

ASCOTT'S NEW SPORTS PAVILION

After several years of fund raising, Ascott's new Sports Pavilion was officially opened by Matt Prosser, Leisure Services Officer at West Oxfordshire District Council, on the 23rd July. Roger Shepherd, Chairman of Ascott's Sports Club welcomed a large gathering of people to the opening and Mike Pearce, Chairman of the Parish Council, thanked the Sport England Lottery Fund, West Oxon District Council and The Football Association for their grants and all the many other people who were involved in the fund raising.

Kathleen Wells from the Sport England Lottery Fund then presented Mr Pearce and Mr Shepherd with a cheque for £66,000. The evening was rounded off with a superb buffet prepared and served by members of the local W.I.



L. to R. – Matt Prosser, Mike Pearce, Roger Shepherd, Kathleen Wells.



WYCHWOOD BOWLS

As the season draws to a close the bowling club has done very well this year although we are low on numbers in the club we have played most of our matches and won most of them. But the icing on the cake has been that three of our members have done extremely well in the county and national level. Captain of the club Alan Bower won the Oxfordshire section of Champion of Champions. He won four matches against some of the top clubs in the county to get into the final and then saw off Les Campion 21-15 to qualify for the regional final. Although Alan put up a good performance he lost to Terry James of Northampton.

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