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Wakefield Hockey Club,  
Wakefield Bowls Club,  
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Wakefield Rifle & Pistol Club,  
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# SPORTS CLUB NEWS!

## Check out our New Look Kitchen!!

Whilst we have all been enjoying the Christmas festivities our Kitchen has been given a 'facelift' and as you can see is all gleaming and bright for the New Year! So, to all of you budding 'chefs' out there who would like to hone your skills, make sure you book your party/function with us and you can be one of the first to try it out!



## The Perfect Party Venue!

To book your party with us, or if you would like to look around our facilities and find out more about our function rooms, please telephone the office and we will be happy to help. You can also visit our facebook page: @WakefieldSportsClub or see our website: [www.WakefieldSportsClub.org](http://www.WakefieldSportsClub.org).



## Whats on at the Sports Club:

**Judo** every Monday and Wednesday evening 8pm - 9pm  
**Roche Academy:** Karate/kickboxing. Weds 4.15-6.15pm  
**Diva** Theatrical Group: Mon & Weds 7.30 - 9.30pm  
**Andrew Shilton Band** Weds 7.30 - 9.30pm  
**Jazz:** Every Friday eve with food from 7pm. Tickets available from their website: [www.wakefieldjazz.co.uk](http://www.wakefieldjazz.co.uk)  
**Ali G Childrens' Dance:** Tues & Thurs 5.30 - 9.15pm

## Pitches for Hire:

2 x full sized waterbased Astro pitches for hockey/football. Ideal for Schools/Colleges or football teams. Also MUGA (multi games area) for 5 a side football. To book or for prices/further info please call the office.

## NEW!!! Open Mic Nights!!

Starts Sunday 19th February.  
7-10.30pm See Bar for more information.



## Quiz Night!

5th February at 7pm in the Lounge Bar with Pie and Pea Supper. Everyone welcome. Tickets available behind the bar.



## Sections News:



### Bowls:

The Bowls' Section are keeping themselves active by using the Astro pitches to play during the Winter months, whilst also ensuring their greens are being well maintained so that they will be in tip top condition ready for the new season in Spring. In the meantime they meet up every first Wednesday of each month (from 10am) for tea/coffee in the pavilion. Potential new members are always very welcome to come along. They also continue to play Whist on Tuesdays in the Pavilion from 1.15pm throughout the Winter period. Bowls are organising another quiz night too! - see over for further info.

### Squash:

Wakefield Squash Club has been at College Grove for approaching 50 years, producing some of the country's most talented players at county, national and international levels.

The Squash Club is a very friendly and lively club. It is a member's run club with no full time staff. The Club has 4 excellent squash courts, 1 of which is glass backed. With over 200 squash members across all standards there's no Shortage of opponents, whatever your level.

If you want to take your game past the "friendly" stage there is a competitive internal mini-league system, club competitions and more than 9 teams that represent the club in the Yorkshire League and Leeds Metro Leagues

If you are looking to play squash in the Wakefield area then you need look no further. Please visit their new website at [www.wakefieldsquashclub.co.uk](http://www.wakefieldsquashclub.co.uk), or even better come and visit the Squash Club in person and see what great facilities they have to offer. Coaching is also available on one-to-one basis or groups.

### Jazz:

*Friday 13 Jan 2017:* Remi Harris Trio. Gypsy Jazz, swing and blues from a young guitar virtuoso. If you enjoyed Matt Holburn's band last year then this is definitely for you.

*Friday 20th Jan:* Trish Clowes' My Iris. Trish is a fast rising sax virtuoso with her new all-star band. My Iris CD to be launched this month.

*Friday 27th Jan:* Jam Experiment. Fine young band shows how they've developed since their appearance with Liane Carroll.

*Friday 3rd Feb:* Derek Nash Acoustic Quartet. Jools Holland's lead alto player exudes his usual energy with his new band.

*Friday 10th Feb:* Seamus Blake Band. Seamus is recognised as one of the finest exponents of contemporary jazz.

*Friday 17th Feb:* Sam Crockatt Quartet. Tenor player who impressed with John Law brings his own new quartet.

### Hockey:

Due to the success of GB Women's hockey team at Rio 2016 there has been an influx of new members to WHC. BBC Look North Yorkshire joined Wakefield HC for a training session recently to gain an insight into the game.

Congratulations to Womens 1st team player - Rafa Brandao-Lee who has been selected for the initial England U16 squad. She will train and compete to appear in the International Junior Tournament in the Spring.

The dates have now been finalised for the Muiderberg Tour 2017 so please make a note in your diary: Thursday 13th April - Sunday 16th April at Muiderberg Hockey Club. See website for more details: [www.wakefieldhockeyclub.co.uk](http://www.wakefieldhockeyclub.co.uk)

### Rifle and Pistol:

WRPC now has access to the Strensall MOD range (for the use of full bore rifles). The Club is also purchasing three full bore rifles for use at the range. Practical guidelines for the use of the range by club members will be circulated in due course.

For anyone interested in joining WRPC please see website: [wrpc.co.uk](http://wrpc.co.uk) for further information. Wednesday evenings are designated for potential new members 7 - 10pm. If you are interested please secure your place by using their on line booking system.

### Chess:

One of Chess Club Juniors has been achieving excellent results recently. In October Additya Tangirala won £50.00 in the major section of the Yorkshire Junior Congress held at Nidderdale School in Harrogate, winning all six rounds. In November he came outright first in the minor section of the British Rapid Play held in Leeds. Aditya won 7 games and drew in 4. He took home a cheque for £350.00! Our first team also drew against a team from Harrogate recently, although unfortunately they lost to Hull.

If anyone would like to become a member of the Chess Club please their website: [www.wakefieldchessclub.co.uk](http://www.wakefieldchessclub.co.uk).

