



**GOOD FUN:** June Shaw of the Swans bowling, watched by Ken Ellis, and various members of the Swans and Lions

## **Leatherhead Lions**

### **Swan vs Lion bowling**

A MEMORABLE evening took place at Leatherhead Leisure Centre on Tuesday February 15.

Leatherhead Lions took on the Leatherhead Swans at bowls and, once again, lost the match but by a far more respectable score, 7-5, than in past years.

The annual match, in which the mainly wheelchair-bound Swans, take their revenge on the so-called able-bodied Lions, provokes much hilarity and general merriment. It gives both sides the opportunity to mingle with each other and get to

know the companionship of the other group.

Brian Gourlay of the Lions, said: "Each year we try harder to beat the Swans. Its great fun and each year we do our best to win but so far it hasn't happened".

The Lions have always supported local charity and recently gave a donation of £1000 towards their running costs.

If anyone who has an interest in bowls or any other sport but who is disabled, would like further details, contact Elaine Lush on [swans@tecrec.net](mailto:swans@tecrec.net)

One of the Lions playing was our president Ralph Ibbotson who can be found on:

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