

REPORT TO CROSTHWAITE PC @ their Annual Meeting Tuesday May 5th 2015
7.00pm Crosthwaite Memorial Hall.

Report from Crosthwaite & Lyth Recreational Field Trust.

It has been “steady as you go” at the Recreational Field This past year.

It continues to provide good facilities which are extremely well used by the Tennis Club and the Bowling Club. Whilst both have strong memberships they are always interested in attracting new members. It is noted that membership comprises residents from not just Crosthwaite but many of the surrounding villages.

The Bowling Club is well respected through the area and its teams participate in many events at other grounds. It as a consequence plays host to many visiting teams.

Each club organises its own social events through the year which are well supported and help in their own fund raising.

The members of both clubs are strongly represented on the Field Committee and both clubs members contribute to the “day to day” maintenance of the facilities and these are kept in good order as a consequence.

However the use of both the Tennis Court and the Bowling Green is open to visitors.

However particular thanks go to Douglas Blair who continues on a weekly basis throughout most of the year to maintain the grassed areas to a high standard. However he is not allowed to treat the green itself this is very much the domain of the Bowling Club.

The children’s playground is well used by our residents and their families and visitors.

Our one funding raising event for the Recreational Field is the Strawberry Tea which again last year was successful and produces a significant surplus to help with the running and upkeep. It relies on the support of all our residents and our thanks go to them for their continuing support. Please note the date for this year’s Strawberry Tea – Sunday July 19th and a Boon Day on Sunday the 12th July.

This event and subscriptions from the Bowling and Tennis club are our only income to sustain the grounds.

The executive committee is well supported and our thanks to those members who give their time and energies to ensure the facilities are well maintained.

JMH 4/5/15.