

RESULTS	1stX1	2ndX1	3rdX1	4thX1	5thX1	6thX1	Standards
Old Kingstonians	3-1	9-0	5-0				
St Barts Hospital							
Bishops Stortford					1-1	1-0	
St Albans							3-0

REPORTS..... A tremendous all round start to the season. Pride of place must go to the 1stX1 (Richard Chapman 1, Norman Borrett 1, Dave Dixon 1) who beat the O.K's for the first time in at least eleven years. Spurred on by drinking a secret Nick Coleman concoction (he says it was salt water) we went ahead through a long corner move which had been practised during the morning. The O.K's equalised with a short corner. Half-time saw more drinking with sensational results. Dave Dixon retired for ten minutes behind the goal, Norman scored a superb solo goal, Viji cleared brilliantly on the line and Dave now feeling better scored another long corner goal. Don did a victory dance whilst singing cheek to cheek. (see later for explanation)

The 2ndX1 (Tony Fawley 4, Hugh Smith 2, Harvinder Kular 2, Brian Owles 1) and the 3rdX1 (Dorian Khoo 2, Kirit Patel 2, John MacDougall 1) demolished their weaker opponents convincingly. Next year you will be playing corresponding O.K's sides (2nd+3rd not 3rd's and 4th's)

The 4thX1 (Dave Walker 1, Gay Schroeder 1, Bob Hale 1, Andy Joss 1) were soon a goal down, but the team responded well to the midfield prompting of Dave Walker and John Tipping. Andy's goal was a screamer into the roof of the net.

The 5thX1 (Andy Gregory 1) fought back well after being a goal down. The team were inspired by the vocal encouragement of Mike Barrott and the good work of Richard Ball and Steve Griffith. Many thanks to Tim Ware who at short notice acted as kicking back.

The 6thX1 (Kim Simson 1) took some time getting to know each other. They missed first half chances and did well to hold out near the end. Good displays from the Coonan brothers, Rory and Blase. Richard Cresswell was delighted with the happy atmosphere of the side, and the overall standard.

SATURDAY TEAS..... Last years caterers have stated they will not be doing the teas this season. If anyone has a wife or girlfriend who would take it over would they please contact Brian Owles. The job involves buying pies, baked beans etc, preparing the food and washing up afterwards. The work probably involves three hours and a guaranteed profit of £15.00 each Saturday for the person doing the teas.

STAG NIGHT..... on Friday 27th October starting at 7.30p.m. at the club. Strippers, comedians, food, bar extension etc.... Something for all tastes including Steve Penningtons.

FULLOVERS..... Anyone wanting to order a Hampstead pullover (V-neck, dark blue with light blue motif) contact Nick Coleman 485 8762.

HOCKEY STICKS..... Anyone wanting to buy good quality hockey sticks (Indian £6-50) tell your captain this Saturday, or contact Adrian Rice 226 3116

STAG NIGHT (cont)..... Sorry forgot.. Cost is £3 (includes food. Tickets at bar or door.

EDGE PLAYERS..... If you want to play at the club please contact Fred Brasier 531 6434

QUIZ CRICKET..... on the 3rd November ..Inter Section. Eleven intelligent players wanted

CLUBHOUSE JOBS..... Washing all crockery and cutlery and putting into the new kitchen. Cleaning old kitchen. Painting lockers in the ~~changing~~ room. Painting boards in front of the pavilion. Painting in the kitchen. Robin Francis will be at the club this coming Saturday at 12.00, hoping people will come early to give him company and help.

SNAPSHOTS..... Good to see wives at the club on Saturday with their brood (Coleman, Chapman and Vijendran)..... If Nick continues to make the players drink his magic potion I reckon next year we will be swarming with little ones on Saturday afternoons..... Quote from Don, 'If a player had to accidentally hit me on the posterior with a ball, I'm glad it was the captain and not some ordinary mortal' (I presume Don now has a soft spot for Viji).
..... Who was playing cards with Abe at 2.30a.m. Saturday morning and in the afternoon played rumps, sorry trumps..... Congratulations Shirley and Brian..... Who was down Cale market selling a wonder drink at £1 a bottle..... I thought the pitches and the goals looked really superb on Saturday..... Sorry about the wrong scorers last week for the 1st and 2ndX1 matches, the two captains were obviously not playing..... Team selection will not take place in the 'Dove' Mr Hughes..... Anyone who knows a wife or girlfriend who would run a creche on Saturday afternoons at the club for £5 please contact Nick Coleman..... We pay £15 for occupying people's stomachs, and only £5 for occupying children's minds.. Crazy..... Watch out, we have a Kebab thief... a black and white four legged creature took mine on Saturday..... Don't forget subscriptions to Bill Taylor.

..... Thanks to Ron Hart and the other Vets who supported the 1stX1 on Saturday..... Tim Dixon had a smashing time on Sunday, next time aim for the goal, and not the clubhouse windows.