thank you to all our members. Without your support and membership, the club would not be able to operate.

The club is a huge asset to our community. The Bramptons estate is one of only three communities in the country with similar facilities.

It's a pleasure to see many new memberships with people enjoying the pool, tennis courts and hall already this year.

So thank you all!

## THANKS TO THE VOLUNTEERS

A special mention of thanks to our small group of volunteers too. The countless hours you spend in your own time taking care of the club is highly appreciated. The club would not be the same without your efforts.

A special thanks goes out to Harrison for his daily efforts in maintaining the club grounds and equipment.



## CLUB AGM 2022

As you may know, the club holds an AGM each year. Not to be confused with the resident's AGM; This gives the club and its members an opportunity to review the accounts, confirm committee membership and discuss club matters with you all.

The dates and details for the club AGM will follow in a separate notification.





## COMMUNITY EVENTS

Thank you to all in attendance at the recent community events.

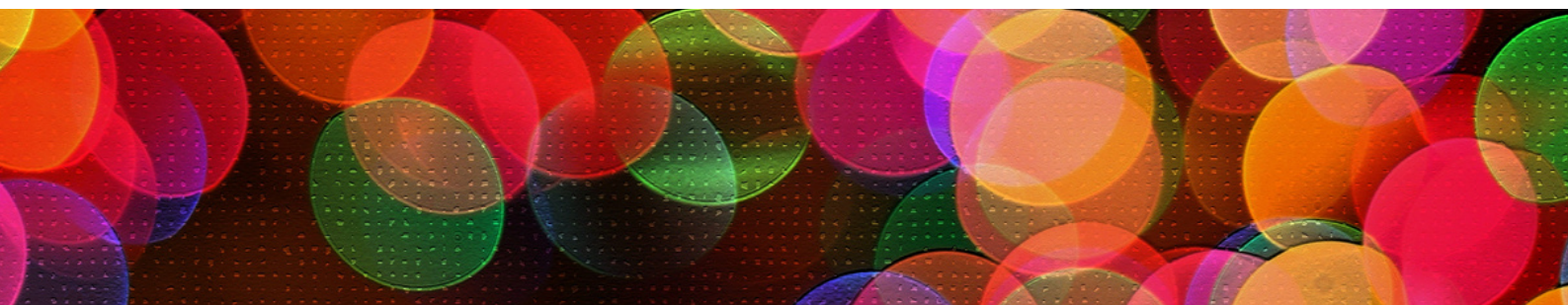
The Club Committee are pleased to invite all club members to a Social evening at The Bramptons Club.

Starting around 7.00pm on Friday 30th September October, please come along to the club for a get-together.

Whilst this is not a catered event, there may be limited food brought by others to share.

Please feel free to add to this and bring down your own food and drinks. Remembering to bring unbreakable tumblers/cups where possible. There is a fridge to store a limited amount of your drinks if needed.

Don't forget your club access fob.



## RECENT ACHIEVEMENTS AND ONGOING IMPROVEMENTS

The volunteers contribute so much on a daily basis, but here are a few ongoing changes:

- Replacement pool pump
- Pool temperature kept above 29 degrees all season
- New sun beds to sample before considering more
- New bar stools for BBQ area
- New side tables to compliment sun beds
- Tennis court remarked, replacement net and seats refurbished
- Work commenced on summer house, play area and new picnic area for next season
- Arriving soon new gym equipment
- Painted club notice board with new weatherproofing
- Work to the Chef's Hut to ensure a weather-safe roof for 2022/2023
- Improving the pool heating system and pool boiler efficiency
- Improving the toilets and water system
- Toilets and wall panels have been fitted, with huge thanks to Steve and Harrison for their continued efforts. New privacy screens are planned for the ladies' changing room soon.





## REMINDERS

### **CHILDREN AND POOL USAGE**

Please do not leave any children unattended near the pool.

As part of your agreement in the club membership, adult supervision (18 or over) should be provided to children (under 16) in your household membership in all areas of the club. Please see club rules on the website for full details.

### **POOL COVER**

Please make sure to roll out the pool cover when you have finished using the pool (and it is obvious no one is about to start using it). This is especially important for evening swimmers.

Using the pool cover will help with the increasing fuel costs to keep the pool at a desirable temperature.

### **LIGHTING**

If there is no one else in attendance, please turn off any lighting as you leave the club or gym.

### **FOOTBALL**

Due to the noise and/or potential damage there is to be no football (or similar variations thereof) played in the club grounds. This includes the grass area, the tennis courts and the pool area. Please abide by this request as this forms part of your agreement to your membership terms.

### **LITTER / RUBBISH**

All food waste / drink cartons / packaging / waste / paper plates / etc... should be taken home with you when you leave the club (including food in fridges that will expire). There are no facilities on site to take your refuse or recycling. Adherence to this forms part of your membership terms.



## REMINDERS

### HALL HIRE

The Hall is available to hire at:

£30.00 to members

£50.00 to non-member residents

Please contact [lorraineeknight73@gmail.com](mailto:lorraineeknight73@gmail.com) for availability and a booking form.

Events and gatherings must be organised and paid for in advance. Any member hosting unpaid events, inviting more than their allocation of guests, or circumventing guest allowances, may be subject to their membership being terminated.

### CAR PARKING

Please only park in the 3 designated spaces when it is absolutely essential to drive to the club. Adherence to this forms part of your membership terms.

Club users must not be parked on pavements, verges, or in the road. Overflow parking is available at the school public car park.

If you see a club user parking in an inconsiderate way, it is your responsibility to ask them to park appropriately.





## REMINDERS

### **Breakages cost you money**

We understand that accidents happen, however please continue to be considerate of equipment at the club. Each breakage will either need to be repaired or replace at cost to the club.

### **Key fobs**

By now you should have had a smooth activation of your key tag passes. Your membership allows access to the gym, hall, pool, tennis courts, and bbq area.

Should your key tag turn out to be deactivated (and you don't know why) then please email the club chairman  
[bramptonsclub.chairman@gmail.com](mailto:bramptonsclub.chairman@gmail.com)



# A REQUEST FOR SUPPORT

## CLUB SUPPORT REQUIRED

The Bramptons Club Committee are seeking support for two important roles this year.

- Club Secretary
- Treasurer

If you have any experience, or ambition to learn, please email [bramptonsclub.chairman@gmail.com](mailto:bramptonsclub.chairman@gmail.com) to find out more information.

We'd love to hear from anyone who would like to volunteer for either of these roles, or if you have any interest in helping out with day-to-day activities around the club house.





FOR ENQUIRIES, FEEDBACK AND SUGGESTIONS

PLEASE CONTACT

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WITH THANKS,

YOUR CLUB COMMITTEE.

