### **CREATING YOUR ACCOUNT**

Our online rink diary enables you to book rinks from anywhere you can connect to the internet. It means you do not need to go to the club to book a rink for a game.

The Rink Diary is accessed from the Home page of our club website:

#### https://www.harrogatebc.co.uk/

HARROG	ATE BOWL	
Home Our Aim	Fixtures Club C	Competitions Coaching
Club News Members'	Area Sponsors	About Us Site Map
Log In to the Rink Diary	BBC Weather Forecast	Hello Jeff Jaycock

You can also access it directly from any browser on a computer, tablet or smartphone:

https://www.harrogate.rinkdiary.co.uk

This is what you will first see.

HARROGATE BOWLING CLUB	RINK DIARY	HOME   CONTACT   ô SIGN IN
WI	ELCOME TO HARROGATE BOWLING CLUB RINK DIARY	60
Already Registered. Login here	Not Registered. Please	Sign Up
User Name	First Name	Last Name
Password	Email	
SIGN IN Forgot your Password?	Harrogate Bowling Club	~
	Password	Confirm Password
	I'm not a robot	reCAPTCHA Privacy-Terms
	REGISTER NOW	

#### You need to enter the information on the right of the screen.

- 1. Enter your First Name and Last Name.
- 2. Input your email address.
- 3. You may need to check that Harrogate Bowling Club is selected in the drop-down box.
- 4. Create a password of your choice.
- 5. Confirm (repeat) your password).
- 6. Tick the Box to confirm that you are not a robot.
- 7. The information will be registered in the database of the Rink Diary.

You will then receive an email confirming your "User Name". Please also check your 'spam' folder in case the email has gone there.

Your "User Name" will be "firstnamelastname" no spaces or capitals. For example: johnsmith.

#### Please note:

- a) For security, only you know your password. The Rink Diary Co-ordinator doesn't have access to it and can't send it to you if you forget it. Make sure you keep your password in a safe place.
- b) Before you can use your new account your registration must be activated by the Rink Diary Co-ordinator. Unfortunately, the system doesn't automatically notify the Co-ordinator that you have submitted your registration details. It could, therefore, be 24 hours before activation takes place.

When you have your "User Name" return to the Home page of the Club's website and click on the box that says: "Log in to the Rink Diary"

Enter your User Name and password and press 'Sign In'.

Already Re	egistered. Login here
garypreston	
SIGN IN	Forgot your Password?

That's it. You now have an account with Harrogate Bowling Club's Rink Diary.

#### "Forgot Your Password".

It happens to all of us. If you ever forget your password or have a problem logging in, you need to:

- 1. Click "Forgot your Password?
- 2. Enter your username.
- 3. Send.

An email will be sent you with a temporary password. An example is provided below:

#### Dear User,

You have selected "Forgot Password" when trying to sign in to your Rink Diary account. We have issued you with a temporary password which you will need to use to sign in.

After signing in, it is advised that you reset your password as soon as possible via the "MY PROFILE" section of the Rink Diary website.

Your temporary password: Peuh]m\$gH0

If this message has been sent to you in error, please delete this email and notify a member of the Rink Diary team at: <u>david.edwin1948@gmail.com</u>

Regards, Harrogate Bowling Club www.harrogate.rinkdiary.co.uk

"MY PROFILE" can be accessed from the top right of the Rink Diary menu bar.



#### **USING THE RINK DIARY**

When you first log into the diary you will see a message that summarises our regular bowling activities.

ALERT MESSAGE	×
WELCOME TO HARROGATE BOWLING CLUB RINK DIARY 2025	
Please note the green closes on Sunday 21st September.	
<b>REGULAR BOWLING ACTIVITIES (JUST TURN UP)</b>	
Check Rink Diary for Dates Activities Aren't Running.	
Tuesdays 10.30 am Coaching for Beginners and Improvers.	
Tuesdays 1.30 pm Ladies Practice & Game	
Thursdays 1.30 pm Club Afternoon	
Thursdays 6.30 pm Green Maintenance	
Saturdays 1.30 pm Organised Short Jack Roll-up	

To move on to Rink Diary remove the message by clicking the red X in the top right-hand corner. Your screen should then look something like this example:

i≣ Diary 🛗 Calenda	r	Search Date 08/04/2025				Go		
<pre> <u>                                    </u></pre>				Keturn To T	<u>ſoday</u> ≯			Next Week>
		<b>Monday</b> 05th May 2025	<b>Tuesday</b> 06th May 2025	<b>Wednesday</b> 07th May 2025	<b>Thursday</b> 08th May 2025	<b>Friday</b> 09th May 2025	<b>Saturday</b> 10th May 2025	<b>Sunday</b> 11th May 2025
[A] 10.30 TO 1.30	1		HBC Coaching for Beginners & Improvers.					
	2		HBC Coaching for Beginners & Improvers.					
	3		HBC Coaching for Beginners & Improvers.					
	4		HBC Coaching for Beginners & Improvers.					
	5		HBC Coaching for Beginners & Improvers.					
	6		HBC Coaching for Beginners & Improvers.					
[B] 1.30 TO 4.30	1	HBC The Manor House Challenge	HBC Ladies' Practice Session		HBC Club Afternoon		HBC Organised Short Jack Roll Up	
	2	HBC The Manor House Challenge	HBC Ladies' Practice Session		HBC Club Afternoon	HBC Bateson League	HBC Organised Short Jack Roll Up	
	3	HBC The Manor House Challenge	HBC Ladies' Practice Session		HBC Club Afternoon	HBC Bateson League	HBC Organised Short Jack Roll Up	
	4	HBC The Manor House Challenge	HBC Ladies' Practice Session	HBC Harrogate Ladies' League	HBC Club Afternoon	HBC Bateson League	HBC Organised Short Jack Roll Up	
	5	HBC The Manor House Challenge		HBC Harrogate Ladies' League	HBC Club Afternoon	HBC Bateson League	HBC Organised Short Jack Roll Up	
	6	HBC The Manor House Challenge			HBC Club Afternoon		HBC Organised Short Jack Roll Up	
[C] 4.30 TO 6.30	1							
[0] 1.00 10 0.00	2							

Each screen shows a whole week and is divided into the available sessions, showing the availability of rinks. If rinks are not available this will be clearly indicated as shown by the last screenshot.

You can move forward to a future week or move back to a previous week using the "Previous Week" or "Next Week" buttons.

You can also search for a particular date by clicking on the date in the 'Search Date' field which will display a small calendar showing the current month.

#### Booking a Rink.

To book a rink, click on the empty rink slot appropriate to the date and time you wish to select. A pop-up box "Book your Slot" is then shown which needs to be completed in a standard format.

📆 вос	K YOUR SLOT	×
WEDNESDAY 7TH M	AY 2025 [A] 10.30 TO 1.	30
O JEFF JAYCOCK (HARROGA BOWLING CLUB)	ATE	
CHOOSE SLOT(S) *	CHOOSE GAME NAME *	Start by clicking the
Choose rinks to book please -	Pick game from list be	rink(s) you wish to
ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:		
NAME OF THE OPPOSITION *		4
PROVISIONAL BOOKING  (This is a Provisional Booking and if not confirm	ned within this period it will be auto de	leted.)
* REQUIRED	REQ	UEST SLOT

Choose the rink (or rinks) you wish to play on from the drop-down list. Choose the number of the actual rink(s) you wish to play on. This is not the total number of rinks you wish to book.



Choose the type of game you are booking from the 'Choose Game Name' dropdown list:



#### Name of the Opposition.

List the names of the bowlers who will be playing and any additional information such as the name of any marker (needed for a singles club competition).

There is no need to include your own name as this will already be specified when the booking is complete.

#### Additional Information.

This field can be used for anything that you want to record about your booking but it will not appear in the public Diary view.

When you are ready, click the large red 'Request Slot' button in the bottom righthand corner.

You will then see your booking in Rink Diary.

HBC Ladies' Practice Session		HBC Club Afternoon
HBC Ladies' Practice Session		HBC Club Afternoon
HBC Ladies' Practice Session		HBC Club Afternoon
HBC Ladies' Practice Session	Jeff J - Practice - Caroline J.	HBC Club Afternoon
		HBC Club Afternoon
		HBC Club Afternoon HBC Club Afternoon

It will be highlighted in yellow as it is your booking. Other members bookings will not be highlighted.

You will receive an email almost immediately confirming the booking.

#### Making a Provisional Booking.

If, for any reason, you aren't sure about the booking you are making you can make a "Provisional Booking".

Select the date and time you want to reserve then click the small box after **'Provisional Booking'**.

THURSDAY 21	ST APRIL 2022 [A] 10.30 TO 1.	30	
<b>O</b> GARY PRESTON (H) BOWLING CLUB )	ARROGATE		
CHOOSE SLOT(S) *	CHOOSE GAME NAME	•	
5 -	President's - Men	~	
ADDITIONAL INFORMATIO	N:		
NAME OF THE OPPOSITIO	N *	You can set u	ip to 3 days
Mick Metson		before the bo	oking is
PROVISIONAL BOOKING	2	you do not co	onfirm it.

**Please note** you cannot make a provisional booking for the current or following day. The option will not be displayed.

You will receive an email to confirm your provisional booking.



If and when you want to convert a provisional booking to a confirmed booking you must click on the link in the relevant email as indicated above. You will then receive a confirmation email.

If any provisional booking is not confirmed within a maximum of 36 hours then the provisional booking will be automatically deleted.

### Amending or cancelling bookings.

You are able to cancel or amend any booking you have made prior to the time of the booking. You will need to log-in to Rink Diary if you have not already done so.

Simply click on the booking, make any changes and choose 'Save Booking' or 'Delete Slot' as appropriate:



#### **Reminders.**

If you have booked a rink a reminder email will be sent automatically.

If you are looking for more players to play a game, you can use the "Name of the Opposition" box to alert other members.

BOOK YOUR SLOT		
SUNDAY 17TH A	PRIL 2022 [B] 1.30 TO 4.30	
<b>O</b> GARY PRESTON (HARR BOWLING CLUB )	OGATE	
CHOOSE SLOT(S) *	CHOOSE GAME NAME *	
3 •	Social Bowling	~
ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:		
NAME OF THE OPPOSITION *		li
Janet Preston, we would welcome	e otł	
* REQUIRED	REQUEST S	LOT



#### Support

If you need further help, please contact Jeff Jaycock, Rink Diary Co-ordinator.