

HOOP POINTS

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****** CROQUET RETURNS *******



The Board of Croquet SA sincerely thanks all committees and members for their support, patience and understanding whilst we have all had to come to terms with a major impact on our sport over the past 2 months. We are very grateful to club committees who have risen to unprecedented challenges to re-open their doors for our members enabling them to enjoy the sport once more. Well done everyone!

Our Committees are also working hard, busily rescheduling events at state and local level, many thanks to everyone involved in this transition, particularly Karen, Roger and Peter.

There are significant changes to how we conduct ourselves at all venues. Please continue to help each other comply with the current restrictions and the "new way of doing things", sometimes we all need a reminder.

Remember, the motto - "Get In, Play, Get Out" still applies.

It is timely that we have also celebrated **National Volunteer Week** during this period (18-24 May). What a time for volunteers it has been! Again, well done and thank you, croquet in SA would be nothing without you.



Volunteers celebrating at Salisbury club

CROQUET SA RE-SCHEDULED EVENTS (not including pennants) FOR THE REMAINDER OF 2020 FLIERS WILL BE ADVERTISED ON GOOGLEGROUPS PRIOR TO EACH EVENT ASSOCIATION CROQUET

June 20 – 21 Mixed Handicap Doubles

June 22 – 25 Division 4 Singles (14+) (concurrent with Marryatville Silver)

June 22 - 25 Marryatville Silver Medal (8+) (concurrent with Div 4 Singles)

July 13 - 16 Division 2 (2.5+) Singles

July 25 – 26 Selector's Invitation

August 11 – 13 Maslen Brooch (Women 6+)

August 11 – 13 Lewis Badge (Men 6+)

August 25 – 27 Harvey Bronze Medal (14+)

September 5 – 6 President's Trophy (Invitation Event)

September 22 - 24 M E Hatwell Gold Medal (3+)

October 3 – 5 C B Sharp Gold Medal (Open)

October 16 - 18 Open Men's Singles

October 16 - 18 Open Women's Singles

October 24 – 25 ACA Bronze Medal (Invitation Event)

November 3 - 5 Open Doubles

November 17 – 19 Division 3 Singles (8+)

GOLF CROQUET

Doubles Individual 9+	Tues to Thurs	7 Jul to 9 Jul	Aldinga
Open Doubles	Fri to Sun	17 Jul to 19 Jul	Norwood
Doubles Combined 8+	Tue to Thu	4 Aug to 6 Aug	North Adelaide
3+ Singles	Tues to Thurs	18 Aug to 20 Aug	Brighton
Spring Singles 9+	2 Tues	8 Sept and 15 Sept	Holdfast Bay
Spring Singles 5+	2 Thurs	10 Sept and 17 Sept	North Adelaide
Under 21 Championship	Tues to Thurs	29 Sept to 1 Oct	Hyde Park
Doubles Combined 20+	Tues	6 and 13 Oct	Victor Harbor
SA Gold Medal (Hcp Open)	Thurs to Sun	8 Oct to 11 Oct	Norwood
SA Bronze Medal (Hcp 9+)	Tues to Thurs	20 Oct to 22 Oct	Brighton
Spring Open Singles M & W	Thurs to Sun	29 Oct to 1 Nov	Millswood
Singles 12+	Wed	11-Nov	Aldinga
ACA Bronze Medal (Invitation)	ТВА		Millswood



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UPCOMING EVENTS 2020

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10-11 GC Modified ISO singles at Hutt Road. 3 x 45 min games Cost \$6 Entries to kmageewb@gmail.com

20-21 **AC** Selectors' Invitation

22-25 AC Div 4 singles 14+ Entry fee \$40 Entries close 12 June Entries to roger.buddle@internode.on.net

AC Marryatville Silver Medal 8+ Entry fee \$40 Entries close 12 June Entries to

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JULY

22-25

13-16 **AC** Div 2 Singles 2.5+

31July-2Aug AC Hyde Park Alfred James Invitation

AUGUST

11-13 AC Maslen Brooch/Lewis Badge 6+ 25-27 AC Harvey Bronze Medal 14+

SEPTEMBER

22-24 AC Hatwell Gold Medal 3+

WCF delays 2020-2023 events by one year

RESTRICTED CONDITIONS OF PLAY AT HUTT ROAD

- No one should enter the venue who has any cold/respiratory symptoms, who has had or been in contact with anyone with Covid 19 in the past 14 days.
- All attendees must complete the attendance sheet
- No spitting anywhere in venue
- Spectators are permitted in line with the Covid Safe Plan (20 inside, 80 outside).
- **The clubhouse** can be used WITH RESTRICTIONS. **Max. 20 inside** keep 1.5m apart One person at a time should sign in, sanitise and put their bags down. Players may leave bags/personal belongings inside.

No use of any Hutt Road cups/spoons/crockery. Players must bring their own cup/spoon for coffee/tea. A limited supply of disposable cups may be available for 50c but please try to bring your own. Event Manager to take lids off containers at start of event and replace at the end please and dispose of any used cups/stirrers. Players may bring their lunch and eat it at the table (1 person at each end of table) and bring any cutlery or crockery required. Any meal purchased (including alcoholic drink) must be consumed seated at tables. No sharing of food. No standing at the bar. Snacks purchased (cans of drink/chips) can be consumed outdoors but must not be shared. No use of urns, kettles, or other shared drink containers.

- **Outdoor Chairs -** bench seats one person seated at each end of the seat, other outdoor chairs may be used spaced 1.5 metres apart
- **Lawns** Players must always maintain a distance of 1.5 metres with one person per 4 sqm. Refer to Covid Safe Plan for venue limit (80 outside).
- **Hand Sanitiser or stringent hand washing** must be done by all players prior to and after play. In addition players may use disposable gloves provided and discard after play.
- **Equipment One person per lawn** should set up and one person pack down lawns. Disinfectant spray must be used on all equipment used **except balls** including trolleys, hammers, door knobs. Spray pump sanitiser and hand sanitiser is in the shed and dries on contact. If balls are touched they can be washed inside (instructions inside). Alternatively use gloves for all equipment including balls and discard after use.
- Timers, clips and lawn dividers are not to be used without gloves or sanitation before and after use. Flags for AC use an additional white peg instead of a corner flag to show where the corner spot is if necessary.
- **Balls** should be handled as little as possible. Players could use their feet for ball placement in AC or any player may wear disposable gloves.
- Players must <u>leave the venue immediately after play/meeting</u> signing out and cleaning hands

Thank you for your cooperation and assistance.

REGISTRATION FEES for all Croquet SA players for 6 months 1 April to 30 September 2020:

City \$85.50 inc GST, Country \$56.25.00 inc GST, Student (18-25 with ID card) city \$41.25 inc GST, country \$24.75 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

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