



THE HARROW HERALD

CHAIR ROUND UP

A mixed bag of results in October, with 7 wins, 1 draw and 5 losses, so not bad at all. Teams are finding their feet, although we do need to improve our regular availability as this can only bring better more consistent performances.

No club socials were held through October, but November and December provide us with two events not to be missed! So, check out the Social section of the newsletter and get signed up on Spond.

However, the Ladies 1's did have a team night out, although missing our youth from the event as they had their own party to attend, we went to Boom Battle Bar and the competition was fierce in the darts!

You may have noticed the kitchen at John Lyon has been having a re-vamp, apologies that this has affected our ability to provide teas on site the last couple of weeks. However, it is set to look a lot fresher and more modern in the room when complete. There will be new cooking equipment, however I have been advised that only the portable Hob will be available to us to use for the purpose of hot teas. I will inform captains when this is in the kitchen and ready for use. The oven is NOT to be used at all.

As we move into the colder months, please be mindful when finishing training that it is no one person's sole responsibility to put the equipment away. We all want to get into our cars, be warm and get home, but if we can all help with clearing up and locking up the pitch then the load is shared, and people aren't still left there until nearly 10pm. Let's all do our bit to help please.

I look forward to seeing you all soon on the pitch or at the Quiz night this Saturday, get signed up, bring friends and family along as it looks set to be a great night! Good luck to everyone for their matches throughout November.

Kerri



MEMBERSHIPS

Thank you to Paula for getting our members paid up to date by 31st October, this is no easy feat. Please remember that the club has to pay for pitches, coaches, affiliations, insurance, so nothing comes for free. In order to play, subscriptions **MUST** be paid so we can fund the club.

Paula will be checking monthly that everyone is up to date, so if you're not make sure you get sorted otherwise, we will enforce "No Pay No Play" and you will be removed from the Spond matches and training until you are up to date.

If you need to speak with us about your subs, change your category, or simply have any questions, then please let Paula, our Membership Secretary, know.

TRAINING FOR A CAUSE

Our ladies have donned all manner of colours this month in support of worthy causes! Firstly, for Breast Cancer Awareness they all wore as much Pink as possible! Then we got every colour of the rainbow on the hockey pitch to support Pride Rainbow Laces cause. Well done ladies!



OCTOBER RESULTS

07.10.2023

14.10.2023

21.10.2023

LADIES 1s	7-0	WEST HERTS	LADIES 1s	1-2	EAST LONDON	LADIES 1s	1-3	SPENCER
MENS 1s	2-1	ASHFORD	MENS 1s	4-2	WEST HAMPSTEAD	MENS 1s	0-2	SOUTHGATE
LADIES 2s	1-2	WEST HERTS	LADIES 2s	2-0	PHC CHISWICK	LADIES 2s	OPPO CONCEDED	OLD UXONIANS
MENS 2s	3-3	WEST HAMPSTEAD	MENS 2s	1-4	EALING	MENS 2s	2-1	SOUTHGATE
			U16 GIRLS	6-1	BARNES			
			U16 BOYS	7-2	SUNBURY & WALTON			



FORTHCOMING FIXTURES

	LADIES 1s	LADIES 2s	MENS 1s	MENS 2s
4TH NOVEMBER	NO GAME	V HENDON & MILL HILL (A)	V INDIAN GYMKHANA (H)	V WINCHMORE HILL & ENFIELD (A)
11TH NOVEMBER	V EASTCOTE (A)	V OMT (H)	V OSTERLEY (A)	V WEST HAMPSTEAD (H)
18TH NOVEMBER	V H&W (H)	V EASTCOTE (A)	V RICHMOND (H)	V RICHMOND (A)
25TH NOVEMBER	V WAPPING (A)	V PHC CHISWICK (H)	NO GAME	OSTERLEY (H)

LEAGUE TABLES

LADIES 1S

London Women's Division 2 North

Team	Played	Won	Drawn	Lost	For	Against	GD	Points
1 Spencer W3	5	4	1	0	15	3	12	13
2 West Hampstead W2	5	4	1	0	17	6	11	13
3 East London W2	5	3	2	0	10	7	3	11
4 Eastcote W1	4	2	1	1	3	1	2	7
5 Harrow W1	5	2	0	3	11	6	5	6
6 Hampstead & Westminster W5	4	2	0	2	7	8	-1	6
7 PHC Chiswick W2	4	1	2	1	9	7	2	5
8 Wapping W3	4	1	0	3	5	9	-4	3
9 East London W3	4	0	2	2	1	6	-5	2
10 West Herts W2	5	0	2	3	4	22	-18	2
11 Eastcote W2	5	0	1	4	5	12	-7	1

LADIES 2S

London Women's Division 5 North West

Team	Played	Won	Drawn	Lost	For	Against	GD	Points
1 PHC Chiswick W4	5	5	0	0	21	1	20	15
2 West Herts W4	5	4	0	1	22	8	14	11
3 Imperial College SM W1	5	3	0	2	27	18	9	9
4 West Hampstead W6	5	3	0	2	10	5	5	9
5 PHC Chiswick W5	5	3	0	2	8	6	2	9
6 Eastcote W5	5	3	0	2	11	11	0	8
7 West Hampstead W7	5	2	0	3	10	11	-1	6
8 Harrow W2	5	2	0	3	8	11	-3	6
9 Old Uxonians W1	5	2	0	3	10	15	-5	5
10 Ealing W2	5	2	0	3	9	21	-12	5
11 Hendon & Mill Hill W2	5	1	0	4	6	12	-6	3
12 Old Merchant Taylors W3	5	0	0	5	0	23	-23	-3

MENS 1S

London Men's Division 4 North West

	Team	Played	Won	Drawn	Lost	For	Against	GD	Points
1	Hampstead & Westminster Thirsts	5	5	0	0	18	4	14	15
2	Richmond Griffins	3	3	0	0	14	5	9	9
3	Harrow M1	5	3	0	2	10	8	2	9
4	Southgate M5	4	2	1	1	5	3	2	7
5	PHC Chiswick M4	5	2	1	2	9	9	0	7
6	Ashford (Middlesex) M2	5	2	0	3	11	11	0	6
7	Osterley M1	3	1	1	1	8	8	0	4
8	West Hampstead M6	5	1	1	3	6	9	-3	4
9	West Hampstead M5	4	1	0	3	6	9	-3	3
10	Indian Gymkhana M4	4	1	0	3	7	15	-8	3
11	West Herts M3	5	1	0	4	10	23	-13	3

MENS 2S

London Men's Division 6 North West

	Team	Played	Won	Drawn	Lost	For	Against	GD	Points
1	Richmond Redoubtables	5	5	0	0	21	2	19	15
2	Winchmore Hill & Enfield M2	5	4	1	0	14	4	10	13
3	West Hampstead M8	5	3	1	1	19	5	14	10
4	Ealing M1	5	3	0	2	12	6	6	9
5	Old Merchant Taylors M4	5	3	0	2	9	8	1	9
6	Osterley M2	5	2	0	3	13	13	0	5
7	Harrow M2	5	1	2	2	9	15	-6	5
8	West Hampstead M9	5	1	1	3	7	23	-16	4
9	PHC Chiswick M6	5	0	1	4	4	17	-13	1
10	Southgate M7	5	0	0	5	3	18	-15	0

FROM THE SIDELINES



When Kerri asked me to write some words each month for the Herald, I foolishly agreed and then wondered what I would write about and what the column would be called. I decided on “View from the Sidelines” as on Saturdays I would normally be watching the team Amy was playing in or helping out with a whistle – both from the side of the pitch.

And so, a couple of Saturdays ago I umpired the ladies to an unlucky 0-1 loss. Even us old people check our phone after the match has finished and a message caught my eye. The Men’s 1st had a last-minute crisis and needed a body to help them out for their match which was due to start shortly. Unluckily for the 1st I volunteered to help out. More luckily for the 1st Glenn was also around to play. Even though I’ve retired now I still have hockey kit in my bag just in case.

I did a quick google and worked out it was 7157days since last started a league match for the Harrow Men’s 1st and a little under 20 years later I got to run around for them again. Luckily for the team my near 60-year-old legs were only required for around 15 minutes of the match, subbing for Aaron and Charlie whose combined age is probably 10 years younger than me.

The result? A decent 4-2 win in which I played little part in any of our goals apart from distracting the oppo defenders, none of whom wanted to be responsible for letting an old man getting past them.

Next time, I’ll be back on the sidelines as the pace of life there is more to my liking there.

Tim

CLEAN SHEET COMPETITION

After two months of league matches, here's the leaderboard:

	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	TOTAL
PAULA	1	1	2
ADITYA	1	0	1
CHANDRIKA	0	1	1
LIBBY	0	0	0
WILL	0	0	0
YOOFI	0	0	0
CECILIA	0	0	0



KIT BUNDLE

With the winter months coming don't forget to get your Bobble Hat and Snood Bundle offer - £20 for both! You can place your order [HERE](#).



BOBBLE HAT
& SNOOD
BUNDLE

£20



EASY FUNDRAISING

Christmas shopping starts now! With Easyfundraising there are loads of great deals weekly, with discounts for you as well as a % donation made to us. It's as simple as ordering your weekly online grocery shop through the Easy Fundraising and we'll earn!

Click [HERE](#) to go on and shop, there's no better time to get organised!

SOCIAL DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Our next social is our “Annual Quiz Night”, THIS SATURDAY, Chandrika and Amy have put their brains (heads) together and come up with an engaging, alternative, and exciting quiz for us all to participate in! An added bonus..... there will be Curry too, for a fiver you can't go wrong! So, get yourself signed up and any additional people you're bringing just comment on Spond, so we can account for them for food. Look forward to seeing you all there.

QUIZ NIGHT

COME ALONG FOR DRINKS,
CURRIES AND SOME QUIZZING!

£5 Entry - Will be collected on
the night card or cash



Saturday 11th
November 2023



7pm



Lyonians Pavilion
South Vale
Harrow
HA1 3QF

CHRISTMAS PARTY

Since Covid we haven't been able to host our usual festive meal and party, BUT WE ARE BACK! We have an early bird ticket for £15 if you purchase before 18th November, so go sign up on Spond TODAY! The evening will consist of a Welcome glass of fizz, 3 course Christmas Meal, LIVE music and DJ. It promises to be an event not to miss!

Harrow Hockey Club's

CHRISTMAS PARTY

COME ALONG FOR A FESTIVE NIGHT!!!

Early Bird Tickets (until Nov 18th) - £15
General Tickets - £20

3 Course Christmas Meal
Live Music
Free Drink on Arrival



Saturday 9th
December 2023



7pm



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ANYONE FOR GOLF???

The social committee are looking to organise a club social at Big Shots Golf, Northwick Park. If you're interested, please contact Yoofi, Danny, Amy or Chandrika to express your interest.

BIG SHOTS GOLF

BUBBLY CHALLENGE IS BACK!

Please get intouch with Amy to sponsor a match this season!

Harrow HC Bubbly / Chocolate Challenge 2023-24

The bubbly challenge is back for the new season! Sponsors commit to buying a bottle of bubbly/box of chocolates for the team they have sponsored if they win their sponsored game. The cost is £13. The club will provide the prizes and the sponsor of the winning game will pay the club for a bottle. Bottles/chocolates will be given to the winning team at one of the organised social nights and sponsors are invited to come and join their team in celebrations!

DATE	TEAM	OPPOSITION	SPONSOR	RESULT
23 Sep	W2	West Hampstead 6		0-2
23 Sep	M2	Richmond Redoubtables		1-5
30 Sep	M1	H&W Thirsts		0-2
07 Oct	W2	West Herts 4	Kerri Lendon-Pett	1-2
07 Oct	M2	West Hampstead 9		3-3
14 Oct	W1	East London 2	Kerri Lendon-Pett	0-1
14 Oct	M1	West Hampstead 5		4-2
21 Oct	W2	Old Uxonians 1		5-0
21 Oct	M2	Southgate 7		2-1
04 Nov	M1	Indian Gymkhana 4	Chandrika Bali	
11 Nov	W2	OMT 3	Chandrika Bali	
11 Nov	M2	West Hampstead 8		
18 Nov	W1	H&W 5	Paula Redpath	
18 Nov	M1	Richmond Griffins		
25 Nov	W2	PHC Chiswick 4	Kate Shah	
25 Nov	M2	Osterley 2		
02 Dec	W1	East London 3	Tim Allman	
02 Dec	M1	West Hampstead 6		
09 Dec	W2	West Hampstead 7		
09 Dec	M2	PHC Chiswick 6		

DATE	TEAM	OPPOSITION	SPONSOR	RESULT
13 Jan	W1	Eascote 2	Amy Allman	
13 Jan	M1	West Herts 3		
20 Jan	W1	West Hampstead 2		
20 Jan	W2	Imperial College 1		
20 Jan	M2	Ealing 1		
27 Jan	W1	West Herts 2	Reece Patel	
27 Jan	M1	Ashford 2		
03 Feb	W2	PHC Chiswick 5		
03 Feb	M2	WH & Enfield 2		
10 Feb	W1	Spencer 3		
10 Feb	M1	Southgate 5		
24 Feb	W2	Hendon & Mill Hill 2		
24 Feb	M2	OMT 4		
02 Mar	W1	Eastcote 1		
02 Mar	M1	Osterley M1		
09 Mar	W2	Eastcote 5		
16 Mar	W1	Wapping 3		
23 Mar	W2	Ealing 2		
06 Apr	W1	PHC Chiswick 2		
06 Apr	M1	PHC Chiswick 4		

To sponsor a match contact Amy Allman at 07887385710 / amy.allman850@gmail.com

Payments to be made to Harrow Hockey Club, sort code 30-15-95, account number 00093767 – ref bubbly and sponsored game date

PAST MEMBERS POP BY

It was so lovely to see Holly and Pete Walkling as well as Jane Redpath pop along to the club to watch the Ladies 1's. However most importantly it was so good to meet little Arthur Walkling, he certainly stole the hearts of the ladies! We hope to see him on the pitch in a few years' time!



100 CLUB

The 100 Club is up and running again, and numbers are going fast! So please contact [Chandrika](#) to secure your number! Draws are held at the Christmas Party and the Dinner Dance, prizes on offer are:
 £100 | £50 | £25

HARROW HOCKEY CLUB'S

100 CLUB

£10 A SQUARE | PRIZES: 1ST £100 / 2ND £50 / 3RD £25 | CHRISTMAS & END OF SEASON DRAW

1 KATE	2	3 CHAND	4 KERRI	5 APRIL	6 KERRI	7 ALICE	8 CHAND	9 GLENN	10
11 HOLLY C	12	13 HARRIET	14	15 PETE KS	16 EVIE KS	17 KIM MATCHWICK	18 YOOFI	19	20
21 JOE KS	22 KIMBERLEY	23 LINDA KS	24	25 ZOE W	26	27 JONATHON	28 CIARA	29	30 SPARKEY
31 CIARA	32	33 NAT	34 EMMA	35	36	37 AMY	38 AMY	39	40
41	42	43 PAULA	44	45 IMRAN	46 KERRI	47	48 NIKESH	49	50
51	52	53	54 ARIANNA	55	56	57 CIARA	58	59	60
61	62 VINAY	63	64	65	66 LINDA KS	67	68	69 YOOFI	70
71	72	73 CIARA	74	75	76	77	78	79	80
81	82 AMY	83	84	85	86 HOLLY C	87 IMRAN	88 PAULA	89 KAITLYN	90
91	92	93	94	95	96	97	98 CHAND	99 ED	100 TASHA

UMPIRES CORNER

Our umpire coordinator, Mel, has been keeping a track of who's been out with their whistle supporting our teams on a Saturday, see the leaderboard below!

UMPIRE LEADERBOARD	
DON	7
TIM / KAMAL	3
KERRI	2
TASHA / SADIE / AMIRA / DANIEL / MEL	1

Our matches can't go ahead without umpires, so it would be great to see some new names added to this list. Contact [Mel](#) if you're interested in starting your umpiring journey.

The London Officiating team are working hard to promote and support umpiring. They are keen to increase the number of women in officiating. As a result, they are running the first women-focused officiating workshop of the season. This will be held on 21st November, it's a virtual session so you can participate from the comfort of your home. All you have to do is follow [@womeninhockeyofficiating](#) on Instagram and you will see details of how to sign up.

There is also a Young Umpires Scheme being launched, through this they will provide 1:1 mentoring from experienced umpires, group coaching sessions and club umpire development days. Watch out for details of this from Mel if she thinks you qualify to participate.

Finally, the team have also launched a new YouTube Channel, the link can be found [HERE](#) so go check it out!



JUNIOR UPDATE

Our U10's and U12's played in their first league tournaments on October 15th. We had some fantastic results, and all tournaments were competitive but with enjoyment at the heart of it all.



Our U16's and U14's have also been in league action:

U16 GIRLS

6-0

BARNES

U16 BOYS

7-2

SUNBURY & WALTON

U14 BOYS

2-5

H&W

CONGRATULATIONS!!

Firstly, to Aria Philips-Bhan who has been selected for Hertfordshire U13 we look forward to hearing about your matches.



Also, congratulations to Vinay, Daniel and Sadie who have all completed the "Introduction to Hockey" coaching course in October, they will all be helping out with the Junior coaching moving forward.

THANK YOU!

To Men's 1's GK Will for running some great GK sessions on Tuesday nights, it's been great to have some specialist coaching available and the kids are really enjoying it!

U6 STAR OF THE WEEK



Our Under 6's have continued to perform well and are our budding stars of the future! Here are this month's "Stars of the Week":



LILY



NIYAM



AKSH



AMAYUS



JEREMY



DATE FOR THE DIARY

Childrens Christmas Party
Sunday 10th December 11am - 1pm
Mr Marvel will be back to entertain
the U6, 8 & 10s

TOP GOAL SCORERS

With the matches now well under way the junior leaderboard is getting lots of entries!

See the full list [HERE](#).

The top players are:

ZACK	7
UNA	6
SADIE	6
ELLA	5
KAILAH	4
AVNI	3
ALEX	3

CHARITY CORNER

Nick Lendon is undertaking a charity boxing match on 16th December, in memory of his father and our late Chairman, Chris Lendon. Any support is gratefully received, please click [HERE](#) to donate, thank you in advance.

Tickets are now on sale [HERE](#)



FIH PRO LEAGUE

FIH Pro League

Tickets are now on sale for Great Britain's FIH Hockey Pro League 2024 home games. This year, enjoy more world-class hockey games per day, whilst an FIH Hockey Pro League trip remains cheaper than most other sporting and London days out.

[Book NOW to avoid disappointment!](#)



SUPER 6'S INDOOR FINALS DAY

Super 6's Finals Day sees the country's best indoor hockey teams play-off for the national title and a place in Europe. This year's event is being hosted at Derby Arena, with added perks like parking and bring your own food. The date is Sunday 28th January 2024, and you can purchase tickets [HERE](#)



