

## HOLDFAST BAY CROQUET CLUB

"KEEPING IN TOUCH"

17/9/17



Hi folk,

Hopefully all is well with everyone and you are enjoying the short burst of spring weather!!

*Congratulations are extended to David Hayter for again winning the State 6+ Singles Competition. Well done David! You continue to do our club proud!*

### Curry and Games Night:

*A big thank you to all who participated in our Curry & Games Night. It proved to be a great success. Great atmosphere and fun! The food was excellent! Thank you chefs! Thank you also to all the helpers and to all who attended on the night. A profit of over \$1,000.00 was made. Well done to all!*

### Pennants:

*It is good to see the number of people now participating in the SACA pennant competition. With our confidence, ability and experience improving our teams are becoming very competitive. Well done to all and a special thanks to Ruth for being our club captain and co-ordinating all events.*

*24+ (Monday/Wednesday) competition has now finished. Our team consisting of Colin, Urbicia, Janus, Marion, David H, Ruth and Paul were very competitive, winning two from seven, but losing by minimal hoops We came 7<sup>th</sup>. **Well done folk!***

*6+ Weekend Pennants: Our team of David H, Marion, Janus, Urbicia, Colin, Joy and Ruth performed well, winning four from eight games. Again losing by minimal amounts. One game drawn and one game by one hoop. The last game Sat. 16<sup>th</sup> Sep. saw the team with a win. **Well done!***

*9+ Weekend Breakers: Out of the seven games played our team of Lis, Paul, Sharon, Joy, Ruth, Janus and Marion won five and lost two. Again losing by minimal hoops and drawing one game. **Well done!***

*9+ Weekend pennants: Lost their six out of six games again by minimal hoops. The team consisting of many new players to pennants competed well. A big thank you to Mavis, Mary A, Loretta, Janice, Clem, Marg, Jenny, Trish Marion and Janus for taking part in this competition.*

**Spring Pennants.** 7.00pm on Wednesday 6+ and Thursday 9+ are due to commence On 24<sup>th</sup> September . If any member who would like to participate in this competition please see Ruth.

**Court maintenance:** Work has commenced on the major maintenance and upgrade of our courts. Thank you to Max for work in progress. Courts availability for use will depend largely on how kind the weather will be. A big thank you is also extended to Colin and Max for setting up the Court "D" so it is suitable for Croquet and to Colin for making the hoops that are user friendly for the bowling green. Sandra and Colin enjoy India !

**DIARY DATES TO REMEMBER:**

**Season Launch: Saturday 23rd, September.** Croquet playing to cease at 11.30 am and players asked to attend the official opening of the season in the club rooms. Play may recommence after officiating completed. A pie floater luncheon is offered for \$8.00.

**Gardening Busy Bee: Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> September: 10.00am - 12.00 noon**  
The Club Holdfast is asking for volunteers to assist with the tidying up and weeding of the garden area outside our club rooms. So if you have a few moments to spare Sunday your help will be gratefully appreciated.

**Quiz Night: Friday 13<sup>th</sup> 7.00pm:** Members are reminded of this night which we are again hostessing. Last years was a brilliant success, so we aim to get bigger and better this year. Start spreading the word and getting tables organised. Tables up to ten. Bring family, friends, neighbours or ????. Colin is MC, David H, quiz master, Janus recorder and faithful volunteers who have offered help on the night. Pre purchased tickets may be bought from Carol- office, Jenny at the bar, from Colin or me or simply add your name to the booking sheet on the bar. It would be great to see as many members as possible attend this function to support our club. We are again asking for donations for prizes. So if able to donate can you please give to Colin, or me or leave in our Croquet room.

**Melbourne Cup luncheon, Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> November:** further information later.

December 10<sup>th</sup>: HBCC Christmas Function. 12.00 noon. 36a Penzance St

Glenelg:

Trish Clayton has kindly offered her home again for our official Christmas function or annual get together. The format will be the same - barbecue or food to share, BYO drinks, Kris Kringle gift to \$10.00 and of course Santa Claus. More details later.

Thank you,

Keep well, keep safe, keep smiling!

Cheers,

Marg

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