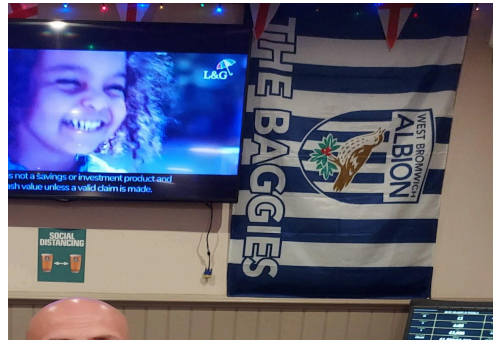


CLUB CHAMPIONS

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
S20 TOD WOOD
S21 ANEURIN VENABLES
S22 MATTHEW GODWIN
S23 MATT McKINLAY
S24 WILL YOUNG
S25 ADAM SHARPLES
S26 MATT KAY
S27 MANDEEP SINGH
S28 GARETH HOWARD
S29 STEVE HEALEY
S30 GARETH HOWARD



TOTAL CLUB CASHES = £71,912



CLUB CASHES (58)

TOD WOOD (seven)	£20,520
BRIAN YATES (four)	£5705
ANDY DUNCAN (four)	£1444
STEVE HEALEY (three)	£15,110
MATT KAY (three)	£2200
TONY TRIPPIER (three)	£1798
STEVE REDFERN (three)	£1673
GRAHAM GORTON (three)	£1347
WILL YOUNG (twice)	£2870
MATT CROMWELL (twice)	£1530
GARETH HOWARD (twice)	£1120
DAVE HALLIDAY (twice)	£1010
HITENDRA PATEL (twice)	£860
NIC CROSS (twice)	£750
MARK ENGLAND	£3100
MARCEL FURET	£2310
STEVE BAYLIFF	£1220
ALEX BAKO	£1015
LIAM PICKERING	£1000
DEBJANI DUNCAN	£880
NIC RAWLINGS	£870
EDDIE JUDGE	£700
RICHARD HUGHES	£570
AMY COSHAN	£510
DALE MACCHIARELLI	£375
WOZZA CARLESS	£350
CLAIRE BAILEY	£320
ADAM PHELAN	£270
ROB HEWLITT	£250
DAN RYDER	£235

TREVOR DUNN made it back-to-back wins for the “Shirt Of Shame” after **LIAM PICKERING** won in Week 4 and with **TOM CAWLEY** also winning from the bottom in Week 1, this is the first time in BCPC history where the SoS has been taken to victory three times in a single season.

We took a celebratory photo of **TREV** (see above) after his historic victory and he has asked us to frame it for him, which we will gladly do....



.....although he may prefer this one 😂

SEA 30	FINAL TABLES	POS	SEASON 31 WEEK FIVE	PLD	PTS	CASH WON	CAR WIN	BCPC RANK	RANK MOVE	LAST WIN
9	89/178	1	BRIAN YATES	5	25	-£453	7	3	+2	6
N/A	3/4	2	STEVE HOWELL	4	21	+£126	0	N/A	N/A	4
16	17/42	3	MANDEEP SINGH	4	21	+£448	3	8	-1	24
19	9/29	4	SHANE LENTON	5	21	-£125	1	7	+1	15
18	20/64	5	RICKY BUCKLAND	5	18	-£25	2	18	=	42
1	42/119	6	GARETH HOWARD	5	18	+£870	7	2	=	22
29	40/106	7	KEVIN BERRIE	4	16	-£103	5	17	-1	3
7	36/84	8	ROB HEWLITT	5	16	-£128	3	6	=	9
21	27/86	9	LIAM PICKERING	5	15	-£55	2	13	-2	1
35	24/70	10	MATT KAY	4	15	+£570	5	20	-1	2
11	11/40	11	TREVOR DUNN	4	15	+£366	2	10	+19	0
37	11/35	12	TOM CAWLEY	3	15	+£393	3	N/A	N/A	2
32	13/34	13	DAWN WILSON	5	15	-£116	0	N/A	N/A	34
17	9/45	14	EDDIE JUDGE	5	12	-£134	0	29	+3	45
27	19/44	15	DAVE WHITELEY	5	12	-£290	0	21	-4	44
N/A	9/22	16	DI FARRELL	3	11	-£119	0	12	+10	22
N/A	5/18	17	DANNY SHEPPARD	4	9	-£160	0	37	-2	18
20	3/6	18	NICK TATTON	2	8	+£2	0	N/A	N/A	6
8	31/68	19	HITENDRA PATEL	5	8	-£130	1	15	-1	57
N/A	3/11	20	AMANDA SMITH	4	7	-£160	0	28	+6	11
31	10/35	21	DARREN RUMBOLD	5	6	-£245	0	30	-2	35
15	11/37	22	CRAIG STANDEN	5	6	-£267	0	24	=	37
36	27/84	23	CHARLES MASON	4	5	-£95	6	35	+1	25
3	29/77	24	TONY GRIFFITHS	5	3	-£9	3	14	-5	13
23	37/80	25	AMY COSHAN	4	2	+£162	3	27	=	52
24	53/115	26	MATT McKINLAY	4	2	+£419	10	22	-2	13
14	70/136	27	STEVE HEALEY	4	2	+£432	7	5	-2	10
5	22/57	28	LEE MASON	3	2	+£511	5	9	+1	8
22	6/38	29	MATT JUDGE	5	1	-£434	0	33	-2	38
6	33/87	30	MARK ENGLAND	5	0	-£455	1	16	-1	4
10	39/96	31	ADAM SMITH	4	0	-£157	2	11	+2	14
26	24/65	32	RICHARD HUGHES	3	0	-£195	1	25	-2	20
4	41/113	33	NIC RAWLINGS	3	0	-£18	7	4	=	5
N/A	0/2	34	MATTHEW BETTY	2	0	-£30	0	N/A	N/A	2
12	47/118	35	ADAM PHELAN	5	0	+£453	10	23	-2	18

No fewer than FIVE players hit their highest-ever rankings following Week 5, those being **BRIAN YATES** (3), **SHANE LENTON** (7), **TREVOR DUNN** (10), **DI FARRELL** (12) & **AMANDA SMITH** (28)

WEEK 5 MILESTONES

BRIAN YATES finished in 5th place to extend his Club Record for Most Points Scored to 558 & this added to his records for Most Final Tables Made (89) & Games Played (178). **BRI** also recorded his 29th career cash, moving him joint-second All-Time alongside **TONY TRIPPIER & STEVE HEALEY**, with **TOD WOOD** out in front on 34.

TREVOR DUNN wore the famous “Shirt Of Shame” for the first time and became the 3rd player in 5 games to take it onto the winners podium, ending his streak of 39 games without a win.

EDDIE JUDGE followed up his runner-up finish in the final Super Summer Sizzler game by doing the same in Week 5, moving his Heads-Up record in the League to 0-3. **EDDIE & TREV** had begun the night in the bottom two places.

CHARLES MASON finished 6th, giving him his first points since Season 27 while **ADAM PHELAN** needs to take the Shirt Of Shame to another Final Table tonight, or he will have scored zero points in a season for the first time ever.

AMANDA SMITH was 8th for 3 points, extending her best-ever season on to 7 points, but she still sits 84th (last) on average lost per game on **£14.54**.

MANDEEP SINGH jumped from 11th to 6th on the All-Time money list with his profit of **£447.75**.

HIGH-HAND POT

Tonight’s High-Hand pot stands at approximately **£105** for anyone getting QUAD JACKS or better.

CONFIRMED DATES FOR SEASON 32

NOVEMBER 7 - ONLINE PREMIER LEAGUE LIVE FINAL

NOVEMBER 14 - WEEK 1 (BCPC 17th BIRTHDAY NIGHT!)

NOVEMBER 28 - WEEK 2

DECEMBER 19 - HO-HO-HOMAHA

JANUARY 2 - CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS

JANUARY 9 - WEEK 3

FEBRUARY 13 - WEEK 4

FEBRUARY 20 - SEASON 32 HEADS-UP CHAMPIONSHIP

MARCH 13 - WEEK 5

APRIL 10 - WEEK 6

SEASON 31 PAYOUTS

WINNER - £1250

RUNNER-UP - £800

3RD - £600

4TH - £550

5TH to 7TH - £250

8TH to 10TH - £200

BCPC WPT 27

We currently have £1990 in the prizepool for our “WPT 27” event, which will send someone to play a World Poker Tour event of their choosing in 2027/28, anywhere in the World. Each 500 chips cost £10 and here are the current chipcounts (109,500 chips in play)....

1- GARETH HOWARD 20,000 2- MATT JUDGE 19,500 3- MANDEEP SINGH 15,000, 4- BRIAN YATES 12,500, 5= NIC RAWLINGS, TOM CAWLEY 10,500 7- LIAM PICKERING 8,500, 8= DARREN RUMBOLD, RICKY BUCKLAND 6,500.

SEATS TO BE PLAYED

You played well to win your seats, but if they are not used by **OCTOBER 31ST**, or you allocate another BCPC player to play your seat for you, then the value of that seat will come back to the BCPC for The Committee to allocate, as we see fit.

KEVIN BERRIE - Season 27 position 2 **£450**

RICHARD HUGHES - Season 27 position 9 **£150**

MATT KAY - Season 27 position 10 **£150**

MANDEEP SINGH - Season 27 position 1 **£150**

AMY COSHAN - Season 22 position 10 **£125**

Party Poker are running a festival at Resorts World in Birmingham, that lasts all of next week, which affords all players a great chance to use their seats in a local venue with good guarantees.

HALL OF FAME VOTING 2025

The ballot for induction of the Class Of 2025 for our BCPC “Hall Of Fame” will close on Sunday October 26th at midnight, so if you are eligible to do so, but have not yet cast your 10 votes, then please do so before then.

WHAT DO I NEED TO DO TONIGHT?

Well it has been a cracking season and **WILL YOUNG**'s lowest points total to win a BCPC League Title of 29 in Season 24, may yet be in jeopardy tonight as SIXTEEN players could still, mathematically, be crowned Champion.

BRIAN YATES sits in pole position with a 4-point cushion, meaning that his closest rivals **STEVE HOWELL, MANDEEP SINGH & SHANE LENTON**, all need at least a 7th place finish tonight, while **BRIAN** won't score anything unless he reaches the top 6 after making 4 Final Tables in succession, but 3rd would ensure a seat, which would make him only the 6th player ever to win one 4 seasons in succession.

Both **RICKY BUCKLAND** & defending Champion **GARETH HOWARD** must make the top 4 while **KEVIN BERRIE, ROB HEWLITT, LIAM PICKERING & MATT KAY**, all need minimum Top 3, with **TREVOR DUNN & TOM CAWLEY** requiring Top 3 for a win or at least making the Final Table for a shot at winning a seat.

It's Top 2 or bust for **DAWN WILSON** to win it, with a Final Table for the chance of a seat, while **DAVE WHITELEY & DI FARRELL**, can only win and hope for a miracle set of results from others. **DAVE** needs 7th for a potential seat while **DI** needs 6th.

DANNY SHEPPARD & HITENDRA PATEL will both look for at least 4th with **AMANDA SMITH, CRAIG STANDEN & DARREN RUMBOLD** needing 3rd if they are to have a shot at a seat.

For all of the other players, they need to win the game and hope for the best.

Let battle commence.....

SEASON 31 HEADS-UP CHAMPIONSHIPS

The Heads-Up Championship for Season 31 turned into an incredibly close contest, which went on deep into the early hours of Saturday morning, September 13th.

5-man Group One was pretty straightforward, with **TOM MANSELL** (3-1) leading the way over defending Champion **ADAM PHELAN** (3-1). But 6-man Group Two had 5 extra games and much slower play and an incredibly tight finish as FOUR players tied on 3-2, with the other two just one game back on 2-3. This meant that the 6 games between the top 4 players were used as the tie-break and in these, **DAVE WHITELEY** came out on top, by virtue of having beaten both **DARREN RUMBOLD** and **SHANE LENTON**, while **SHANE** was 2nd with wins over **DAZ** and **EDDIE JUDGE**, who was the 4th player on 3-2.

That took us to the Semi-Finals, which were limited to just a sudden-death game. In these, **DAVE** was victorious over **ADAM**, while **SHANE** reached his first Final with victory over **TOM**.

In the Final, with both players trying for a first BCPC Title, **DAVE WHITELEY** became our new Heads-Up Champion!



CHAMPIONS LEAGUE IX

The 9th running of the Champions League took place last Saturday and while the BCPC 'B' were defending Champions, it was Malvern Poker Club who absolutely dominated the event throughout.

By the time we reached the points at 18 players, the MPC 'A' team still had 4 players in, the 'B', had 3 and the 'C' had 2, with the BCPC struggling along with both **GAZ HOWARD & RICH HUGHES** playing for personal glory, while **ROB HEWLITT & DAVE HALLIDAY** kept the 'B' team in with a very slim hope of once again, making the top two.

When Tom Brown (MPC 'B') was knocked out in 12th by **DAVE HALLIDAY**, that gave the Title to the MPC 'A', who at that stage still had 3 players left and 33 points in the bag.

When the Final Table began, Robbie Gray (MPC 'C') took out the first 3 players but his 8th elimination was the important one, as not only did it equal the All-Time record (held by **TREVOR DUNN**) for Players Eliminated In A Single Game, but it was **DAVE HALLIDAY** (£50) who he K/O'd in 3rd place and in doing that, wrapped up the runners-up spot (£400) for his MPC 'C' team, leaving the BCPC 'B' back in 3rd place.

He was Heads-Up with our own **RICHARD HUGHES** and while they chopped the cash to take **£120** each, Jd-9c was good enough to make **RICH** our 3rd consecutive BCPC winner of the individual crown when the 9 hit the flop 😊





The victorious MPC 'A' team, who won the Title by a massive 20-point margin! L to R

Maz Maszlag, 13th for 6 points & **£187.50** on his debut in the CL,

LIAM PICKERING, Captain of the side and scoring points (11) for the first time in 4 Champions League attempts

AMY COSHAN, representing MPC for the first time, also scoring points (14) for the first time, but still no knockouts in 4 games!

Tom Evans (AKA CheAch), bubbled the individual prizes in 4th but contributed 15 points to the win & won **£187.50** for his first cash .

FINAL TABLE

1 - MPC 'A'	46 PTS	£750
2 - MPC 'C'	26	£400
3 - BCPC 'B'	24	
4 - MPC 'B'	22	
5 - BCPC 'C'	18	
6 - NUTS 'B'	13	
7 - NUTS 'A'	13	
8 - BCPC 'A'	5	
9 - NUTS 'C'	4	



It was with great sadness that on Tuesday evening, we became aware of the passing of **DAN RYDER**, who had been struggling with Cancer for a long while. After believing the disease had been beaten, it returned and spread to his liver and lungs and sadly, it finally took his life at the end of August at just 36 years of age.

DAN had 7 seasons at the BCPC, with a 2nd place in Season 21, Week 3 being his best Matchnight performance while a 10th place finish in Season 20 won him a seat, which he converted into a £235 win for the Club.

DAN also won a £100 seat in our Online “Lockdown League” during Covid, which he was due to play soon. The Club will be sending that £100 to his family to use as they see fit.

R.I.P. DAN

ETIQUETTE AT THE TABLES

At the BCPC, we're rightfully proud of the friendly, welcoming community that we have built up over the last 17 years - a place where everyone can relax, enjoy the poker and feel comfortable at the tables.

At recent games, some players have voiced concerns that this has not been the case, and while we respect that we all have differing political views on how our country is being run in these testing times, plus our views on immigration, sex, gender, etc, we would ask that people keep these views out of the BCPC domain while our games are in play.

If you wish to have these discussions with fellow players, then please save it for the breaks so that those people who don't wish to be a party to them, do not have to.

Everyone is here to enjoy the poker at this great Club and should be able to do so without feeling uncomfortable or intimidated.

In short, please be conscious of, and respectful to, all of your fellow BCPC members.

The Committee.