

A Month in Pétanque

What's on at Huddersfield Pétanque Club and in the local area in January 2022



Christine is melee champion. And although this newsletter is telling you what happens next month there's plenty happening at the end of December. On Sunday 19th we present 2 trophies and draw the Xmas baskets raffle. There will be mince pies and mulled wine. If you can wear a Xmas hat that would be wonderful.

Shortly after this the days start to become longer but probably not warmer. Our Tuesday, Thursday and Sunday club sessions continue after Xmas as normal. There's only one special event in January in the box below.

Sunday 2nd January 1300	Monthly Club Melee (1 of 6). No entry fee. No cash prizes. Dress up warm.
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Events at nearby venues

This is a regional event. Register before 0945 and 5 rounds will be played. Usually about 15 to 20 pairs of very dedicated players. £10 per pair entry fee & cash prizes. Not for beginners. Worth a look if you're nearby.

Sun 30 Jan	Yorkshire Winter League Pairs at Mirfield	Open to all players
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Why play Pétanque?

If you're asked why you play this funny old game here's a link to look at and send to people. Check out this link. <https://huddersfieldpetanque.files.wordpress.com/2021/03/why-play-petanque.pdf>

Local places to play

There are 34 places to play in Yorkshire of which 19 are in West Yorkshire and 9 are in Kirklees. Shelley, Kirkburton, Thurstonland, Honley, Ukrainian Club Huddersfield, Brockholes, Mirfield and Heckmondwike. Kirklees leads the way! Nearby there are terrains in Ripponden, Lightcliffe, Rochdale and Ingbirchworth. Ask club chair for more info.

And Finally

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year to all our members. We go into the new year with 79 members a lot of whom are new members. The calendar for next year has been prepared and once we get to warmer weather we will have many more events for members most of which will be free.

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