



THE CROQUET PLAYER

Kingston Croquet Club Inc.

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TCA Representative: Bob Beattie

Scheduled days for Social Play.

Please Note: Draws for play are conducted at 9:55 am for the morning session and 12.55 pm for the afternoon session, so please try to arrive prior to the draws.

Please consider bringing something for morning or afternoon tea to share.

	Morning	Afternoon
Monday	Association	Golf Croquet
Tuesday	Association	Play by arrangement
Wednesday	Play by arrangement	Golf Croquet
Thursday	Association	Play by arrangement
Friday	Golf Croquet	Play by arrangement
Saturday	Association	Association and Golf
Sunday	Play by arrangement	Play by arrangement

Housekeeping Roster

24 Nov – 7 Dec

Sally Liggins and Jessica Randle-Young

8 Dec - 21 Dec 19

Elaine Roomes and Sue Beattie

22 Dec 19 - 4 Jan 20

Toni Davidson and Eraine Johnston

Member Achievements: -

TCA Association Croquet Men's Medals Competition

Kingston was well represented at this competition with 6 of the 10 competitors from our club.

Congratulations to **Peter Ross** *(photo)*

(Kingston). He won the competition by winning all 9 games. Ian Bassett (New Town) was second and **Zok Malceskis** **(Kingston)** was third.



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Up-coming Competitions:

AC Medals

The weekend of 29th November – 1st December will see 13 of our AC players competing in the Gold, Silver and Bronze Medals.

The Gold medal is to be held at Kingston and we encourage members to come along and support the 8 members who are participating. This is a good opportunity to see top class "Association" play.

Calling for assistance:

Can you help by providing something for morning or afternoon tea on any of the 3 days and /or assist with making some tea/coffee for the players?

If so, please provide details on the sheet in the Clubroom.

GC Singles Championships

4 of our members will be travelling to Launceston for the weekend of 6th – 8th December to compete in the GC Singles Competition

We wish all members who participating in both these competitions the best of luck.

Reminder: Christmas Celebration Lunch



When: Monday 9th December

Time: 12 noon

Where: The Beach, Blackmans Bay

Cost: \$40.00pp

RSVP and Payment due by 2nd December

Golf Croquet Pennant Season

Golf Croquet Pennant Season commences in the new year.

Playing in the Pennant Competition provide you with an additional challenge, opportunity to improve your skills and develop friendships with other croquet players – it is a very good social activity in which to participate.



We encourage all members to consider playing in the pennant competition.

We will be entering teams in all 4 divisions:

The divisions, handicap ranges and days of play are –

<u>Division</u>	<u>Handicap Range</u>	<u>Day of Play</u>
Division 1	-6 to 20	Thursdays
Division 2	5 to 20	Wednesdays
Division 3	8 to 20	Tuesdays
Division 4	10 to 20	Wednesdays

If you are interested in playing pennant, please fill-in the sheet on the table in the Clubroom by Wednesday 11th December

Kingston Library Croquet Display

Our Display at the Kingston Library is fantastic – thanks to Robbie Lee and Cathy Norris.

The display will be on for the rest of November

Please drop in and have a look.



Spring Carnival Celebration

This Celebration was very successful with all members who attended enjoying excellent food and company





Lawn Mowing and Maintenance

Please note that the lawns will be closed from 3.00pm on Tuesday and Friday each week, for mowing and maintenance.

Thank you.

Items for Sale

Club Badges: Metal badges are available for purchase from any committee member - \$5.00 each



Mallets: The newish club mallets being stored in the clubhouse are for sale. They can be purchased for \$225. If you are interested, please talk to a committee member.

- If you would like to advertise something for sale in this section of the newsletter please email details to Margaret Pinkard (margaret.pinkard@live.com)

Please Note: items will be included at the discretion of the Committee.