

HAMPSHIRE HOCKEY CLUB

Bulletin for week ending 24th January 1971

THIS IS VERY IMPORTANT. Depending on the postal strike this may be the last Bulletin we can despatch for a week or two. As long as the post is disrupted would every member note these special arrangements: PLEASE PHONE MRS. HAYWOOD OR MRS. THOMPSON AT ALAN KRITZ'S OFFICE (01-573-5512) DURING OFFICE HOURS ON TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY OR THURSDAY AND ASK WHERE YOU ARE DUE TO PLAY/UMPIRE. WOULD TEAM CAPTAINS THEN PLEASE PHONE MRS. HAYWOOD OR MRS. THOMPSON ON FRIDAY MORNINGS TO FIND OUT WHICH (IF ANY) OF THEIR TEAM HAVE NOT BEEN IN TOUCH SO AS TO CHASE THEM UP. BUT PLEASE DO NOT DEPEND ON YOUR CAPTAIN CONTACTING YOU - IT MAY BE VERY DIFFICULT WITH SO MANY PEOPLE INVOLVED - TRY HARD TO PHONE UP YOURSELF ON TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY OR THURSDAY.

Last week's Results

1st XI v. Dulwich	LOST 0-3	4th XI v. Dulwich	WON 2-1
2nd XI v. Dulwich	DREW 1-1	5th XI v. Dulwich	DREW 3-3
3rd XI v. Dulwich	WON 6-1	Veterans v. Dulwich	WON 2-0

Another good set of results against a Club as strong as Dulwich. The Club as a whole has only lost one game out of 16 since New Year.

Membership List.

Add a new applicant:

HALE, R.D. (Robert) 47 Falkland Rd. N.W.5.

Office
387-1277

And a new Office No. re:

628-4070

POPLE, John

One or two prospective new members who have not yet returned their application forms will get this bulletin because of the special arrangements for the strike. But could they try, please, to get their application forms and subs. to me as soon as possible if they intend to join, otherwise they will tend to miss out on team selection, mailings, etc.

FORCOMING EVENTS

Thursday, 4th February

General Committee Meeting.

Hockey Circle - Ladies night (lady guests welcome).

Christine James (Truman) on Tennis.

5th XI Social Function. (N.B. Postponed from the 13th because of other commitments - details later)

Morning games v. Richmond, England v. France at Lords in the afternoon. The Veterans' 'Smoking

Concert' in the evening (This is likely to be even more successful this year because it has been given

a measure of official support - the H.A. is not organising any other function that evening and is

encouraging people - including the international teams - to come along to our party !)

A.G.M.

Thanet Festival. Ron Hart has a pretty good team

now. Room for one goalkeeper and possibly (you may have to go on to a waiting list) one or two more upper XI players.

Thursday, 1st April

Weekend 24/25th April

Other Items

I mentioned the 2nd XI Captaincy last week. I am pleased to tell you that the General Committee's suggested solution met with approval from the people most affected and Peter Bell has moved up to take over the 2nd XI for the rest of the season. Mick Coleman will become 3rd XI Captain in Peter's absence - they both started well on Saturday with a draw and a resounding win! We now, at last, have our full complement of officers for this season.

When mentioning Don Nute's appointment as Equipment Officer last week I forgot to mention that he can also supply sticks, boots, etc. at very reasonable prices. Now that Don is in charge, and he is located in the Clubhouse, he should be able to work up a more efficient trade in secondhand kit so, if you are forced to leave London or otherwise leave the Club, remember that you can get a reasonable price for your shirt and socks from Don. And you would be helping some other new member coming along after you. (In fact Don already has two or three shirts - one brand new - and a couple of very good pairs of dark blue shorts to sell).

Having said that I must mention that Mike Chapman leaves us next week on account of his job. Best wishes and thanks for 3 or 4 years' loyal service.

Very much an advance notice of another function. Our share of the ground works at Hornsey is going to cost about £600. We have a lot of that in the Bank due to good

house-keeping by Guy Meyers and two very successful draws run by John Chaumeton and Sandy Keith. But we shall need another £200. or so at least, so the 1st XI (led by Stan Cleal) is going to run a Riverboat Shuffle in the Spring. Probable date - a Saturday evening towards the end of May (I will confirm when we know exactly). Probable venue - the river at Windsor - Probable price - 30/0d a ticket. But it will need 200 or so people to fill the boat so, it is obviously essential that we work up parties of friends to come along. Ideally suited to a party from the Office, or from your cricket or tennis club. Start putting out feelers now so that you are all ready to take up a block of tickets when details are confirmed. (The members of the Committee have already earmarked 30 or 30 and a boat can only carry so many !)

C. GREENHALGH.

ADVANCE NOTICE

SPANIARDS FIXTURES

January 24th Hairy Goats at Maidenhead
January 31st Bandits at Bromley.

If the postal strike prevents a Bulletin next week, then players for these matches will be contacted by the Spaniards Manager during the week preceding these games. Persons wishing to play please contact Gordon Grant.

SELECTION COMMITTEE

Will Team Captains please note the next meeting of the Selection Committee is on Monday, the 22nd February.

THIS WEEKS TEAMS

	<u>1st XI</u>	<u>2nd XI</u>	<u>3rd XI</u>	<u>4th XI</u>	<u>5th XI</u>	<u>6th XI</u>
Opponents:	REIGATE	REIGATE	REIGATE	REIGATE	REIGATE	REIGATE
Ground:	Away	Home	Away	Highgate Wood	Away	Creighton North

Bully-off: 2.45

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Team:	RATCLIFFE	HITCH	NUVE	SPARKS	KURTZ	PERLIN
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GRANT	PIPER	WYNWARD	THOMPSON G	LANCASTER	STAFFORD	
SPICER	MANDAIR	MCLAREN	SCOTT	POPLE	TOM	
	-	-	-	-	-	
SEALEY	JONES A	TROTTER	WORMAN	THOMPSON N	PERRIAN	
HEWSON	SEEDHER R	DONALDSON	REVELL	KENDALL	HAYNES	
OLIVER	PECH	COLEMAN	SHAW	ELDER	A.ANOR	
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OWLES	BELL	S-FORSTER	BALANTYNE	MUDDON	KEMPEN	
CLEAL	NICHOLSON	PARRY	JOHN	MAJOR	BOIZOT	
BLACK	TONBRIDGE	COOPER	SHERREL	HILFEL	HART	
WATSON	VAUTIER	ALLAN	HALES	STILL	MAYERS	
PANDALL	SEEDHER K	ALSTON	THOMAS	DAVIES	TOMISSON	
Reserves:	HUTZAGHER (?)	SWING	LATTO	JUTLA	HENDERSON	
Umpire:	SCHUA	SCHUA	REIGATE	MAONEY	REIGATE	(?) SALISBURY
				GREENHALGH		CHAPMAN
Cry-offs	SPICER	BELL	COLLEMAN	WORMAN	KURTZ	BOIZOT
to:						BIRMINGHAM
						CHAUMETON

Ground directions: All XI's as per Fixture Card.

N.B. Advance ground directions for next week.

5th XI v. Surbiton at Esher Cricket Club (see Fixture Card)

Veterans v. Letchworth at the Recreation Ground, Baldock Rd. Letchworth.

By car - A1 to Letchworth, entering the town along Letchworth Gate, L. at junction with Baldock Rd. (A.505). Recreation ground on L.

FINALLY DON'T FORGET THE SPECIAL ARRANGEMENTS DURING THE STRIKE. PHONE ALAN KURTZ'S OFFICE ON TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY OR THURSDAY (CAPTAINS ON FRIDAY MORNING)