

CROQUET COMMUNIQUE – 8th July 2021

Philpott Cup

The weekend of the 26/27 June, 2021, saw the Annual Association Croquet 'B' Level Tournament for the Philpott Cup. As always, managed with great enthusiasm and precision by Nigel Aspinall, who ran an excellent competition.

Sixteen players from many different clubs competed, over the two days, culminating in a final, which was won by David Mooney, (Roehampton Club). Stephen Allen, (Hurlingham) was runner-up. Well done to David Mooney!



Croquet Association Golf Croquet Murphy Cup

On 28th June, Roehampton Club played against Cheam in the Golf Croquet Murphy Cup. 2-1 down at lunch we failed to gain an advantage and sadly lost. Roehampton Club Team: John Pearson, Nicholas Halton, Anne Wilkinson, and Mike Tumath.

Croquet Association Interclub Association Croquet Club

Having drawn Surbiton in this round, it has proved difficult to complete the match in one day.

The early matches went Surbiton's way, and they led 3-0 at lunch. However, despite a fight back by Tim Russell and an excellent display by Mark Van Loon against Samir Patel, we lost the match 2-4.

British Open Doubles AC Croquet

Last weekend, 3rd and 4th July, the Croquet Association A/C Open Doubles was played at Surbiton. Roehampton Club Members, Harry Fisher, Tim Russell and Reg Bamford were all competing.

Tim Russell, partnering Mark Ormerod won his first round, but failed to make the Championship Knock Out.

Harry Fisher, (partner Alain Giraud), made it to the quarterfinals, where he lost to Reg Bamford, (partner Pete Trimmer), who went on to lose in the final, to James Death and Samir Patel.

Harry Fisher is competing in the Croquet Association Open Singles from 4 July at Surbiton.

Enjoy your Croquet!

Mike Pattison

Croquet Captain