

LEIGHTON-LINSLADE CROQUET CLUB

NEWSLETTER

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Membership

Welcome to all new members. We now have 35, a few more would probably enable us to organise another session. If you have a strong preference for a particular day (morning or evening) please let Margaret know (373860).

Croquet Association

The club in now affiliated to the Croquet Association and so we receive various notices/booklets. These are kept in the 'library' box in the cupboard or on the notice board. Have a look at them; you will find them interesting. Discounts on equipment are listed in the handbook. Copies of croquet rules may be borrowed.

Coaching Sessions *

A very successful afternoon on Saturday 10th June was spent on the lawns in the sunshine with John Bevington from Wrest Park. John coached about a dozen members in Association Croquet, and from the way members are now approaching the game, this session was extremely useful. Thank you John.

Toilet Key

The public toilet at the end of the Pavilion is closed after teatime. We have a key in the cupboard. Please ensure non-club members are not locked in! It is best if they do not realise we have access.

Refreshments

There is a box with tea/coffee in the Pavilion, kindly donated by members. You will need to bring milk if required. Thanks to Martin Field for the kettle to replace Margaret's which finally gave up.

Rubbish - please take it to the nearest litter bin near the loos.

Watch the Experts

If you would like to see world-class experts play ring the Croquet Association (020 7736 3148) for tickets to attend the British Open Championships at Hurlingham 3rd – 9th July.

Committee Members

The committee still need more members – mainly to be on the rota for opening the Pavilion and setting up the lawns with hoops and pegs. There are about 3 meetings a year and a few informal chats. If you think this is something you could offer please ring Margaret. We look forward to hearing from you.

Newsletters

If you have any items that you would like included in the next Newsletter please let Elaine know.

*A further session could be arranged - watch out for date!