

THE BUZZ



Queen Bees Christmas Tournament 2025 🎅

This year, the Bees held their annual Christmas netball tournament at Trent College, bringing players from across the Club together for a fun and competitive evening. With three mixed teams, plenty of great matches and a table full of raffle prizes and homemade cakes, there was something for everyone to enjoy!

Most importantly, we raised over £150 for the Children's Air Ambulance, supporting their vital work across the region 🧡.

A huge thank you to everyone who played, donated and helped make the event a success!





How are the leagues doing?

With teams competing across multiple leagues, the Queen Bees have had a strong season so far. From experienced teams chasing top spots to newer teams finding their stride, every player has shown great progress. Here's how each team is getting on!

Queen Bees Golds and Yellows are in the same league this year at Two Counties. We've had so many players make such big strides with their netball that we have even more players who have the ability and the passion to play in this league, which is great!

Seniors Div 2									
League Points Table									
Team Name	Played	Won	Drawn	Loss	Goals Scored	Goals Against	Goals Avg	Goals +/-	Points
4.Mollbuzzers	18	14	1	3	645	447	1.44	198	78
7.Queen Bees Yellow	18	12	0	6	645	490	1.32	155	68
3.Jaguars	18	9	1	8	542	541	1.00	1	59
5.Predators	18	9	0	9	558	618	0.90	-60	53
2.City Diamonds	17	7	0	10	571	536	1.07	35	52
8.Shooters	18	9	0	9	515	594	0.87	-79	52
1.Bramcote Sapphires	19	7	0	12	496	516	0.96	-20	50
6.Queen Bees Gold	18	4	0	14	398	628	0.63	-230	28

***Penalties Applied - Please see Results Table

Yellows have had some amazing successes, winning a number of games, in a team where there have been player changes. **Hannah A** and **Carla** have done a fantastic job as captain and vice-captain with some hefty responsibility now they're at the dizzy heights nearing the top of the league!

Golds have faced tough games in their first season at this level, with results not always reflecting their strong gameplay. However, their teamwork and determination remain strong. Captains **Laura** and **Annie** are working hard on formations that will make all the difference on game day!





Queen Bees **Stripes** are our newest team, aimed at those who are Back to Netball and just getting to grips with starting to play the game again. They attend training every week and are currently in a tough league on a Tuesday night. They've made some great progress as a team and we've had some great captaincy shown by **Amelia, Annie** and now **Jess**.

Pos	Club	Played	Won	Drawn	Lost	GF	GA	GD	Points
1	Vintage	5	5	0	0	158	56	102	25
2	Goal Diggers	6	4	0	2	151	119	32	22
3	Belles	4	4	0	0	113	49	64	20
4	Udnc Development	4	3	0	1	62	48	14	16
5	Wildcats	4	2	0	2	78	67	11	12
6	Queen Bees Stripes	5	1	0	4	62	90	-28	9
7	Tutti Frutti	5	1	0	4	76	127	-51	9
8	Sweaty Bettys	5	1	0	4	56	145	-89	9
9	Kiss my Pass	4	0	0	4	37	92	-55	4

#		P	W	L	D	F	A	+-	PTS
1	Ripley Sparks	16	14	2	0	360	197	163	72
2	Belper Dynamite	16	12	3	1	359	225	134	65
3	Fusion!	16	12	4	0	359	240	119	63
4	Queen bee buzzers	16	9	6	1	282	240	42	53
5	Notshots	16	7	7	2	272	288	-16	44
6	Belper Flames	16	4	10	2	267	303	-36	35
7	Belper Blaze	16	5	10	1	228	326	-98	34
8	Rutland Roses	16	3	12	1	197	303	-106	26
9	Belper Sparks	16	2	14	0	155	357	-202	13



Queen Bees **Buzzers** have returned to Netball 4 U Division 2 again this year, with some new and old faces in this team! They've had a brilliant start to this league and they are hungry for those wins and heading to that top spot in the league. Well done to our Captain **Sarah** and vice-captain **Nat** on doing a fabulous job; the results are showing!



Queen Bee **Blacks** have restarted in the Erewash Netball League (formerly Friesland League) at a new location. It's been a slow start due to problems with the court (very slippery) and closures due to school exams, meaning there hasn't been quite as many games as hoped this far into the season. However, they've had some great leadership from joint captains **Carly** and **Michelle**. Blacks have been looking to get those points wherever they can and have managed to get wins under their belt!

Erewash Netball League									
#		P	W	D	L	F	A	+-	
1	Chetwynd	8	8	0	0	290	124	166	
2	Stingers	8	7	0	1	256	132	124	
3	Falcons	8	6	0	2	242	166	76	
4	Panthers	8	3	0	5	231	251	-20	
5	Queen Bees	8	2	0	6	215	257	-42	
6	Mollbuzzers Mixed	8	3	0	5	110	218	-108	
7	Notts Sirens	8	2	0	6	158	245	-87	
8	Valkyries	8	1	0	7	190	299	-109	





Our social team, Queen Bees **Swarm**, have only gone and won their league! The league finished with a nail-biting wait to see the results from the other teams, but they did it and were crowned the winners of Netball 4 U Derby Division 1!

The social team at Queen Bees is a squad of about 15 players from all our teams, allowing players to play with others from across the Club.

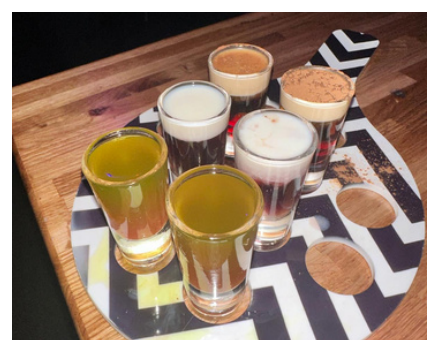
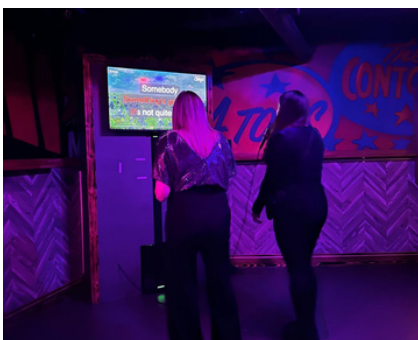
A round of applause to Captain **Kay** and vice-captain **Nat** for organising the teams each week. Enjoy those Crowns 🏆



#		P	W	L	D	F	A	+-	PTS
1	Queen Bees Swarm	16	13	2	1	381	263	118	70
2	Wildcats	16	13	3	0	412	257	155	67
3	The Opposition	16	12	4	0	357	274	83	64
4	Fireflies derby	16	10	4	2	357	338	19	58
5	Rockets	16	7	8	1	289	308	-19	45
6	Shooting Stars	16	5	10	1	288	326	-38	36

Bee's Christmas Party 2024

A group of Bees buzzed into Roxy's Ballroom this December to celebrate the year in style and soak up the festive spirit! The night was filled with delicious cocktails, competitive ping-pong, and unforgettable karaoke moments. It was a fantastic evening spent with some truly wonderful Bees! 💛"





Fancy Joining us at Condover?!

We still have a few spaces left for our
Condover Hall netball weekend -
23rd - 25th May



£192 per person including accommodation,
food, entertainment and activities.

The weekend will include:

- 🍴 2 nights on full-board accommodation
- 🏐 Pre-organised round-robin tournament
- 🏹 A wide range of indoor and outdoor activities (including climbing & archery)
- 🌸 Saturday evening fancy dress with live music (theme for 2025 is 'Hawaiian')
- 🧘♀️ Sports therapist on-site

If you're interested, please accept the invite on Spond and pay the £30 deposit into the bee's account (or if you have any questions, feel free to drop Jess a message)

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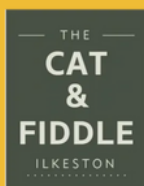
Don't forget to sign up and support the club through EasyFundraising. It's easy, free and helps us raise money for socials, equipment and guest coaches for our sessions.

Use the QR code to sign up, or message Sarah (our fundraising lead) if you have any questions or want help setting it up!





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DIARY DATES

28th March

PowerLeague Tournament

5th April

🍄 vs ⚡ Match Social

April 27th

Netball4U Tournament

23rd May

Condoover Weekender