

HAMPSTEAD HOCKEY CLUB

Bulletin for week ending 13th December 1970.

LAST WEEK'S RESULTS

1st XI v. Tulse Hill	DREW 1-1	4th XI v. Tulse Hill	WON 7-1
2nd XI v. Tulse Hill	LOST 0-2	5th XI v. Tulse Hill	WON 3-0
3rd XI v. Tulse Hill	WON 2-1	Veterans v. West Herts	WON 3-2
Spaniards v. Hangovers CANC.			

Very good results against a club as strong as Tulse Hill. Particularly, of course, the 1st XI - this was the first game Tulse Hill has failed to win this season and they are riding high at the top of the London League. What's more, our 1st XI had a moral victory - they had a second goal disallowed for a reason which nobody could fathom!

MEMBERSHIP

Change of address (from this weekend):

Home

BICKLER S. (Stephen) Flat 4, 46 Fitzjohns Avenue, N.W.3.

794-4773

And another one for Cedric Braby:

BRABY C. (Cedric) 6 Arundel Gardens, Holland Park, W.11.

727-6875

Roy Salisbury has a new phone no. 937-8201, ask for the New Unit and then leave a message for Roy to ring back.

FORTHCOMING EVENTS

Next Monday, 14th December

Selection Committee meeting.

Next Saturday, 19th December

'Christmas Candle Carousel' - Dance with discotheque and guest singers organised at the Clubhouse by the 4th XI. Tickets (12/6d each if bought before the night) from Neil Worman.

Boxing Day, 26th December

As many games as there are players available against Old Cranleighans. If there is only one game it will probably be at the O.C.'s ground.

3rd January/10th January

Next two Spaniards games v. Gnats (N.P.L.) and Old Cholmeleians.

OTHER ITEMS

One of the Oxford University players left a pair of spectacles in the Visitors' changing room at Hornsey last week. If anybody picked them up would they let me know so that I can return them.

Would Team Captains please ensure that they take availability well into New Year this week? And players please make sure that their captains know how they are fixed over Christmas and New Year - otherwise we shall get into problems over selection if a game or two happen to be rained off.

On the subject of selection, I wonder if I could say this? We have had one or two cases this season of players apparently taking umbrage over something (possibly their selection) not turning up for games and just 'disappearing'. In case anybody else is unhappy and is contemplating something similar, please remember this: (1) it is a little unfair on the other ten players, who have got nothing to do with team selection, to leave them a man short without warning, (2) with six teams to select and 20-30 new members to absorb every season, it isn't always all that easy to get everybody into exactly the right team every week particularly when there are long-standing and loyal team members to consider too, and (3) it was because of these difficulties that we appointed a Chairman of the Selection Committee last year. If you are at all unhappy about your selection, for goodness sake tell Peter Bell rather than just sulking about it. Peter won't necessarily agree with you but, if you don't tell him, how can we know you are unhappy? Of course, if members are unhappy about something other than team selection, then they should tell me and I'll see if it is something I can help with.

Punctuality - it is slipping again. Please allow plenty of time to get to grounds and be changed and ready to play at 2.45. It is not only bad manners to the opposition to be late, but very un-settling to Team Captains who want to enjoy their game too!

Absolute last change to apply to go to the Thanet Festival at the end of April if we are to send a Team. Anybody in the upper XI's interested?

Stephen Bickler gets married this week. Congratulations!

C. GREENHALGH.

THIS WEEK'S 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:	Royal Engineers	Richings Park I	Richings Park II	Richings Park III	Richings Park IV	Harlow IV
Ground:	Away	Away	Home	Away	Highgate Wood	Harlow Town
Bully-off:	2.45	2.45	2.45	2.45	2.45	2.45
Team:	HITCH	SPARKS	NUTE	KURTZ	LANCASTER	PERLIN
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	MANDAIR	SEEDHER R	PIPER	SCOTT	MACHADO	STAFFORD
	KEY	SPICER (CAPT)	WYNYARD	THOMPSON G	THOMPSON N	TOM
	-	-	-	-	-	-
	OLIVER	PECH	TROTTER	STEVENS	CHAPMAN (CAPT)	EDMUNDS
	BLACK	HEWSON	DONALDSON	SWING	KENDALL	HAYNES
	SEALEY	GRANT	COLEMAN	WORMAN	ELDER	BOIZOT
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	OWLES	S. FORSTER	BELL	MAJOR	BALLANTYNE	KEMPEN
	WATSON	TUNBRIDGE	NICHOLSON	LATTO	BRABY	HART
	CLEAL	PARRY	STILL	SHERRELL	HILLEL	MELVILLE
	JONES	VAUTIER	COOPER	BISHOP	MULDOON	HUGHES
	RANDALL	SEEDHER K	ALSTON	THOMAS	DAVIES	JUTLA
Reserves:		HOUTZAGER				PITCHFORK
Umpire:	SCHUA	SCHUA	MALONEY			
Cry-offs to:	CLEAL	SPICER	BELL	WORMAN	KURTZ	BOIZOT

Ground directions: 1st - 5th XI's as Fixture Card.

6th XI: Brays Grove Comprehensive School, Harlow.  
 Public Transport Eastern Region, Liverpool Street to Harlow Town. Bus to Saxon Inn. Central Line to Epping and bus to Saxon Inn. Car A 11 to Harlow. Brays Grove is at the Saxon Inn Roundabout where B1133 meets A 11.

NOTE: Shale pitch please wear gym shoes.

To: N. F. Worman,  
 48F Putney Hill,  
 S.W.15.

4th XI DANCE: 19th December

Please let me have .....ticket(s) for the Christmas Candle Carousel. I enclose ..... (12/6d a ticket at the special pre-booking price)

Name .....

To: C. Greenhalgh.

THANET FESTIVAL

I would be interested in going to Thanet with a Hampstead team in April.