



# HALLS HEAD COUNTRY CROQUET CLUB INC

Est. 1983

**2023/24**

## About Us

*Halls Head Country Croquet Club is a friendly, active club with around 55 members. Golf croquet is the main form that is played at the club but Association and Ricochet croquet can be played by arrangement. We have three full size courts, two now with flood lights, and we play regularly three days a week. New players are very welcome to visit and have a go at croquet. Just call into the club any Wednesday morning, Friday morning or Saturday afternoon, or contact us to arrange a time to try the game of croquet.*

*All ages can play croquet, and the challenge the game provides may surprise you. All instruction and equipment provided.*

*Accredited coaches are available to assist you.*

## Location

*We are situated in Mandurah at 1 Sticks Boulevard (corner of Old Coast Road) Erskine, just south of the Estuary Bridge – first turn left.*

## Contact Us

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## Playing Days

<b>Association</b>	<b>By arrangement</b>
<b>Ricochet</b>	<b>By arrangement</b>
<b>Golf</b>	<b>Wednesday, Friday 9.00 am – 12.30 pm</b>
	<b>Saturday 1.00 pm – 5.00 pm</b>

*Visitors are always made most welcome at our club.*

## About Croquet

*Croquet is a game that can be played at any level. You can enjoy the game socially, or play competitively in the many tournaments that are held locally, around Australia, and overseas.*

## The Game

*At our Club, three different forms of croquet are played –*

- Golf Croquet with continuous play by players in order. This can be played as singles or doubles. Games take about 45 minutes. Players need good stroke play to keep control of the game and hinder opponents. Golf croquet is easily learned and new players can join in the game very quickly.*

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- *Association Croquet can be played as singles or doubles and games take from 1 to 3 hours. One player is on the lawn at a time while the opposition sits to the side. While waiting their turn doubles partners can discuss tactics to be used. In singles the 'off' player plans his/her next move while waiting for their turn. It is a very interesting game and one which is worth-while taking time to learn.*
- *Ricochet Croquet, a simplified version of Association Croquet.*

## Club History

*Halls Head Country Croquet Club was formed in 1983 with the coaching of members on the Mandurah foreshore. The present site was donated to the Club and new greens were opened in 1986. Improvements to our club are on-going and we have a bright future.*

## Club Activities

- \* *Our club organises several social events for members.*
- \* *Halls Head Country Croquet members enjoy visits to and from other clubs. We look forward to visits from other clubs for social games this year.*
- \* *Halls Head Country Croquet and RAAFA Meadow Springs Croquet Club members take part in 'Dolly Day' annually. Games of golf croquet are very keenly contested with trophy 'Dolly' going to the winning team. A great day with plenty of good croquet and entertainment.*
- *The Club hosts several Croquet West-sponsored AC and a GC tournaments.*
- \* *Our Spring Carnival is an annual tournament held over the holiday weekend in September 2023. It was first held in 1984. Golf doubles games are played in a fun atmosphere and players from around the State participate.*
- \* *Add to the above are a number of the within Club tournaments plus tournaments that the Club hosts on behalf of WACA, and you can see that our Club has an extremely busy, fun calendar.*

*7<sup>th</sup> October 2023*

*Want to find out more about Halls Head Country Croquet Club?*

*Pay us a visit, give us a call or email us*