

MIXED Stoolball TOURNAMENT



Grayshott Mixed Stoolball Tournament

Sunday 12th July 2009

Grayshott Recreation Ground

Invitation to Enter a Team

'PiG' (Party in Grayshott) has pleasure in inviting you to enter a team in this tournament. In addition to friendly competition, fun and socialising are the aims of the event.

Your team must comprise 8 players, 4 female & 4 male, plus a scorer. There is no upper age limit, but young players are required to be in 'Year 7' or above. There is no formal dress code, except players should wear trainers (no studs). All playing equipment will be provided.

On the day teams need to arrive by 1.00 pm latest for registration and play gets underway at 1.30 pm. After all the league matches have been played a grand final to decide the tournament winner will take place at approximately 6.30 pm.

A licensed bar will be available in the pavilion, but teams and supporters should bring their own picnic food and other refreshments.

To accept this invitation please email to pig@grayshott.com including your contact details by Wednesday 1st July. Alternatively call Brian Archer on 01428 606866 or 07711 445305. More information on how the game is played, plus the tournament format and rules will be available in due course.



What is Stoolball?

- The game is over 500 years old and was the forerunner to cricket.
- Bowling is underarm and the ball does not hit the ground before reaching the batter.
- Wickets are wooden boards raised on stakes.
- The bat is the shape of a table tennis bat, made of willow with a long, sprung and spliced handle.

For more information see www.stoolball.org.uk

'PiG' (Party in Grayshott) is a non-commercial, community based group. It exists to promote arts & entertainment in the area and raise funds for local worthy causes.