

# HOLT & DISTRICT FARMERS' CLUB

FOUNDED 1948

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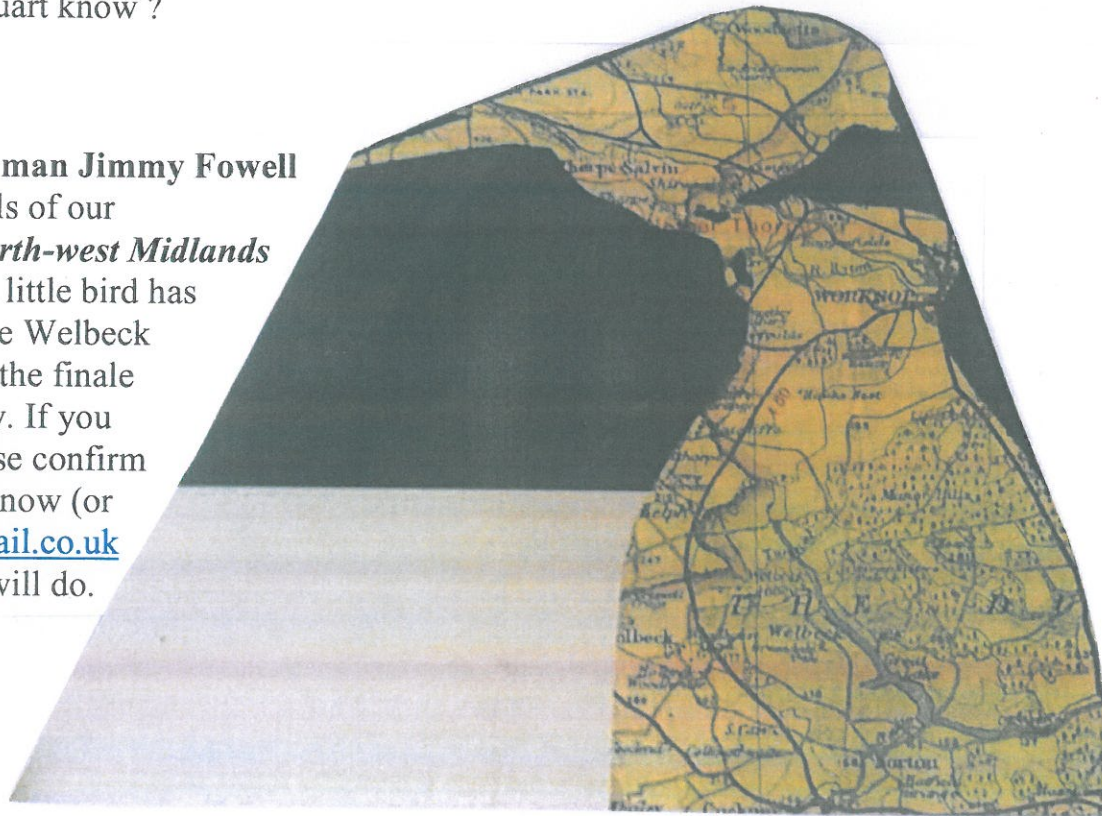
Vice-Chairman: Pat Cubitt

## CLUB MATTERS

March 2019

'Bowling along on the crest of a wave' – I'm probably mixing my metaphors but congrats to the practitioners of Sir Francis Drake's pastime - although the game he was playing while waiting on the Spanish Armada may have more resembled boules or petanque apparently. **Stuart Ross** led our teams to another double victory last month with **David Hitcham** and **Matt Skinner** the stars in the traditional format while **Peter Perry-Warnes** was a revelation in the 10 pin section scoring 20 more points than anyone else. Unfortunately it was not possible to fill the Adams & Howling cup with champagne – could whoever might have been displaying it on their sideboard since last year please let Stuart know ?

Meanwhile **Chairman Jimmy Fowell** has been firming up on details of our *visit to Liverpool and the north-west Midlands between 4<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup> June*. A little bird has dropped in to confirm that the Welbeck Estate near Worksop will be the finale when we return on the Friday. If you haven't done so already please confirm your booking by letting me know (or Lorraine at [lshitcham@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:lshitcham@hotmail.co.uk) as Tony is away) - Tuesday will do.



Pat Cubitt has sorted out the menu for our *Annual Dinner (Ladies' Night)* on *Friday, 3<sup>rd</sup> May* – more of which anon. Our final meeting of the season is a Major event when local *photographer Rey Major MBE* will give his presentation on the *Galapagos Islands*. It will be good to have **Colin Ross** back from his Antipodean hibernation as he and his big brother **Ian** were recently in hospital together. Also, as the chronicler of our historic trips, Colin best of all will be able to testify to our younger members that our trips are well worth joining – the more the merrier.

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