



HALLS HEAD CROQUET CLUB NEWSLETTER Aug. 2024



BATTLE OF THE SEXES - DOUBLES TOURNAMENT was held with great hilarity on Wednesday 10th and Friday 12th July. The boys won by 10 games to 6 and the girls are determined to reverse that result next year. Thanks to Bernie for organising that, marshalling, doing the scoring and all the other things he does for us. We're grateful.



TERRY AND THE WATER PROBLEMS ON COURT 3

Terry and his grounds team have been working to improve the water flow on court 3, as we had real problems last summer with dead patches and the court having to be reduced in size. Hopefully with the additional sprinklers, the problem will be solved once the growing season starts the grass up again.

We are all grateful to our grounds people who work away un-lauded. Thank you all.

Any item for your newsletter ? Please send to Sheila.twine@bigpond.com



WA STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS - GC DOUBLES - C GRADE

Saturday Sunday 20/21st July 28, 2024 hosted by Halls Head.

Winning pair from Moorabinda, Bill Waugh and Michel Bruyer, with runners up from Cambridge - Amanda Hurt and Dunsborough - Dani Nelson. Halls Head players did well with some playing in their first State Championship. Bernie, competent as usual, ran the tournament for us. Jenny and her team put on the food to keep players warm through the rain

NEW PLAYERS JOINING US Please welcome Reg and Gayle Yates, Mike Burgess and Gwen Meredith. They have all had their three free coaching sessions and have put in their application forms to join our club.



DIARY NOTES Marty Clarke is holding **coaching sessions** at Mandurah Croquet club on **Thursday 8th August, 1 – 4pm and Sunday 11th Aug 10am – 1pm.** Marang@westnet.com.au well worth joining. Cost \$10 pay on day. Booking required

AGM Wednesday 21st August after croquet Nomination forms are on the table for you. We need new people to put up their hands to help us run the club.

August 26th and 27th AC State Div 3 Singles Championship. Hosted at Halls Head. Helpers needed with catering please. See Jenny Ingle if you can spare an hour or two.



MONTHLY LUNCHEON held at Bellini's on 31st July. We try different places each month so come and join us on 4th Wednesday after croquet. List on table for you to add your name. Good to get together socially to find out about our lives off the croquet court !!