

# HOLT & DISTRICT FARMERS' CLUB

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## CLUB MATTERS March 2017

We still haven't mastered 10 pin bowling but well done to **Stuart Ross** and our trusty bowlers who again triumphed over Stalham in the Bowls Tournament. Congratulations are also due to **Melton Harrold**, not forgetting **Bruce Lockhart**, for also winning out over Stalham in the overall Malting Barley Sample-Off. Attached is another reminder about Thursday's further session at Easton organised by Barclays, this time (4) its on *Brexit - What will it mean for UK farming ?*

Also attached is **William Youngs's** draft of the itinerary for our *Trip to the Scottish Borders* which is now planned to start a day earlier on *Tuesday, 6th June - D Day - through to Thursday, 8th*. The current intention is to travel first class by locomotion from Peterborough to Berwick-on-Tweed which may, or may not, still be at war with Russia. **Pat Cubitt** is helping with the bookings and several members will either have or be entitled to a rail pass. Could anyone eligible please contact him on 01263 712611 or [wcubitt@btopenworld.com](mailto:wcubitt@btopenworld.com) ? Our Vice Chairman has also procured the menu for *Ladies' Night on Friday, 5th May* which I shall soon be sending out. Meanwhile there was a large take-up of places for the trip so don't dally in registering by sending your £150 deposit to **Tony Williams** together with your sleeping preference for the hotel.

At last month's meeting we held a minute's silence for **Brian Pointen** whose funeral is at Stody at 2 p.m. which should leave you enough time to get to Easton if you're not attending the wake. It is Easton which comes to us on *Tuesday, 14th March* when *Principal Henley* is our speaker - the last of the season - doesn't time fly when you're enjoying yourselves ?



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