

Ideas to Share

A F T E R N O O N M E N ' S C L U B

Pick a spare room or use the dining room and set it up like the inside of a working man's club or public house. Have board games like, draughts, chess, set of playing cards, jacks, backgammon, darts board or cribbage.

Use spare pennies or counters to use to 'gamble' with and if allowed get the beers in!

Have a look on the TV to see if any sports are on – if not ask them what they want on – see if you can find some racing for them to place bets on. Once this is set up hopefully the men will make their own entertainment and this is great for interaction, conversation and smiling .

Go to the races and watch The Derby from 1950 here – <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=go5bJjclXtA>

Or how about watching the FA Cup final between Arsenal and Liverpool from 1950? <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=T6J9-14ZzAw>



If they start to get restless invite them into the garden to the ladies and encourage dancing in the outdoors.

You could even set up some games outside like our new Pineapple Smash Game or Flickin Chicken – both great target games with a Fun Fair theme to them. Also is our new rainbow coloured giant toppling tower, why not hold a summer quiz and if anyone answers wrong they have to remove a piece.

If possible if it is a clear night and everyone is enjoying themselves see if you can serve dinner outside.