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|  | **NEWSLETTER**  **March 2015** |

Dear All,

Easter is almost upon us, so thank you for another great term’s fencing. We hope you are enjoying the new Favero equipment and thank you for your kind donations. We have started the process of investigating grants to enable the club to further expand and update some of our equipment. We have identified that we need to improve on our advertising skills and would welcome any help from any member, parent or friend who has time to assist us with our website/social media profile/updates and general marketing. If you are able to help please do let Prof know. Thank you!

**DATES FOR YOUR DIARY**

**MONDAYS**

April  20,  27

May  11, 18  ( No fencing on 4th and 25th May due to Bank Holidays)

June  1, 8, 15, 22, 29

July  6, 13, 20

**JUNIORS 5.30 - 6.30     TEENS  6.30 - 7.45      ADULTS  8 - 10PM**

**THURSDAYS**

April  23, 30

May  7, 14, 21  (No fencing on 28th May due to half term)

June  4, 11, 18, 25

July  2, 9, 16, 23

**TEENS  6.30 - 7.45     ADULTS  8 - 10PM**

**SUNDAYS**

April  26

May  3, 10, 17, 31  (No fencing on 24th May due to half term)

June  7, 14, 21, 28

July  5, 12, 19

**JUNIORS and ADULTS  10 - 11.30  THEN 11.30 - 1PM FOR PRIVATE LESSONS / FREE FENCING ON THE ELECTRICAL APPARATUS AND ABC (ALCOHOL BEVERAGE COMPETITION).**

**FEES**

**Weekday classes:**

**JUNIORS** **£84.00**

(£7.00 PER SESSION X 12 WEEKS)

**TEENS** **(MONDAYS) = £108.00**

£9.00 PER SESSION X 12 WEEKS

**(THURSDAYS) =£117.00**

£9.00 PER SESSION X 13 WEEKS

**ADULTS** (**NO PRIVATE LESSON = £120.00**) (MONDAYS)

£10.00 PER SESSION X 12 WEEKS

**ADULTS** (**WITH PRIVATE LESSON=£195.00**) (THURSDAYS)

£15 PER SESSION X 13 WEEKS

**Sundays:**

**JUNIORS (NO PRIVATE LESSON) £120.00**

£10 PER SESSION X 12 WEEKS

**JUNIORS (WITH PRIVATE LESSON)** **£180.00**

-£15.00 PER SESSION X 12 WEEKS

**ADULTS** **NO PRIVATE LESSON £180.00**

£15.00 PER SESSION X 12 WEEKS =

**ADULTS WITH PRIVATE LESSON £240.00**

£20.00 PER SESSION X 12 WEEKS =

**PAYMENTS**

Payments may be made ***before or at the beginning of term***by

* cash (in an envelope please with the pupil’s name on the front) or
* cheque made payable to RTW F/C or
* by bank transfer to

***The Royal Tunbridge Wells Fencing Club,***

***Account number 03045237***

***Sort Code 30-98-77.***

EVENING VISITORS FEE (NO PRIVATE LESSON) = £5.00. THERE IS NO LIMIT TO THE AMOUNT OF VISITS A NON RTW FENCER CAN MAKE DURING A TERM.

**Termly Club Competitions**

Due to the great success of the competitions we will be continuing these next term.

Therefore each term we will be running 3 competitions (spread out evenly over the term) for the Teen groups on Mondays and Thursdays and for the Junior and Adult groups on Sunday.

All fencers will fence electric with scores recorded on the Club's large score board.

Results will be collected and collated and a running ranking list will be posted on the Club's notice board and the winner at the end of term will be the number one ranked fencer and will receive a prize.

This is very good practice for any fencers who are working toward taking part in competitions.

Please find below the dates of each Monday, Thursday and Sunday competitions:

**MONDAYS 11th May, 15th June, 13th July.**

**THURSDAYS 14th May, 18th June, 16th July.**

**SUNDAYS 10th May, 14th June, 12th July.**

Not attending all competition days could seriously affect your health (or at least your overall ranking!)

**Sunday ABC (Alcohol Beverage Competition)**

Numbers are growing for the 'fencing on the box' session on a Sunday from 11.30 - 1pm. As well as fencers from the morning session we have other members and non members coming for a good old Sunday bash!

The competitions now known as the ABC will run every other Sunday starting on the 26th April 2015. The Club will donate a bottle of wine or

spirits and the assembled fencers will fight off for the prize. Referees and stopwatches will be provided and

results will be kept on the club's official score board. A non alcoholic bottle will also be donated for any

under 18's that may win the ABC.

Best wishes for a Happy Easter

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