

CLUB CHAMPIONS

S1. TONY TRIPPIER
 S2. ANDY OVERTON
 S3. NATHAN HARRIS
 S4. STEVE REDFERN
 S5. CLIVE PADDEN
 S6. MALCOLM HOWELL
 S7. TONY TRIPPIER
 S8. GRAHAM GORTON
 S9. STEVE REDFERN
 S10 STEVE HEALEY
 S11 MARK EAGLES
 S12 STEVE HEALEY
 S13 TOD WOOD
 S14 LAURA RHODEN
 S15 CLAIRE THORNTON
 S16 TOD WOOD
 S17 MATT McKINLAY
 S18 ADAM PHELAN
 S19 TOM CAWLEY

**CLUB CASHES**

TOD WOOD (six) £20,020
 BRIAN YATES (three) £5000
 GRAHAM GORTON (three) £1347
 ANDY DUNCAN (three) £924
 STEVE HEALEY (twice) £14,760
 MATT KAY (twice) £1630
 TONY TRIPPIER (twice) £1400
 NIC CROSS (twice) £750
 MARK ENGLAND £3100
 MARCEL FURET £2310
 STEVE REDFERN £1375
 STEVE BAYLIFF £1220
 DEBJANI DUNCAN £880
 MATTHEW CROMWELL £570
 DALE MACCHIARELLI £375
 WOZZA CARLESS £350
 CLAIRE BAILEY £320
 ADAM PHELAN £270

TOTAL CLUB CASHES = £56,601

Congratulations go out to Tod Wood this week after he smashed the Club Record for All-Time wins when he won his **9th** Career game in Week 2 to move himself into top spot in the League Table, which also equalled **Steve Healey's** record of **12** times at the summit.

Steve himself has now moved up to 5th spot on the All-Time list for appearances with **72**.

Chris Baker was second to **Tod** that night which meant he equalled the record for most 2nd-place finishes with **7**, while also passing **Steve Healey** to move into 5th place on the All-Time points list with **267**.

Graham Gorton's 5th place finish made him the 11th player to top **200** career points at the BCPC.

Jake Poxon (in his absence!) equalled **Darren Hooper's** Long-Time record of Most Games Played Before Winning when he reached **43** games.

ALTERNATES LIST FOR REMAINING GAMES

GAME 4 (August 10th, Deepstack) - 1.Gaz Howard, 2.Tod Wood

GAME 5 - (September 7th) 1-Dan Ryder, 2-Adam Phelan.

GAME 6 - (October 12th) 1-Tony Trippier, 2-Matt Kay.

<i>S 19</i>	<i>Final Tables</i>	<i>Pos</i>	<i>SEASON 20 WEEK 2</i>	<i>Pld</i>	<i>Pts</i>	<i>P/L</i>	<i>won</i>	<i>rank</i>	<i>move</i>	<i>last win</i>
25	54/102	1	TOD WOOD	2	21	+£735	9	3	+5	0
-	1/2	2	TREVOR GREENWAY	2	15	+£283	1	-	N/A	1
12	8/10	3	CLAIRE BAILEY	2	14	+£132	1	2	=	6
5	27/63	4	CHRIS BAKER	2	12	+£387	4	10	+8	3
17	4/11	5	RICKY BUCKLAND	2	10	+£110	1	9	+1	9
7	20/41	6	ADAM SMITH	1	10	+£75	1	12	+3	14
-	3/7	7	RICHARD HUGHES	2	8	+£11	0	-	N/A	7
26	1/6	8	LEE MASON	2	8	-£52	0	-	N/A	6
18	31/70	9	GRAHAM GORTON	2	6	-£212	2	19	+6	16
6	18/30	10	MARK ENGLAND	2	6	-£116	0	11	-2	30
2	10/16	11	HITENDRA PATEL	2	5	+£242	1	8	-1	5
21	14/24	12	AMY COSHAN	1	5	+£66	2	4	+1	8
10	26/51	13	MATT MCKINLAY	2	4	+£232	7	6	-2	10
14	30/59	14	ADAM PHELAN	2	4	+£284	6	7	-4	16
13	8/21	15	MARC WARD	2	2	+£40	2	17	-6	4
16	42/72	16	STEVE HEALEY	2	1	+£142	2	20	=	35
-	1/2	17	DAN RYDER	2	1	-£30	0	-	N/A	2
-	10/29	18	MATT KAY	2	0	+£193	3	32	=	11
24	20/40	19	KEVIN BERRIE	2	0	+£5	1	28	-5	17
9	17/54	20	GARETH HOWARD	2	0	+£252	3	18	-2	13
-	0/2	21	ANEURIN VENABLES	2	0	-£30	0	-	N/A	2
11	15/43	22	JAKE POXON	2	0	-£392	0	30	=	43
19	20/51	23	NIC RAWLINGS	2	0	-£47	2	15	-2	11
4	55/108	24	TONY TRIPPIER	2	0	+£136	6	16	+1	26
8	19/41	25	LAURA RHODEN	2	0	-£47	1	23	+1	17
23	42/92	26	PAUL FOY	1	0	-£504	2	31	=	21
15	58/111	27	BRIAN YATES	2	0	-£537	4	24	-5	24
-	2/12	28	WARREN CARLESS	2	0	-£38	1	-	N/A	11
1	6/15	29	TOM CAWLEY	1	0	+£205	2	1	=	4
-	17/35	30	JAY SCOTT	1	0	-£107	0	-	N/A	35
28	15/39	31	CHARLES MASON	1	0	-£11	3	13	=	7
3	10/28	32	LIAM PICKERING	2	0	-£77	1	14	+1	2

In the new-look table above, in the Season 19 column, Profit/Loss column and the new “Last Win” column, figures in **red** denote a players worst ever return while in **green** it is Best Ever. The “Last-Win” column is the amount of games since a player last won a game or, in the case of players yet to break their duck, the total games they have played so far. The record amount of games without a win is held by **Paul Foy** at 73 games.

DATES FOR SEASON 20

CHAMPIONS LEAGUE IV v NUTS POKER - JULY 21ST

WEEK 4 - AUGUST 10TH

WEEK 5 - SEPTEMBER 7TH

NUTS AREA GRAND FINAL - SEPTEMBER 8TH (Walsall)

WEEK 6 - OCTOBER 5TH (AGM) - **Please note that this date has had to be changed due to the original date clashing with Croatia vs England on TV.**

NUTS BONUS TOURNAMENT - OCTOBER 20TH (Stoke)

IPO / APAT DUBLIN TRIP - OCTOBER 27TH-30TH (Dublin)

NUTS NATIONAL FINAL - NOVEMBER 11TH (Coventry)

THE "BCPC 21"

There is currently **£1390 (\$1843)** {18.4%} in the kitty and chipcounts are as follows....

Tod Wood.....18000

Brian Yates.....14500

Matt McKinlay.....13000

Tony Griffiths.....8500

Charles Mason.....8000

Ricky Buckland....6000

Peter Carey.....1500

Tony Trippler, Chris Baker, Nic Rawlings, Marc Ward, Mark England and Liam Pickering also currently qualify for a % share in the eventual qualifier, although as yet, they have no chips to enter the Comp themselves :).

NUTS SHADOW LEAGUE

The winner of tonight's game will join **Trevor Greenway** & **Lee Mason** in winning a seat in a Bonus Tournament in Stoke on October 20th where there will be at least 3 seats up for grabs for the National Final.

POS	WEEK TWO TABLE	PLD	PTS
1	TREVOR GREENWAY	2	19
2	LEE MASON	2	15
3	HITENDRA PATEL	2	15
4	MATT McKINLAY	2	14
5	RICKY BUCKLAND	2	12
6	ADAM PHELAN	2	12
7	MATT KAY	2	11
8	KEVIN BERRIE	2	10
9	STEVE HEALEY	2	8
10	ANEURIN VENABLES	2	6
11	GARETH HOWARD	2	5
12	BRIAN YATES	2	4
13	TOM CAWLEY	1	1
14	LIAM PICKERING	2	0
15	JAY SCOTT	1	0

The League Champion & Runner-Up will qualify for the National Final in Coventry on November 11th where there is a £3000 prize and a Las Vegas trip for the winner. The top 8 in the League will all win a seat for the Area Grand Final on September 8th plus a 2nd game TBC.

CHAMPIONS LEAGUE IV

This will take place on Saturday July 21st at the New Talbot (2.30pm start) when we take on the Nuts Poker League in a return match to try and avenge the defeat suffered in Telford last January and to bring our trophy home! Should the weather hold then the first 9 levels will be played outside in the beer garden.

The Champions League teams are always chosen from the Top 10 finishers from the previous Season, with the next players from 11 downwards being offered their chance to play should the top 10 decline their spot. Entry is £45 per player with the winning team receiving £440. The top individual player gets £225 with £150 for 2nd and £70 for 3rd. The first player eliminated gets a £15 "Booby Prize".

Teams for the game are as follows....

"A"-TEAM - Tom Cawley, Hltendra Patel, Liam Pickering (CAPT), Adam Smith, Mark England.

"B"-TEAM - Ricky Buckland, Tony Griffiths, Nic Rawlings (CAPT), Amy Coshan, Lee Mason. Reserves - Charles Mason & Aneurin Venables.

Each player begins with 30,000 chips and the seat-draw is set so that no TEAM has more than 3 players on one table and each CLUB has 5 players per table, all in alternate seats. The first object is to make the last 5 players on your table. You will then carry your chipstack at that time through to the Final Table which is where the points kick in. Points are awarded as follows....1st-25 pts, 2nd-18, 3rd-14, 4th-12, 5th-10, 6th-8, 7th-6, 8th-4, 9th-2, 10th-1. (100 points in total).

The team (NOT Club) which scores the most points will win the £440 plus the trophy so REMEMBER....this is a TEAM GAME....Do NOT knock your team-mates out!

No team has ever retained the Champions League trophy yet and also, the BCPC has never won one of these games at The Talbot so lets make sure that changes on July 21st! **Liam Pickering** will be the Tournament Director for the day so please give him any help with chips & tables, etc...

SEASON 20 HEADS-UP COMPETITION

Just 9 players took part in this Competition which almost saw the event cancelled but in the end we played for a Goliath entry to the Winner and £60 to the Runner-Up.

Group “A” contained 5 players and the opening game lasted just 2 hands as **Brian Yates** defeated debutant **Aneurin VENABLES** before **Gaz Howard** followed suit. **Bri** then lost to **Steve Healey** who was in turn beaten by defending 3-time Champion **Nic Cross**.

Bri then handed **Gaz** his first defeat but **Nye** was eliminated when losing to **Nic**. **Gaz** won a vital game vs **Steve** but then defeat to **Nic** left him with a 2-2 record, as did **Steve** after he saw off **Nye**. That left both **Gaz & Steve** needing **Nic** to beat **Bri** in the Final game to force a 3-way tie for 2nd but **Nic** couldn't oblige and so **Bri** won the group with **Nic** in 2nd, both on 3-1.

In Group “B”, **Nic's** brother **Andy** lost to **Jack Hipkiss** and **Matt Cromwell** beat **Marc Ward** in the openers. **Andy** then stayed alive with a win over **Marc** while **Jack** beat **Matt** to go 2-0 before a win over **Marc** kept his 100% record alive and won him the group. In the final game, **Matt** would qualify with a win but **Andy** saw him off to leave both players on 1-2 along with **Marc** so all 3 played a sudden-death turbo to see who would meet **Brian** in the Semi and it was **Marc** who edged through in the end.

Bri overcame **Marc** 2-1 in a great match to reach a record 8th Heads-Up Final before **Nic** beat **Jack** by the same scoreline to set up a repeat of the Season 19 Final.

On that occasion, **Brian** had beaten **Nic** in the group stages before losing the Final and this season would be no different, except that **Nic** won 2-0 on this occasion as opposed to 2-1.

That victory gave **Nic** an unbelievable 4th successive Title, meaning he has won EVERY TIME he has entered and also emulated his Heads-Up victory over **Brian** in the HO-HO-HOMAHA event last Christmas. Will anyone ever stop this guy?

SUMMER DEEPSTACK IV

This event drew it's second biggest field ever as on a beautiful day in The Black Country, 28 players stumped up the £50 buy-in and with three players rebuying before the end of Level 3, the prizepool hit £1550 with the winner taking £650.

This year we got the structure set much better than in 2018 meaning that when we hit the Final Table there was plenty of play remaining, although it was a very long day (which you expect playing tournament poker!) .

Marc Ward became the first casualty when hitting top-top on the river Vs **Adam Phelan's** flopped set and that gave **Adam** a massive chip lead which he would not relinquish from there.

Guest **Rob Lloyd** exited in 8th with an ill-timed bluff into **Adam's** Q-Q which made his stack even stronger

Tod Wood is now back in form so the rest of the table would be delighted to see him gone in 7th place to set us up for the bubble. **Mark England** was at risk with A-J vs **Laura Rhoden's** 5-5 but an Ace on the flop looked great. Unfortunately a 5 on the river had the table gasping as **Mark** went home potless.

Laura had enjoyed her day, as had the till behind the bar (!) but she got unlucky when her A-Q was outflopped by **Matt Kay's** K-8 (A-K-8, all-in pre) and soon afterwards she went home with £100 for a 5th place finish.

Matt Kay played well all day and went home with £150 for 4th place before **Matt Wilson**, on his welcome return to BCPC action, exited in 3rd place for £250.

That left **Adam** and **Brian Yates** Heads-up with **Adam** holding a 3-1 chiplead but when **Bri** won an all-in, the stacks became a lot closer and the players took £500 each and played on for the Title, trophy and last £50.

After an hour's play, at around 2.45 am, **Bri** shoved a semi-bluff on a Q-J-4-6 board with 9-10 off. **Adam**, holding Js-5s had also turned a flush draw and made the call and a 3rd J on the river gave him his first Deepstack Title.

....And just to end this Newsletter, a quick reminder for you all.....

10. Playing under the influence of alcohol

Merry and tipsy are OK, but drunk to the point that you can no longer effectively participate is a problem. If you can no longer pay attention then you are no longer playing...

List of Sanctions

This is the list of sanctions that can be applied:

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- **At first, a friendly warning will be given.**
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- **If the behaviour persists, a 'yellow card' warning will be given.**
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- **If the behaviour continues, a 'red card' will be shown, resulting in a 5-hand penalty.**
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- **If the behaviour still doesn't stop, the player will be eliminated from the game (hopefully we will never get to this stage).**

Any committee member at the table may apply these rules. If no committee member is present, they can be called over.

We are not killjoys, but this is a Club that is here first and foremost for a game of poker. Week 2 was not great from the aspect of behaviour so we have spoken to the players involved and hopefully things will improve from tonight onwards.

Good Luck everyone :)

