

Club Friendly

Burford v Witney Town

at Witney 12th August 2025

Burford		shots	Witney Town		shots
R2	Stephen Webb	12	Ben H		27
R3	Doreen Dowley	21	Rob H		12
R4	Jeff Bizzell	25	Chris J		6
R5	Jack Lafford	9	Roy R		27
R6	Ted Walker	13	Bill S		19
Total		80	Total		91

On Rink2 Steve Webb, playing skip several years from when he last played at the back end, was in front at 4-3 on the fourth end but unfortunately never got back in contention and from 6-8 at the seventh end then found themselves 7-13 down at the eleventh end. Scoring five shots against eleven resulted in a 12-27 final score. Rink2 saw Doreen Dowley kindly stepping in at the last minute to skip this triple and tight game stood at 9-9 at the eleventh end with Doreen then slightly ahead at 11-10 at the thirteenth end. 10-shots to 2-shots over the final five ends made the result a 21-12 victory. Jeff Bizzell on Rink4 kept their opponents on a single point, gained at the first end, until the ninth end when the score became 16-2. Nine shots to a single shot over the next six ends pulled the score away to 25-3 and, even with a single picked up on each of the last three ends, 25-6 was final result. Jack Lafford on Rink5 was unable to make any impression on the score and found themselves 6-14 down at the eleventh end then 7-23 at the fifteenth end finishing 9-27 adrift. On Rink6 Ted Walker was always just behind having pulled back from 3-11 at the eighth end to 8-11 at the tenth end. Slipping away to 8-16 down at the thirteenth they tried to stay with their opponents but finally finished 13-19 down.

Two new players David Lewis and Kevin Cheeseman opened their account as bowlers with Burford Town and we wish them many enjoyable years of playing the game.