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Club Chatter

For the first time the Club Newsletter is being sent by email.
As usual, it is also posted on the Club's website.

Numbers have been low on club nights in recent weeks. We know it's holiday time but it would be nice if members could make an effort to support the Monday evening sessions.

Please make a note that as we are away from 24th August until 14th September, the club will be closed on 30th August, 6th, 13th September. We know it's right in front of the new season but unless someone comes forward to take responsibility for looking after the club nights while we are away and numbers warrant running it, then it seems the most sensible solution.

Bromley's got a problem! If it doesn't continue we may have to enter the Tonbridge League which is the nearest to us.

Bromley Bits

There is a very real danger that the Bromley Association will be wound up. A new Treasurer is desperately required. Don't sit there in complacency and think "oh, they'll find someone" because they might not. Give it genuine consideration; can you do the job, even if it is only for a year? **NO TREASURER = NO BROMLEY LEAGUE NEXT SEASON.** There's a Special General Meeting on 22nd July so time is short. If you can help, please call the Bromley Secretary, Carol Homewood on 01322 613527 urgently.

If all is well and the Association continues, we are entitled to one team in Division 1, two in Division 3 and one in Division 4. At the moment we do not have sufficient players to enter more than 4 teams.

Individual Membership of the ETTA

As you probably know, from this coming season every person playing "Competitive Table Tennis", e.g. in the Sevenoaks League, must become a "Player Member" of the English Table Tennis Association. The fee is £5.64 for Seniors, £2.82 for Juniors.



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Sevenoaks Snippets

League Competition

We need to put our teams together by the end of the first week in August. The closing date for team entries is 8th August. That's not a lot of time and the Fixture Meeting takes place the next day. Please let us know now what you want to do – there is a form to be completed at the bottom of this newsletter.

Junior Development Division

The first season was well supported and a second season is planned but forms won't go out until after the schools come back from their summer break. Juniors who will have left Amherst and joined our Saturday Club may wish to compete for Darenth in the Junior Development Division. This is one of the reasons we set up the Saturday Club, so youngsters could continue to play after primary school.

Janet's Juniors

There are coaching classes at The Howard for the 3rd, 4th and 5th August. The one suitable for our youngsters is on 4th August (10am – 12 noon). Janet has circulated all the Saturday Club but if anyone wants to go she needs to know soon so she can co-ordinate transport.

Coaches' Corner

Janet is continuing with the Friday coaching until 20th August and will resume on 17th September.

David & Janet – 16th July 2010

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<i>If the Bromley League continues</i> I would like to represent Darenth next season in the Bromley League: YES/NO Division preferred (enter 1 to 4):	
<i>If the Bromley League is wound up</i> I would like to represent Darenth next season in the Tonbridge League: YES/NO Division preferred (enter 1 to 2):	
I would like to represent Darenth next season in the Sevenoaks League: YES/NO Division preferred (enter "Dev" or 1 to 6):	
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