



The Veterans Squash Rackets Club of Great Britain

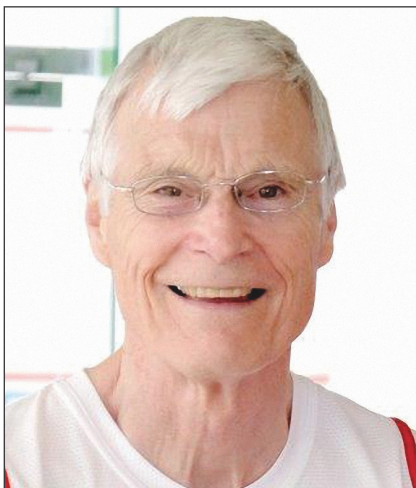
NEWSLETTER – APRIL 2024

THE YEAR AHEAD

Many fixtures that went well in 2023 are being repeated this year by popular request.

Wales SM defeated GBV on the same early March weekend that GBV were victorious over the Fitzwilliam SC from Dublin, made even better (or worse if Irish) by Marcus Smith's last minute drop goal. The York tour is one of many reports that appears in this newsletter. England, Scotland and Irish SM sides await later in the year with the doubles only match against the Jesters and Festival of Squash in the latter part of 2024.

The Newsletter will continue with Aubrey's 5 questions. Alison Goy is next in line. Meanwhile the Chair has found out that James Dubois sings in a Barbershop Chorus and Trevor Cox builds Film Sets when not playing



Ian Graham

squash which will feature too.

Our annual tournament returns to Colet's and has been placed early in September (7th&8th) at the start of the season. Golf Days in Surrey and Windermere with more multi player fixtures to include the RAF and Navy will add to another busy year which will feature prominently in our new website.

Finally, can I ask you to consider buying the now printed book of our 60th Anniversary produced by our esteemed secretary Nigel Belle. Contact him – see details below.

We wish all our playing members selected for Home Internationals many winning matches.

Ian Graham

60th ANNIVERSARY BOOK



By now you will have received, via email, the complete 26 page Anniversary Book. An important milestone in our 60 year history.

The Book is now available in hard back form. It is a limited edition so if you would like a copy, get your order in NOW!

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ALISON GOY - One Player, Five Questions

Interviewed by Aubrey Waddy

Alison Goy is an England international squash player, but unlike many with lots of achievements, she's not one for her statistics. An obvious question, "How many times have you been picked for the Home Internationals?" A pause. "Oh I guess at around five times. I've played at every (home internationals) location. Five or six. I should know the answer." "I should know the answer." But when we talked, she couldn't recall. Neither did she remember exactly when she was first selected for England. After checking, she told me that her first international was in 2012, and that she's played in seven in all, so far. (The 'so far' is mine.)

But she did remember her first international weekend, for the o-40s, at the Fitzwilliam Club in Dublin, a splendid multisport club many GB Vets members will be familiar with. It was an entirely appropriate place for Alison's debut. As background: one of her other sports, before she concentrated on squash, was badminton. In badminton, you play doubles. After the doubles, you have tea and biscuits. With squash, you play singles. Afterwards you go down to the pub! Tea and biscuits would surely have been available at the Fitzwilliam Club, but it's more notable for the Guinness and the craic in the bars.

Alison was good at sport from a young age. She captained netball at school, playing goal attack, and for two or three seasons the same team carried on in the local Newark league, sponsored by her Dad! She first played hockey for the ladies' team at the Paviers Hockey Club in Nottingham at the age of twelve. This led to more than fifteen years of hockey in the Midlands League until finally the difficulty of giving up whole weekends to play, on top of the mid-week training, became too much. From then on she focussed on squash.

Alison first played squash when she was sixteen, answering an ad for juniors in the local paper. Of the ten or twelve teenagers who started at the same time, four went on to play for the Grove club. How many clubs would die for that now. After only two years she was picked for team squash in the Notts league. She also played in the men's fifth team at the Grove club. Sadly, the Notts Ladies league folded some years ago, but Alison has always been a great one for team squash.

She was introduced to England Squash Masters by Adrian Wright and Dave Hardern, with the promise, 'You'll get some good matches.' So she entered the Pontefract event that year, and at the next, in Exeter, was "taken under the wing" of Ian Bradburn and Glen Ragou. That sounds like make or break, and unsurprisingly with a character like Alison, make it undoubtedly was. "I've never looked back." However, it's not the squash itself that defines the person. Stating the obvious for the many players and others who enjoy Alison's company, she says, "I like to socialise. I don't mind helping out. Every club I've played at I've been captain or fixtures secretary or something." That accords with the impression you always get when you see Alison at a tournament. At GB Vets and Masters events you'll find her organising and contributing and helping out in some way, as well as playing. And if you ever need someone to enjoy a beer with afterwards, Alison will be the perfect choice!

In 2013/2014 Alison was nominated as one of the three England Squash Masters Players of the Year. "Not for my squash abilities!" she says. That will be untrue, but she was instrumental in establishing the successful relationship between ESM and iPROSPORTS, and she was for some years the longest standing female member on an ESM committee.



Alison Goy

There's an enormous amount of admin associated with GB Vets and England Squash Masters. Everyone who has represented England in the Home Internationals will have had to deal with this as the event approaches: confirming attendance; plus or minus a partner; place(s) for the dinner; bookings for other meals; hotel reservations, (and paying for the privilege of representing your country!) Someone has to coordinate everything for ESM, covering seventy or eighty players each year. No surprise that the organiser-in-chief for several years was Alison. "I did used to enjoy it, but for three months it's crazy." She only stopped when caring for her elderly parents took precedence. It's characteristic of Alison that she has joined a number of GB Vets tours, including ones to Jersey and Gibraltar. In May this year she will be going, for the third time, to the Barbados Open, with Polly Woodward. She mentions previous visits to what she refers to as a little shack of a club in Hastings, Barbados, with "the tiniest bar", with Ian Bradburn, Geoff Redfern and Andrea Santamaria. This year it will or won't be solid preparation for the World Masters in Amsterdam in August! For Amsterdam it's no surprise to hear that a number of UK players have sought advice from Alison about hotels. She has competed several times at the Worlds, in Birmingham and Hong Kong and Charlottesville.

You'd think that all the involvement in squash, plus Alison's day job in Nottingham in Customer Services for Calyx, a large company that manages pharmaceutical research, would exclude everything else. However, she has another passion. Her Dad was an accomplished footballer, and a devoted Nottingham Forest supporter. So Alison is also a devoted fan... of Liverpool Football Club! The devotion started, presumably in rebellion, in the Bob Paisley era. Kenny Dalglish was among the posters that adorned the young Alison's bedroom wall, and she's made many trips to Anfield. She even shares a birthday with the great Dalglish. She did start playing football herself, with Newark Town Ladies, but fortunately for her squash career, an early, painful, dead leg put her off. So her knees and ankles are probably in better shape than they might have been if she'd achieved as much at football as in her various other sports.

Alison Goy. Always contributing. And a darned good squash player, too.



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Here are Alison's five questions.

1. Who was the best player you ever played?

I had the fortune of playing Donna Vardy after she had finished playing on the tour. I think it's the only time I've lost 27-0! Donna was a fantastic player, but I feel that Millie Tomlinson is probably the best player I've ever played although she was only about 13 at the time, I lost 3-0 but at least I managed to get some points on the board.

2. What did it feel like the first time you were picked for England?

It was just a really proud moment. I'd represented my county in Hockey & Squash but to be representing your country is just something else, something that I never saw as a possible achievement.

3. What was your hardest match?

One match that stands out for me was a Nottingham Squash Club Ladies Championship semi-final match against Sue Pynegar. Prior to this match I had never beaten Sue. In fact I had never been close to

beating Sue. So at 2-0 down and 8-1 down in the third (HIHO scoring) things were not looking good. To this day I still do not know how I managed to turn it around, but I did and in doing so Sue was no longer my nemesis!

4. What are you most proud of in your squash career?

Captaining the England team. I've been captain 4 times. My proudest moment was when I captained England in Nottingham (my home club) and my Dad came to watch. He had never watched me play before and I had a five set battle with the late Fiona McClean, narrowly losing the fifth. Even though Scotland took the title it was just a really special moment as I could see how proud he was. And having never played squash in his life he told me exactly where I'd gone wrong afterwards!

Fifth question, chosen by Alison:

5. If I was 16 again and read the same advertisement, would I take up squash?

Most definitely. I have travelled all over the world because of squash and met some fantastic people of which many are now good friends.

GB VETS VS WALES BRIDGEND 9 MARCH

The last time GB Vets were playing at Bridgend Squash Club was April 2023, and that visit ended in a 4-4 draw. So with an almost identical side, it was "here we go again!"

First up were **Linda Pritchard** and **Sam Balsdon**. Linda had a shaky start, playing too many narrow backhand cross courts, and getting caught out, losing the first game. Completely different in the following two games, playing with plenty of power on the forehand side, taking a 2-1 lead. In the 4th game, she took her pedal off the gas and her opponent, Rhian Davies, levelled up at 2-2. In the 5th, she got back into drive mode and took the match 3-2.

Sam clearly struggled in the first 2 games, showing signs of a stiff shoulder muscle. He went 2-0 down, but then bit by bit the shoulder loosened, and he levelled up at 2-2. The 5th game went all the way down to the wire but sadly Sam to Alan James lost by 2 points.

So-one a piece!

Next on were **Lynne Davies** vs Jill Griffiths. From what I heard, Lynne had never previously lost to Jill, until today. Lynne's forehand boast which has always been a great weapon, was just not working at its best,

and the game ended in a surprise 3-0 win to Jill. Meanwhile, **Damian Jay**, was playing Darren Thomas on the other court. They were both hitting the ball with some pace. Unfortunately, Damian just fell short at the end of each game and lost 3-0.

So, 3-1 down.

John Parkes & Richard Murphy up next - a 50/50 game. Too many unforced errors from John, leading him to lose the first game, then managing to level the match and take the third. Sadly, Richard then twisted his back and had to withdraw at the end of the 3rd.



GB Vets team

Next set of players were **Tom Burton** & Gary Fry. Tom, having started playing again after a knee operation a couple of years ago, was moving around the court like a 20 year old, went 2-1 up. Could he take the 4th to take the match? Sadly not, and he was also edged out in the 5th. Match score 4-2 to Wales. So we needed the last 2 matches to finish on a draw. No pressure then!

Rob Reid playing Ian Fenner-Evans & **Barry Featherstone** against graham Bastian, what a strange result this was! Rob went 2-0, looking like he was never going to lose, and Barry went 2-0 down, looking like he was never going to win! Ian dug in deep against Rob & turned the match around with a 3-2 win. Barry brought out all his years of experience & turned that result around to a 3-2 win. **So final result 5-3 to Wales.**

A great afternoon of squash. Wonderful to see a packed balcony of spectators!

Our thanks go to Paul & Ray for marking the matches (hardest job of all!), Tony, Graham, Alan & Ian for organizing the match, and finally to Bridgend Squash Club for the buffet & drinks.

Ian Graham



Sam Balsdon (left)



Damian Jay (left)



Lynne Davies (left)



Barry Featherstone (rt)



Rob Reid (rt)



Linda Pritchard (rt)



Tom Burton (left)



John Parkes (rt)



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2024 CLUB CHAMPIONSHIPS

The 2024 GB Vets Tournament Finals will take place over the weekend of 7th & 8th September at Colet's Health & Fitness in Thames Ditton, Surrey.

Entries will open at the beginning of June and close at the end of July. All entries shall be made through the website www.gbvs.co.uk. If there are enough entries, any rounds prior to Quarter Finals will be requested to be played before the 7th September.

Geoff Howes, Tournament Director

The Tournament categories will be as follows:

Singles. Men's O40, O50, O60, O65, O70, O75, O80.

Non-county. 40-49, 50-59, 60+

Ladies. O35, O50, O60

Doubles. Men's O40, O50, O60, O70, **Ladies, Mixed.**

There will be plate events where there are sufficient entries.



HOME INTERNATIONALS



Congratulations to the following 36 GB Vets members who have been selected to play for their Country in the Home Internationals to be held in Cardiff, Dublin, Nottingham and Edinburgh during April and early May.

All England players except where noted: S=Scotland, W=Wales, I=Ireland

MO45 Tim Burrell

MO50 Matthew Stephenson, Peter Buchan(S)

MO55 Steve McLoughlin, Raymond Burke (MBE)

MO60 Eamonn Price, Darren Withey, Nigel Bacon, John Parkes.

MO65 Allen Barwise, Nick Gollaglee, Ian Bradburn

MO70 John Goodrich, Terry Belshaw, Geoff Redfern, Derek Wright (W), Emilio Fazzi (S), Ian Ross (S)

MO75 Larry Grover, Barry Featherstone, Ian Ross (S) Robert Smith, Alex Sinclair(S), Leighton Jenkins (W)

WO35/40 Mhairi Gritz (S)

WO45 Catherine Ruffle

WO50 Sarah Parr, Linda Pritchard

WO55 Lynne Davies (W)

WO60 Polly Woodward, Mandy Akin, Tammy Bennett

WO65 Sue Pynegar, Lesley Sturgess, Julie Ann Pegram, Eunice Bond(S)

GOOD LUCK TO ALL!

JESTERS TOURNAMENT RESULTS

Peter Chalk (Chalkie) has been running this 'Amateur' Tournament for over 2 decades which is held annually at the RAC Pall Mall.

There are 4 categories for 'older' players – Veterans, Vintage, Venerables and Vulnerables.

VINTAGE



Richard Winter (L) beat Tim Smith 3/0

VENERABLES



Eamonn Price (L) beat Teejay Sogunro 3/0

VULNERABLES



Allen Barwise (L) beat Stuart Hardy 3/1

Photographs courtesy of Harry Parkes



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CLUB MATCH REPORTS

VS ROEHAMPTON – 11TH JANUARY

An excellent evening at Roehampton. GB Vets arrived at Roehampton for this annual fixture with a team of ten players packed with experience to face a Roehampton team of quick, fit youngsters and doubles specialists.

Things kicked off with the Roehampton doubles pair showing their doubles class by beating **Kim Ricks** and **Mick Murray** 3/1, **Ian Chicken** and **Paramjit Deol** 2/1 and **Steve Jackson** and **Ash**

Chakraborty also 2/1. This gave Roehampton an early lead in the match but experience over youth favoured GB



Both teams

Vets in the singles with wins for **Richard Winter**, **Ian Chicken**, **Paramjit Deol**, **Peter Culver**, **Ash Chakraborty** and **Mick Murray**. Good tough matches but which resulted in losses were inflicted on **Steve Jackson**, **Philip Courtenay-Luck** and **Richard Mosley**.

So a final result of a six all draw. All followed by pizzas and drinks in the bar to conclude a very enjoyable evening.

Mick Murray, Match Manager

VS CHICHESTER – 3RD FEBRUARY

This long running match was hit by late injuries and became a 3-a-side contest. Captain **Paul Reader** had a great match and saved 5 match balls before securing an opening victory. **Barry Featherstone** was then given a tough, pre- Nationals, outing against a significantly younger opponent and went down in 3 well contested games. **Chris Lock**, who had switched at the last minute to GBV had an unexpected loss that gave Chichester overall victory.

Lunch was the usual convivial affair. Long time member and Chichester Club President **Graham Fisher** attended with his wife Pat but **Lance Kinder**, who died last December, was sadly missed. I would like to thank **Paul Reader** for running this fixture over many years, as he retires as team captain.

Ian Graham, Chair GBV

VS HURLINGHAM – 7TH MARCH

Our fixture vs the Hurlingham Club really is one of the best – the setting, the courts, the amenities and the club members hospitality is well.....perfect.

The evening's squash got underway with **Kim Ricks** and **Nigel Belle** playing doubles on their doubles court. Playing PARS to 15, all games were hard fought and close, but the hosts came through with a 3/1 win.

Both **David Parker** at No.2 and new GB Vet **Mark Ainley** at No.4 also had excellent close games but again the hosts came out winners again both 3/1.

So not looking good for the GB Vets at this stage being 0/3 down! **Mick Murray** at No.3 and his opponent opted to play 'English' scoring HIHO to 9. Again a much contested close match, which appeared to

last forever, but happily Mick ran out a worthy winner 3/2 in the end. Could **Ash Chakraborty** at No.1 chalk up another win? Unfortunately no such luck. Playing PARS to 11 Ash was up against Hurlingham's 2nd team No.1 and lost in 3. So a much-deserved 4/1 win to Hurlingham.

Following an excellent 2 course meal (with appropriate drinks!) in the Harness Room, a few words of thanks by the Vets Match Manager to the Hurlingham Club and in particular their captain, Rodney Brewis, for a superb evening, we all wended our way home vowing 'to do better next year!'

Nigel Belle, Match Manager



Both teams



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YORK TOUR WIGGINGTON 22/23 MARCH DUNNINGTON

A small but select band of GB Vets ventured into Yorkshire to play two of the more prestigious squash clubs in the area.

Friday night was Wiggington's opportunity to reverse their previous two results against the Vets. **Mark Ainley** making his debut, lost out in a close match against Gus Clapham, the Wiggington man proving to be a sneaky drop shot exponent.

David Harris then took on Lee Twigge who couldn't cope with David's all round power game, the Vet taking it 3-1.

Cath Ruffle, our National O45 champion took on local girl Di Fenwick, a regular on the ESM circuit. Cath's overall court movement proving the difference, 3-0.

Allen Barwise then played Ben Collard, a decent Yorkshire competitor, winning 15/13, 13/11, 11/5. A tough game, against a younger opponent.

The two No 1's then fought the most entertaining match of the night, **Matt Stephenson** winning a really close contest 3-2 against Tom Pepper, 11/8 in the fifth.

An entertaining evening ended with a meal and a couple of libations at the club. Allen thanked Wiggington for their kind hospitality, yet again.

A strong Dunnington welcomed the Vets on Saturday late afternoon. Shaun Batchelor took on **Cath Ruffle**, who proved too strong for the Vets player winning 3-0, but a good weekend's squash though for the top ladies player.

Next up was **David Harris** who took a game and almost another again against a higher level player, Hugh Mannerings but lost 1/3.

Allen Barwise then played James Ledner, a 22 year old with higher squash levels. Although Allen played well, he couldn't cope with the exceptional retrieving from the younger man. Vets already down 3-0.

Mark Ainley, a Kent player, new to the Vets scene took a game from his opponent but couldn't produce a Vets win. The No 1's then took centre stage with **Matt Stephenson** taking on teammate Ed Shannon, a closely contested match saw the younger Dunnington player taking it 3-1.

Although the Vets were outgunned, it was an enjoyable experience for all with an entertaining night to come. Many thanks to both clubs for their excellent hospitality and friendship. We will return in two years.

Allen Barwise

GB Vets 4 Wiggington Squash Club 1

Dunnington 5 GB Vets 0



GB Vets Team

Mark Ainley, Allen Barwise, David Harris, Matthew Stephenson, Cath Ruffle



David Harris (Left)



Cath Ruffle (Right)



Allen Barwise (Right)



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APART FROM PLAYING SQUASH I ALSO... DO SINGING



At last November's Festival of Squash at the Royal Automobile Club in Epsom I was talking to our local Epsom member, James Dubois, and asked him about the rumours of his singing exploits and he confessed to the following:

I never sang in my school choir because Choir Practice coincided with teatime and, due to my sweet tooth (that I still have), I wasn't passing-up on the sticky buns. So it was not until almost forty years later that I saw a Men's Barbershop Chorus on television. They looked so jolly and sounded superb and a few weeks later I casually turned-up at the Annual Barbershop Convention in Bournemouth. I was allowed to sing in a Masterclass, on stage with 200 men, and the four-part close harmonies had me hooked: after that, I rehearsed weekly with a local Chorus ending up at Windsor where we have regularly won National medals, the best of which was a Silver Medal, about ten years ago. I still don't read music and play no instruments, so I rely on teach-tapes and my memory to learn the correct notes and words. For me, the real challenge is to sing in a quartet, usually four men but sometimes a mixed quartet – you need to be rock solid with your notes, words and timing as all performing is without

sheet music and no musical instruments: you're on your own and I'm the only Bass. That involves a lot of practice at home and then more synchronised singing with the other three voice parts. My first quartet public performance was at a National Trust property in Surrey about twenty-five years ago. I forgot to mention to the Organiser that we'd never sung in public, but it went (fairly) well and we earned £100 for four evenings of work, split between the four of us – about £1.25 per hour. We were ecstatic when a woman chased after us and asked where she could buy a recording of our quartet songs!



James Dubois

Quartets are like marriages, but more complicated because four people all have different aspirations and various work and other family commitments, so I've sung in several quartets over the past twenty-five years. My current quartet, The Royal Males were placed seventh in the National Quartet Contest in 2009 and also won The Gold Medal for the Seniors category with a minimum combined age of 240. As National Champions we qualified to represent the UK in the World Championships held in 2010 in Tampa, Florida. That was a brilliant fortnight. We didn't really compare to the US quartets as they all sing from the age of 18 in College, but it was a wonderful experience with lots of singing and camaraderie.

The Royal Males are still performing together and even had four events in the six weeks before Christmas in 2023. It is a sensational feeling to entertain others and so many of our audiences have never heard the chords and harmonies that we produce. That gives us a real buzz and, I'm told, prolongs active life aiding lung capacity, posture, mental acuity, performance skills and general alertness – in many ways, a bit like squash!

NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS 2024 – NOTTINGHAM – RESULTS

5 WINNERS

MO55 Steve McLoughlin
MO65 Allen Barwise
MO70 Terry Belshaw
MO75 Larry Grover
WO45 Catherine Ruffle

7 FINALISTS

MO60 Eamonn Price
MO70 Geoff Redfern
MO75 Ian Ross
WO45 Keeley Johnson
WO50 Sarah Parr
WO65 Karen Hume

9 SEMI-FINALISTS

Mark Woodliffe, Darren Withey
Nick Gollaglee, Polly Woodward
Barry Featherstone, Sue Pynegar
John Goodrich, Lynne Davies
Julie-Anne Pegram

AN AMERICAN WISH

A man was walking along a California beach, deep in prayer. All of a sudden, he said out loud "Lord please grant me one wish." The sunny California sky clouded over above his head and in a booming voice the Lord said, 'because you have tried to be faithful to me in all ways, I will grant you one wish'.

The man said, "Build me a bridge to Hawaii so I can drive over anytime I want." The Lord said

'Your request is very materialistic, think of the enormous challenges there are for that kind of undertaking, the supports required to reach the bottom of the Pacific – it would take thousands of tons of concrete and miles and miles of steel. I can do it but it is very hard for me to justify your desire for worldly things. Take a little more time and think of another wish you think would honour and glorify me.'

The man thought about it for a long time. Finally he said, "Lord I wish I could understand women, I want to know how they feel inside, what they are thinking when they give one the silent treatment, why they cry, what they mean when they say 'nothing' and how can I make a woman truly happy."

The Lord replied, 'Do you want 2 lanes or 4 lanes on that bridge?'



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NEW MEMBERS

We warmly welcome the following new members who have joined since the last Newsletter:

John Hithersay - Rugby Stags
Alex Sinclair - Stonehaven, Shell

MEMBER INFO

Don't forget you can access all members details via our website:

www.gbvs.co.uk

Login: GBVETSSQUASH

Password: RACKET7288

ALL UPPER CASE

'LOST' MEMBERS

Surely someone must know the whereabouts of a 'lost' member below? If so please let the Hon. Sec. know.

Alf Barker
Tim Higginson
Robert McIntosh
Aubrey Smith

APOLOGIES!

For omitting Myron Evans who played O75 for Ireland and Derek Wright who played O70 for Wales from the 60th Anniversary Book.
Nigel/Editor

OBITUARIES

It is with much sadness we announce that the following have recently gone to that great squash club in the sky:

Tony Rowland, a member since 1989 died December 2023
Kevin Freeman, a member since 1984 died 30th November 2023
Peter Marus, a member since 1985 died in the summer of 2023
Lance Kinder, a member since 1983 died 14th December 2023
(A tribute and obituary for Lance can be found under 'Latest Pages' on our website)

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FORTHCOMING EVENTS

DATE	EVENT	VENUE	CONTACT
17 April	Match vs RAC	Pall Mall, London	Nigel Belle
19 April	Match vs Oxshott	Oxshott	Nigel Belle
6 May	GB Vets Golf Day	Windermere	Allen Barwise
5/9 June	British Open	Birmingham	ESM Website
15/22 August	WSF World Masters	Amsterdam	WSF Website
7/8 September	GB Vets Finals weekend	Colets.	Geoff Howes
9 September	GB Vets Golf Day	Surbiton	Geoff Howes
14 September	Ragou/Cowley Cup	Sutton Coldfield	Alison Goy
26 September TBC	Match vs Dorking	Dorking	Nigel Belle
27/29 September	ESM Regional	TBC	ESM Website
4/6 October	Jersey Festival	Jersey	Allen Barwise
October ? TBC	Jersey Festival	Jersey	Allen Barwise
1/3 November	ESM Regional	TBC	ESM Website
17 November	Festival of Squash	RAC Epsom	Ian Graham
29 November TBC	Match vs Purley	Purley	Nigel Belle
6/8 December	ESM Regional	TBC	ESM Website
10/12 January 2025	ESM Regional	TBC	ESM Website
5/9 February 2025	Nationals	TBC	ESM Website