

News-Sheet October 2025

A great morning at the karting last month, with a spot of rain to make things just a bit harder! Thanks to all who took part and congratulations to Iain on being the champion. Well done also to Martyn and Mike W. who came second and third respectively and hard luck to Danny, who just missed out on a podium place for the second time in two years.

There was a relaxed run out to the East Anglian Railway Museum at Wakes Colne earlier this month, and plenty to see on the site, with work still ongoing to improve facilities and restore more rolling stock.

This month's meeting is on Thursday 30th October at the Gt. Barton Bunbury Arms and is the last of 2025.

There is still one space left at the ten-pin bowling evening on Thursday 27th November so, if you want to come, let me know and again, if anybody can't make it, please tell me as soon as you can so others can step in. The session starts at 8.00pm and you can have one or two games. For those coming to bowl or watch, please remember to sign in when you get there to avoid a parking fine.

The Christmas meal will be at the Bunbury Arms on Sunday 14th December with sit down time of 1.00pm. The menu is summarised below and there is still the carvery as last year. The Club will again help out with costs, so the prices will remain the same, with two courses £26 per person and 3 courses £30 per person. If you want more details of the menu, either let me know or go on the Bunbury Arms website. If those coming can email me with their preferences, please do so as soon as you can, as numbers will again be limited.

Shuan has about half a dozen pictures for the 2026 calendar, so please email me your favourite if you haven't done so and we will get 30 printed off ready for the Christmas meal. Can those that want calendars also please let me know and how many you want. Cost will be in the order of £4 each, with the Club again helping out. Thank you again Shaun.

Final event dates for 2025:

27th November (Thurs) Confirmed date for Club ten pin bowling night at Bury Bowl. 8.00pm start.

14th December Club Christmas meal at the Gt. Barton Bunbury Arms 1.00pm.

Menu: Starters: S1: Fire-roasted red pepper & tomato soup, creme fraiche

S2: Hot smoked salmon, avocado puree, pickled red onions, seaweed granary mini loaf

S3: Venison, prune and brandy terrine, spice plum compote, toasted brioche

S4: Goat's cheese & fig filo tart, toasted hazelnut & rocket salad, balsamic dressing

Main: M1: Carvery with festive selection

M2: Butternut squash & mushroom wellington, sage jus

M3: Stone Bass, herb mousseline, pearl barley & root veg risotto M4: Lentil & vegetable lasagne, winter leaf salad, garlic bread

Puddings: P1: Christmas pudding, brandy sauce, orange gel, white chocolate crumb

P2: Mulled wine poached pear, vegan vanilla ice cream, chocolate sauce (ve) P3: Lemon & white chocolate cheesecake, meringue shards, lemon curd

P4: Spiced winter squash tart, chocolate mousse, toasted nuts, caramel sauce

P5: Cheeseboard – local cheeses selection, grapes, celery, quince paste & crackers (£4 extra)

Finally, thanks to you all for being interested in the Club, whether you come to meetings, events or not and hopefully we will carry on in 2026 with this small but friendly Club. Although some may disagree, size doesn't matter, provided you enjoy the experiences!