



# HOOP POINTS

*A Monthly Newsletter from Croquet SA*

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**THE SOUTH AUSTRALIAN CROQUET ASSOCIATION INC ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING  
WILL BE HELD ON TUESDAY 27TH OCTOBER 10AM AT HUTT ROAD**

## **POSITIONS BECOMING VACANT AT THE AGM**

### **BOARD**

President - Nomination Received E Ferguson (Salisbury)

Treasurer - Nomination received L Smith (Millswood)

Director Golf Croquet - no nomination

Director Assoc Croquet - no nomination

Director Sport Development - no nomination

To enquire about the duties of a board position please contact Eileen Ferguson [president@croquetsa.com.au](mailto:president@croquetsa.com.au)

Nomination forms can be found here near the bottom <https://www.croquetsa.com.au/croquet-sa/governance/>

and should be received by Croquet SA [croquetsa@bigpond.com](mailto:croquetsa@bigpond.com) by 3rd October. Motions must be received by 29 Sept.

## **OFFICER POSITIONS BECOMING VACANT**

Registration Officer

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Newsletter

GC Refereeing

## **GOLF CROQUET DOUBLES 8+**

On the 4<sup>th</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> of August the Golf Croquet 8+ Doubles competition was held at Hutt Road. The event was played in extremely good spirits. All matches were a high standard and very even. Near the end three teams were tied on 7 wins. Ansi Baumanis and Colleen Lane eventually pulled away with 8 wins, separated by net hoops from Robert Brown and Barbara Bertram with 8 wins who finished second ahead of Kym and Ann Millhouse with 7 wins. It was a friendly and respectful tournament played in cold wintry conditions.

Six pairs entered but one pair was forced to withdraw.

North Adelaide Croquet Club managed the event very smoothly. Many thanks to the following referees for giving so much of their time and expertise. They were Karen Magee, Anne Woodhouse, Bernie Pfitzner, Barry Jennings, Graeme Thomas and John Arney. This was an entertaining event. Please think of entering next year.

*Kevin Le Poidevin North Adelaide Croquet Club*



*Barbara Bertram/Robert Brown, Ansi Baumanis/Colleen Lane*



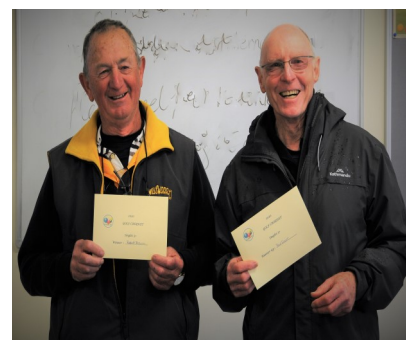
## **GOLF CROQUET 3+ SINGLES**

The 3+ GC Singles was managed by Brighton Croquet Club held at Hutt Road over 3 days starting Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> August. Each person playing the others in 2 game matches.

10 players participated and after day 1 the top seeded players, as expected were leading. Given it was a double game, single round robin, the draw meant they played the higher handicap players on that day.

Day 2 saw Joan Glastonbury of Glenunga make a concerted attempt at challenging the early leaders, winning 3 matches.

The winner of the event, Robert Brown of Millswood was the top ranked player and won 5 of his 9 matches. Paul Ensor of South Terrace was the runner-up, also with 5 match wins but less net games.



*Winner Robert Brown: Runner up Paul Ensor*

## **ASSOCIATION CROQUET EVENTS**

### **Maslen Brooch and Lewis Badge**

These events were held concurrently on August 11<sup>th</sup> to 13<sup>th</sup>, 2020. The Maslen Brooch is for women with a handicap of 6 or more and the Lewis Badge is for men with handicap of 6 or more.

There were four women in the Maslen Brooch so it was played as a double round robin.

The Maslen Brooch was won by Liz Mackenzie with five wins. Runner-up was Lyn Parnell with 4 wins.

There were six men in the Lewis Badge.

The Lewis Badge was won by Philip Hadley from Geoffrey Wheaton. Both had three wins but Philip had the better net hoop score.

Thanks to Glenunga Croquet Club for managing the event.

## GOLF CROQUET STATE TEAM ANNOUNCEMENT

Although Croquet Australia has recently announced they will not be conducting an Inter-State Shield (ISS) this year the GC Selectors with the support of the Croquet SA Board has decided to name the team that would have competed. A number of players have been practicing hard in readiness for the competition that would have been held in Tasmania in December and some have been rewarded with a place in the team. Practice will continue as we now plan for ISS 2021 (in Tasmania) but has already tapered off somewhat. Please congratulate those selected.

The ISS team chosen by selectors for 2020 is:

Men	Women
Barry Haydon	Virginia Arney
Heath Jackson	Norma Greig
Barry Jennings	Julianne Jago
Ron McBride	Kate Logan
Mick Reidy	Karen Magee
John Arney (Res)	Bernie Pfitzner (Res)

In addition, in recognition of his considerable contribution to the team / sport over recent years Jim Grindrod has been elected unanimously by the team as Honorary Captain. Jim has not been physically able to compete lately but he and wife Julie are still keen to support the team in any way they can as he continues his battle with cancer.

The selectors are currently Barry Haydon (Chair), Helen Cook, Joan Glastonbury & Heath Jackson) but the positions on the selection panel are now considered vacant. Anyone who is interested in assisting the sport by joining the committee should discuss with Barry Haydon ([bandjhaydon@gmail.com](mailto:bandjhaydon@gmail.com)) or apply to GC Director Graeme Thomas ([grazzadi@bigpond.com](mailto:grazzadi@bigpond.com)).

*Barry Haydon*

## RESOURCES FOR CLUBS

**Good Sports** plays a central role in supporting clubs to keep people active, healthy, socially connected and safe. It's an excellent example of a how we can prevent and minimise the harm caused by alcohol and other drugs, promote healthy behaviours, enhance participation, and support club integrity and sustainability.



Good Sports have been busily developing a suite of resources to reflect the current pandemic effects on community sports clubs. Further details can be found at <https://goodsports.com.au/safely-restarting/> and are regularly adding resources and information to support clubs through these trying times. Just released some toolkits based on using social media, fundraising, sponsorship and grant applications to assist clubs with the financial side of things in addition to all the existing resources to help clubs with responsible service of alcohol and maintaining a healthy and inclusive, safe sporting environment

If your club would like to join Good Sports and be fast tracked to Level 3 by completing a survey please let Cathy know.

### ACTIVE CLUB PROGRAM - NOW OPEN, CLOSES 23 SEPT

ALL Clubs are encouraged to apply for funding in this program either for equipment or community programs, up to \$3000 per club! What are you waiting for?? Here are the details and link to apply <https://www.orsr.sa.gov.au/funding/apply-for-funding/active-club-program>

### STARCLUB CLUB DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM

A STARCLUB is a well-run club where quality coaches and officials work alongside valued volunteers in a safe and welcoming environment.

Why not measure your club against the STARCLUB criteria? You will then receive information and support to gradually build your club so it can provide the best environment possible for your members and the wider community.

Joining StarClub gives you a better chance of a successful Active Club Grant application too!

Join StarClub today <https://www.starclub.sa.gov.au/>

### CROQUET SA CLUB RESOURCE PAGE

All clubs are encouraged to utilize the information on this page to support your club and committee members. There is heaps of information here on several subjects. <https://www.croquetsa.com.au/members/club-resources/>

## UPCOMING EVENTS 2020

### SEPTEMBER

- 5-6 **AC** President's Trophy (Invitation event)  
 7 **GC** Glenunga gala Entry fee \$20 includes lunch Contact yvonnerosevear@hotmail.com 0427 860 361  
 8-15 **GC** Spring Singles9+ Entry fee \$34 Entries to esportsdesk.com  
 10-17 **GC** Spring singles 5+ Entry fee \$34 Entries to esportsdesk.com  
 22-24 **AC** Div 3 singles 8+ Entry fee \$40 Entries to roger.buddle@internode.on.net  
 30 **GC** Family Fun Day 2 sessions Entry FREE inc. sausage sizzle. At least one U21 participant  
 Register with Trish Fazackerley 0434 281 042  
 29-1 Oct **GC** U21 Championships

### OCTOBER

- 2 **GC** North Adelaide Handicap Singles Cost \$6 for 3 matches Contact Kevin LePoidevin 0403 836 954  
 kevinlepoidevin@gmail.com  
 3-5 **AC** C B Sharp Gold Medal (Open) Entries to roger.buddle@internode.on.net  
 6-13 **GC** Doubles combined 20+ Entries to esportsdesk.com  
 8-11 **GC** SA Gold Medal handicap Open Entries to esportsdesk.com  
 9-13 **AC** Port Lincoln Tournament  
 16-18 **AC** Open Mens Singles Entry fee \$40 Entries to roger.buddle@internode.on.net  
 16-18 **AC** Open Womens Singles Entry fee \$40 Entries to roger.buddle@internode.on.net  
 20-22 **GC** SA Bronze Medal handicap 9+ Entries to esportsdesk.com  
 21 **GC** Tes Tree Gully gala Contact Bev Pinchbeck 0418 857 528  
 24-25 **AC** ACA Bronze Medal (Invitation event)  
 28-1 Nov **GC** Spring Open Singles Men and Women Entries to esportsdesk.com

### NOVEMBER

- 3-5 **AC** Open Doubles Entries to roger.buddle@internode.on.net  
 17-19 **AC** Hatwell Gold Medal 3+ Entry fee \$40 Entries to roger.buddle@internode.on.net

### 2021 MASTERS GAMES 15-18 April

hosted by Yorke Peninsula Copper Coast. Website Copper Coast Information Centre 8821 2333 or  
 visit@coppercoast.sa.gov.au

**WCF** delays 2020-2023 events by one year.

Schedule update <https://worldcroquet.org/index.php/latest-news/413-10-year-championship-schedule-update>

**SACA LAWNS: Players are reminded to use the ramps and steps with handrails provided when exiting the lawns—especially in wet weather**—please avoid stepping on the sleeper surrounds which can become slippery when wet.

### AC PLAYERS: STATE TEAM

Register your interest with AC Selection Committee Lyn Parnell [filly.88@hotmail.com](mailto:filly.88@hotmail.com)

### BE A COVID SAFE CLUB

Please continue to adhere to the SAPOL Directives that are currently in place.

- All clubs must have a current Covid Safe Plan displayed at the club. Get your plan <https://www.covid-19.sa.gov.au/business-and-work/create-a-covid-safe-plan>
- All Clubs must have a trained Covid Marshal at all times when club is open and marshals must be able to produce either a digital or hard copy of their certificate. Training is available here <https://marshal.clickontraining.com.au/>. The marshal's role is to ensure adherence to the Covid Safe Plan at the club.
- All clubs please continue to clean premises and equipment thoroughly before and after use. **Ball cleaning:** Please clean the balls after play with warm soapy water—sanitiser results in discolouration. Alcohol wipes are provided for timers, laptop keyboard and mouse at Hutt Road.
- . All members must maintain 1.5m separation and sanitise upon entry to premises
- If you are sick, stay home.
- If unsure, read our Covid Information page <https://www.croquetsa.com.au/covid-19-information/> or contact us for specific enquiries [croquetsa@bigpond.com](mailto:croquetsa@bigpond.com)

**REGISTRATION FEES** for all Croquet SA players for 3 months 1 July to 30 September 2020:

City \$28.50 inc GST, Country \$18.75 inc GST, Student (18-25 with ID card) city \$13.75 inc GST, country \$8.25 inc GST, Juniors (under 18 as at 1/7/19) city and country free. Club affiliation \$66 for clubs with < 40 members; \$110 for clubs with 40+ members

For new players who join as the year goes on Secretaries please note that Registration fees are reduced every quarter in January, April and July and are published on the back page of the Hoop Points newsletter. Please use the correct fee when sending in your registration form.

Thank you.

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