

Thursday Morning Fun League

Notes of the AGM for the 2026-2027 Season held in the Ice Boxes at 10am on Thursday 27 August 2026

Teams represented by: - 17 of the existing 18 teams.

Hillbillies	Flying Pins
Hit and Misses	3 Amigos
Senior Stars	Pickups
Spare Pair	Ball Busters
The Lovely Jubblies	The Sinners
Thunderbyrds	As You Like It
Stop, Drop and Roll	Big Dogs
Knock Em Down	No Sense of Humour
2 Bad 2 Bowl	

represented by 21 league members and 3 League Officers.

Absent Team

Red Devils

Officers Present

Karen Turner, Peter Robinson and Alan Reed

Apologies were received from Joe Jamieson, Lesley Jones, Alison Legg and Tina Moseley.

Items proposed, seconded and agreed were as follows: -

The Accounts for 2025-2026 were approved.

All three of the **League Officers** were re-elected.

Spectrum (Freedom-Leisure) have advised that the lineage will be increased for next season from £10.50 to £11.00. All payments to be made to Control, by cash or credit card, and a receipt obtained. Receipts to go into the team envelopes and passed to Peter, the Treasurer. It was agreed that the league fees would be collected separately during the first week. £15 per player for the whole season. Bank transfer payments can be made and the new bank details will be provided for the first week. Our new bank is Metro Bank.

All the prizes for the previous season were presented by Karen, including the Shield to The Three of us plus One.

No charge for the use of the Ice Boxes this year.

With 18 teams we could start the season on 3 September 2026, going twice round, finishing on 17 June 2027. With no scheduled bowling on 24 and 31 December 2026 for the Christmas holidays, 1 and 8 April 2027 for the Easter holidays and 22 and 29 October 2026, 18 February and 3 June 2027 for the Half-terms. Plus, the President's Trophy Tournament on 24 June 2026.

The Ted Goodrum Memorial Trophy to be presented to the player with highest handicap pinfall over the entire season.

This means that the next AGM can be held on 26 August 2027 allowing the following season to start on 2 September 2027.

Team draw. (Refer to week 1 League Sheet, League Schedule, League Constitution and these notes on the new website - www.thursdaymorningleague.org.uk).

There were three Proposal to consider at the AGM.

Proposal 1 – No Reduction for Blind Scores was approved, by 14 votes for and 10 against.

Proposal 2 – To Ask whether the lanes can be dressed on a Thursday morning. Spectrum advised that they will aim to dress the lanes on a Thursday morning before the league, rather than on a Wednesday evening. However, there may rarely be circumstances where operational requirement mean the lanes need to be dressed on a Wednesday evening instead. Approved unanimously.

Proposal 3 – To allow Envelope Matches to be completed on the final day of the season. Approved unanimously.

Oil Patterns were discussed briefly – It was agreed that we'll continue with Stonehenge, Carbon and Big Ben.

The AGM finished at 11:03am.