

HOLDFAST BAY CROQUET CLUB

KEEPING IN TOUCH

FEBRUARY, (2nd), 2024



Hi Folks,

Hope all is well with all. For all who are on the sick or injured list all the best for a speedy recovery. A big thank you to all who helped to make our Dinner on Friday a great success. Thanks to the chefs, kitchen hands, the people who prepared food at home and to the people who attended. A job well done. The next Club Dinner will be Friday March, 22nd. Menu not set as yet but will have an Easter theme,

Sharon Langsford (a former member) will be in town next week and would like to catch up with all. So a morning tea has been organised for her on Friday 8th March in the club rooms after the morning session of croquet and before the afternoon session. Could you bring a party plate to share please?

FROM THE MANAGER

Hi all,

Great to see croquet games being well attended in January and February with Rogers coaching also continuing its popularity as well as improving the understanding and skills of the game.

The Jackpot Joker dinner that croquet put on was a resounding success socially and financially and we hope to have a repeat in the near future.

It was a great croquet volunteer effort in the true sense of the word.

Helpers are always needed on these ventures so if any new volunteers can help next time it would be welcome as it is always good to see new faces helping out with the regular volunteers

No easy way to report this but please be careful when playing croquet and be aware of any tripping dangers such as steps, hoops and pegs.

There has been an incident at Norwood Croquet Club where a lady member, who I cant name at the moment, tripped over a hoop and as a result passed away in hospital due to complications caused by two broken vertebrae in her neck.

Stay safe everyone.

Cheers, Colin



FROM THE CLUB CAPTAIN

Hi all,

Please note the new team sheets for 9+ and 12+ will be placed in the croquet shed, the previous sheets have been removed. Copies have already been emailed to current pennant players.

Congratulations to our 12+ team that won their opening game of the season. Team was Ruth (captain), Rosemary, Helen and Terry. Score was 4 games to 2. 28 hoops to 20. A good solid win and a confidence builder for the rest of the season!

Our 24 + team won their first match of the 2024 season and lost their second match.



Jān HBCC - Club Captain

JACKPOT JOKER CLUB DINNER

Great night at our first Jackpot Joker Club dinner last night catered for by the Croquet facility. Well attended by about fifty six members who participated in a sumptuous two course meal. Thanks go to all the members who assisted on the night and for providing the meal. Some comments "The evening was very enjoyable and successful. No complaints at all" and "everyone was complimentary about the apple cake and it disappeared like magic.

WELL DONE to all concerned, especially Clem who took over official photography duties in my absence.

