





Cambridge City v Harborne

England Hockey Division One North

Sunday 15 October 2023

MATCHDAY PROGRAMME 2023/2024



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Welcome to the Olympic Dave Arena,

Last week was generally speaking not a good week for the club so we move onto brighter things this weekend hopefully!

The highlight on Saturday and on Sunday was the Womens 6th XI winning 5-0 and 3-0. I caught some of the Sunday game and it was a real pleasure to see Naomi dominate midfield and Natasha, who was Social Secretary when I joined the club fifteen years ago, bossing it up top. It was a delight to see a team that was a blend of experience and youth, working together and having such fun. A big thanks to Hatti who took time out of her Sunday to help make that game happen in extraordinary heat! I will also say it was a delight to see my old Ely clubmate Holly Radcliffe get her maiden goal for CCHC this past weekend!

The womens 1s had a frustrating 2-2 draw against fellow table toppers St Albans. The draw gives Repton a sniff of catching up a bit so this Saturday's game away to Repton is vital. With the W1s in mind happy 18th to everyone's favourite defender, Charlotte! Charlotte has been with us from youth team to 1st XI. She is a lovely person, a brilliant player and well loved by all of us. Congratulations also to Holly on her 1st XI debut! I hope to get a chance to see the squad play soon but can take great comfort in the results and Emily McStea's weekly highlight package on Instagram!

The mens 1s had a disappointing loss at home to Olton & West Warwickshire. Conor Annand bagged two nice goals and there were a lot of reasons for optimism with plenty of penalty corners in our favour. Nat clearly has learnt a thing or two from his wife Hannah, chasing down every ball and set up a brilliant second goal for Conor. The product of Nat's massive shift. What was definitely a positive was the big crowd at the Vicki Franks "Stan"d cheering the team on, more of this please!

Off pitch my thanks to Geoff, Jacob and Anna who were instrumental in organising a successful game of "Ou est le poulet?" last weekend. It was well attended and the photos will burn eternal in our memories!

Our umpires today are Neil Smith and Matt Claxton, our Match Official is Matt White. I hope all three of you have enjoyable games and everyone behaves!

I want to take this opportunity to wish a speedy recovery to our NPUA colleague who fell ill in the City of Peterborough v Barford Tigers game last week. We are all grateful to the quick action of the players on pitch and the spectators to ensure the best possible outcome.

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Simon Webb Honorary Vice President

LAST WEEK IN CCHC

W1 drew 2-2 at home to St Albans
(Emily McStea & May Busher)
W2 lost 3-2 away to Bishop Stortford
(Catriona MacIver and Millie Ely)
W3 lost 7-0 away to Cambridge University
W4 lost 1-0 away to Spalding
W5 lost 4-3 at home to Cambridge South 2nd XI
(Lottie Biddlecombe, Imogen Tooley & Holly Radcliffe)
W6 won 5-0at home to Bourne Deeping 2nd XI
Becky Hennell x2, Catrina Smith, Sam Surridge & Tara Clancy)
W6 won 3-0 at home to Cambridge University 4th XI
(Dalin Li, Emily Hill & Natasha Blatcher)



Emma Owens reacting to some stinky chat before the W2s game. (c) Simon Webb



Natasha Blatcher ready to pounce on a Uni defender for the W6s. (c) Simon Webb



LAST WEEK IN CCHC

M1 lost 3-2 at home to Olton & West Warwickshire (Conor Annand x2)

M2 drew 1-1 away to Dereham

(Ethan Smythe)

M3 won 4-3 at home to Bourne Deeping

(Henry Denny-Gouldson x2, David Gibson, Samuel Cortinhas)

M4 lost 1-0 away to St Ives

M6 lost 3-0 away to Cambridge South 3rd XI

M7 won 4-0 at home to Spalding 3rd XI

(Nigel Anns, Tom Hill x2, Stuart Perry - Not Bill Davidson)



Will we soon see Dilip Hendrickx subbing in for Dilip van Doren soon for the 1st XI?

(c) Simon Webb



One of the easier calls for the umpires last weekend! (c) Simon Webb



SQUADS: CCHC Men

- 1 Connor Robson (GK)
- 2 Tom Robson
- 4 Henry Ormrod
- 5 Redvers Wilbur
- 6 Hamish Weir
- 7 Nat Farrant (C)
- 8 Charlie Norman
- 9 Adam Price
- 10 Conor Annand
- 11 Callum Middleton
- 12 Zander Wynne-Jones
- 13 Dilip Goyal
- 14 Duncan Rudd
- 15 Alex Drummond
- 16 Gerrit Farren
- 17 Barney Turner
- 20 Henry Green

Coach: Grant Gilmour

Assistant Coaches: Sam Coe & Conor Annand

Manager: Nigel Anns



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OFFICIALS

Umpire: Neil Smith

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Match Official: Matt White





Hopefully a few less cards will be needed from the umpires this week! (c) Simon Webb



Hatti channelling her inner Travolta while umpiring the W6s. (c) Simon Webb



SQUADS: Harborne

Daniel Whittingham (GK)

Ralph Weissen

Peter Jackson

Adam Forrest

Tim Idoine (C)

Adam Harriman

James Hall

Cameron Ley

Alex Idoine

Louie Morris

Mike Baddeley

James Harrison

Jake Litchfield

Tom Poustie

Ben Sale

Tom Thorne

Oli Horsler

Michael Griffiths

Niall Devaney

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