

HAMPSTEAD HOCKEY CLUB

Bulletin for week ending 3rd October 1965

LAST WEEK'S RESULTS

Practice matches v. Hendon - encouraging!

FORTHCOMING EVENTS

Sunday 3rd October	Middlesex County and 'A' XI trials (see below)
Sunday 10th October	Middlesex/Surrey 75th Anniversary 6-a-sides
Wednesday 20th October	Men's (Middlesex v Essex) and Women's floodlit matches at Crystal Palace (7.p.m.)
Thursday 21st October	Hockey Circle*: Bill Cox on the 1965 Masters' Golf tournament
Sunday 24th October	Finals of the Middx/Surrey 6-a-sides
Thursday 4th November	Hockey Circle : Rev. Martin Harvey etc. on the Swifts' World hockey tour

\* The Hockey Circle meets on Thursdays at 6.00 for 6.30 p.m. at the Albert pub, Victoria St. S.W.1. (opp. Army and Navy Stores) and is open to membership to all interested for 10/- a year (plus "beer kitty"). The full programme is on the Club notice-board

MEMBERSHIP:

Further changes in 'phone numbers:

	<u>Home</u>	<u>Office</u>
FRANKS D.L.	AMB 9854	MON 8888 (Mr. Corbett's Dept)
HENMAN A.J. ('Occasional')	HAM 6289	
LANG D.P.	CUN 3293	
STROWGER A.L.	BOW 9410	

And new applicants for membership:

DASTLER C.L.	HOP 2829	MON 1211
SHASHOUA S.J.	HAM 7900	LAN 3901

MIDDLESEX TRIALS

The following have been nominated for Middlesex County and 'A' trials this Sunday, 3rd October at Barclays' Bank Ground at 11.00a.m. and, if successful, into the afternoon: Conway, Wilson, Lunn, Willaims, Strowger, Wood, Mason, Bridge Jones, Clarke.

These players should turn up at the ground (Hanger Lane underground, cross Western Avenue and south along Hanger Lane. Abt. 1 mile on R. - or get a lift from a car-owner). The organisers are expecting most of you to need a snack lunch and to be available for mid-week matches if required.

FINANCE - THIS IS IMPORTANT

The General Committee has considered carefully how to finance our new 5-year agreement with the Hornsey Club involving, as it does, a considerably higher rent which must, of course, be covered. We were reluctant to raise subscriptions and decided, instead, to raise a match fee on individual games. At the same time, the opportunity will be taken to equalise the cost of home and away games and, from now on, Captains will be collecting 6/6 a match, home or away, from each player. This will cover the cost of oranges, tea and the first beer kitty and 2/- of it will go to the Club to cover the increase in rent. (We have decided, as so many other clubs have already, to try doing without shandies at home matches - at least out of the 'kitty'). The Committee will be reviewing this match fee regularly and have several other ideas for fund-raising activities to explore : if these work out it may be possible to reduce the match fee in due course - and this will be done just as soon as practicable.

New (and old) members are reminded, again, that they can usually avoid the cost of public transport to away (and, even, home) games by arranging regular lifts - your Team Captain will be pleased to try and put you in touch with a nearby car-owner if you don't know anybody.

You might like to know of progress on the ground since settling our new agreement the Hornsey Club are to take delivery of a deep-spiker and a scarifier (for improving

the turf) in the immediate future and the tree at the end of the second pitch will be coming down to give us a full-length second pitch.

FIXTURE CARD

Your copy of the fixture card is enclosed. All members are requested to read all notes again, noting carefully : correct kit for all games (I understand Lillywhites' had not got shirts in last week : chase them up this week - they have promised them) notifying change of address or 'phone, 'phoning Team Secretary if no bulletin by Thursday or Friday (post is very bad at present), punctuality, 'phoning Answerings if any doubt about weather etc.

RULES

Most of you will be aware of the 'sticks' rule reverting to what it was : no stick above the shoulder at all when playing at the ball. Umpires are going to be very fussy about this. Also goalkeepers are not allowed to make markings of their own in their goalmouth or the circle now.

THIS WEEK'S TEAMS

	<u>1st XI</u>	<u>2nd XI</u>	<u>3rd XI</u>	<u>4th XI</u>	<u>5th XI</u>
Opponents:	O.K.'s	O.K.'s	O.K.'s	O.K.'s	St. John's
Ground:	Away	Away	Home	Home (Bishopswood) (Tennis shoes)	Home
Bully-off:	2.45 <u>prompt</u>	2.45 <u>prompt</u> (N.B. <u>Not</u> 3.30)	2.45 <u>prompt</u>	2.45 <u>prompt</u>	2.45 <u>prompt</u>
Team:	McCAMMON  SEEDHER BRIDGE  LUNN JAMIESON STROWGER  CONWAY WILSON WILLIAMS YEGER MASON	WOOD  BOYCE STEWART  CLARKE BROOKS RUTHERFORD  HENMAN R. FAULKNER LOWDEN JONES A. DASTLER C.	FORMAN  SEALEY BERMINGHAM  MANFIELD BLAIR CHAUMETON  TWINE WESTON MAYERS LANG THOMAS	GABRIEL  HANCOCK ANTRIM  FRANKS KEITH AGUIAR  BERTRAM SCARR AUJLA ROBINSON HENDERSON	KURTZ  MIRCHANDANI PEERS  WHATLEY MOORE HAYNES  TGM BICKLER STONES DONALDSON SYMES
Reserves:		MATTISON	SMITH	WALKER	SEMLYEN, DASTLER M. PHILLIPS, SHASHOUA
Umpire:	SCHUA	SCHUA	BAKER (?)	GREENHALGH	SANKEY
Cry-offs to:	CONWAY	LOWDEN	BERMINGHAM	KEITH	KURTZ
Ground directions:	All XI's as fixture card				