

HAMPSTEAD & WESTMINSTER

HOCKEY CLUB

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LADIES 1st XI v EASTCOTES 1A's WON 1-0

Top performance of the week was from the Ladies' 1st team. Lis Steele was voted M. V. P. and the only quote was 'We won, on grass, enough said!'

LADIES 2nd XI v SOUTHGATE ADELAIDE LOST 4-0

'We should have known, having been lapped on the warm up run, that not only were we going to be walked over but trampled on!' Ann-Marie was M. V. P.

MENS 1st XI v RAMGARHIA WON 5-0

Hampstead took the lead with a 'well disguised' penaltystroke from Dave Dixon who then went off and rested. Kevin Gallen made it 2-0 midway through the first half from a long corner. Umesh Parag scored a spectacular goal on his debut to make it 3-0 and also went off for a rest, at the discretion of the umpire. Further goals by Dan Williams (short corner) and Graham Hill (BRM) completed the win for Hampstead.

MENS 2nd XI v TEDDINGTON LOST 4-0

"The facts of the game – if you don't score and let the opposition score four – you get stuffed!". No report was forthcoming on this game.

MENS 3rd XI v TEDDINGTON WON 2-1

The team of the moment! The first win against Teddington since 1982 and a 100% record for this season. John Bellamy scored both goals and Julian Herbert was voted man of the match.

MENS 4th XI v TEDDINGTON DREW 0-0

The fourth team with the help of Brian Pycok (the veteran goalkeeper) kept the score blank. Nick Stevens had the only real chance to win the game but without his fan club present was unable to oblige.

MENS 5th XI v TEDDINGTON WON 2-1

An excellent fighting performance by the fifth team, playing without a goalkeeper, with goals from Cowley and Latter. Soames-Charlton missed a penalty and was voted man of the match! It's a funny old game!

MENS 6th XI v BARTS HOSPITAL LOST 5-0

The vice-president of St Barts Sports Club, Ali Alibhai, was unable to influence the result of this match. Hampstead did not play well, but the opposition was always too strong.

MENS 7th XI v RICKMANSWORTH LOST 1-0

A game that lasted far too long for Hampstead. The seventh team were a trifle disappointed when a goal was conceded, with the last hit of the game. The sole umpire (Simon Barclay), who wishes to remain anonymous announced that the goal was scored in the 79th minute. Before this neither side really looked like scoring.

MENS VETERANS v TEDDINGTON WON 3-1

Tony Booth made his debut for the Vets at Paddington on Saturday and opened the scoring after a 'slipped' short corner. However, he soon tired badly, and is obviously carrying too much weight and he was substituted after two minutes. Pat Coy increased the lead with a fine individual goal before Teddington reduced the arrears. Richard Chapman completed the scoring with ten minutes remaining.

MENS 1st XI v BARCLAYS BANK – 1st ROUND OF H. A. CUP. WON 8-7 ON STROKES

0-0 at full time. Enough said about the game, of which Louis Florentine-Lee was the outstanding player. One set of 5 strokes, scores still level. 2nd set of 5 strokes, scores still level. 3rd set of 5 strokes – a win for Hampstead. Man of the match, Richard Cowley. 8 strokes saved. A very high class of goal keeping, outstanding saves. A very good debut for the 1st XI.

NOTE: Only 1st and 2nd Team Members may attend Mens' training on Wednesday night at Paddington from now on, as we have limited space and time available.

Compulsory club kit must be worn by Saturday October 31st. Shirts and socks can be bought from Caroline Brooke (tel: 081 444 0400, home): navy blue shorts for men, navy blue skirts for women. Failure to wear club kit could prevent you from being selected.

SUBS ARE NOW DUE. Cheques made out to Hampstead & Westminster HC, and sent to Sally Openshaw, 22 Aden Grove, N16. All queries, phone Sally on 071 249 8696.

CLUB SOCIAL FUNCTION – Saturday 28th November. Theme, Mad Hatter's Tea Party. Venue to be announced. Tickets on sale soon, organiser Sasha Jones.

*Andy Latter is seeking autumn decorating contracts (papering, painting, tiling etc.)
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