

Annual Fundraising Dinner 2025-26



We hope you have a fantastic time!

Thank you for attending Hampstead & Westminster Hockey Club's annual fundraising dinner and for your continued support.

Proceeds from the dinner will be used to ensure HWHC continues to be one of the largest and most successful junior, senior and performance hockey clubs in England.

HWHC LIMITED

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Agenda

6:00 | Arrival & Drinks

6:40 | Move to Tables & buy Raffle tickets (5 tickets for £10)

6:50 | Welcome

7:15 | Heads & Tails - £10 per person to participate

7:20 | Starters

8:10 | Main Course

8:45 | Richard Sykes

9:00 | Live Auction – Part 1

9:30 | Live Auction – Part 2

10:00 | Raffle Winners Announced

10:30 | Bar and socialise

Auction

Introducing our Auctioneers:

Andy Brookes

&

Alex Smart



This part of the evening is all about having some fun and a laugh, and if you go home and celebrate like this, then we know you've had a good time!



A special thank you

**to our Ladies and Men's 1s table hosts and event organisers
and volunteers**

Esme Burge - L1s (Captain), England and Great Britain

Dave Cooper - L1s Head Coach

Catherine Ledesma - L1s, England

Sofia Martin - L1s, England

Joie Leigh - L1s, England and Great Britain

Pippa Lewis - L1s, England

Tyler Lench - L1s, New Zealand

Phoebe Willars - L1s, England

Lauren Hunt - L1s, England

Rupert Shipperley - M1s (Captain), Wales and Great Britain

Ted Graves - M1s, England

Hywel Jones - M1s, Wales

Jared Pancia - M1s, New Zealand

James Oates - England and Great Britain

Alex Smart - Head of Youth & Development and Talent Academy

Beatriz Lemos - Junior Parent

Boud Dierick - Club Treasurer, Supervets & Junior Parent

Alisha Robinson - Ladies Club Captain

Seb Darke - Men's Club Captain

A special thank you to all of our generous prize donors

Raffle

Junior Club
The Mall Tavern (Nati Perritt)
Wolfpack Bars
Duncan Bendall & Jenny Rix-Trott
Jo Edmondson
Yotam Ottolenghi
Bea Lemos
Stepanova Family
Duffner Family
Carl Hill
Catherine Cooper
Matt & Lou Stupple
Will Saxby
Junior Parents
Alisha & Eleanor Robinson
The Hampstead Podiatrist

Auction

Ladies 1s squad
Men's 1s squad
Holly Hunt & Miriam Pritchard
James Oates & Tim Cross
Richard Sykes
Andy and Caroline Brookes
Ian Smith
Ben Pritchard
Richard Chapman
Jeannie Williamson

Raffle

5 tickets for £10 - prizes include.....



**One week HWHC Junior Hockey Camp (4-5 days)
(valued at £200-£250)**

THE MALL TAVERN
A family run, independent Freehouse

£150 Voucher
**A London pub with a blues club in the basement
(Notting Hill Gate)**

Blacklock

Dinner for 2 (up to £100)
**(Soho, Covent Garden, Shoreditch, City, Canary
Wharf, Manchester & Birmingham)**



£50 Voucher
**For Social Animals (Queens Park, West
Hampstead & Fulham)**



England Women's Training Top

Adidas Aeroready Stick Bag



Raffle

5 tickets for £10 – prizes include....

**Highlights of the National Gallery Tour for four with an official London Blue Badge
Tourist Guide**

JBL Wave 200 Wireless Headphones

Dartington Universal Stemless Wine Tumbler Pair

Signed book by Yotam Ottolenghi – ‘Simple, Flavour and Comfort’

Pacifica Beauty Products

Hampstead London Dry Gin

Bottle of Whiskey

Bottle of Mermaid Rum

Bottle Jack Daniel’s Single Bottle Select

Champagne, wine & spirits etc

Two tickets to Club de Fromage, Old School Indie or Age Against The Machine

Voucher for a medical pedicure

Juice Pack

Ladies 1s Performance Squad

One-on-one coaching session



The Ladies 1s squad includes current and former Great Britain, England, Scotland, Wales, Ireland & New Zealand age-group and adult internationals, as well as the next generation of EHL and EuroHockey talent.

We have up to 10 spots for one-on-one coaching with members of the Ladies 1s.

There will be a single session held on a Sunday, in April or May 2026, between 5 and 6:30pm at Paddington Recreation Ground.

Suggested Value:

£200 per one-on-one (up to 8 available)

Item # 1

Donor:

Ladies 1s squad

Men's 1s Performance Squad

One-on-one coaching session



The Men's 1s squad includes current and former Great Britain, England, Wales, Ireland, South Africa, New Zealand & Australian age-group and adult internationals, as well as the next generation of EHL and EuroHockey talent.

We have up to 10 spots for one-on-one coaching with members of the Men's 1s. There will be a single session held on a Sunday, in April or May 2026, between 5 and 6:30pm at Paddington Recreation Ground.

Suggested Value:

£200 per one-on-one (up to 8 available)

Donor:

Men's 1s squad

Item # 2

School Hockey Coaching Session

Holly Hunt & Miriam Pritchard



Holly is a midfielder or forward and Miriam Pritchard is a goalkeeper for HWHC Ladies 1s, England and Great Britain.

Medals and achievements include U18 European Bronze Medal 2015, 2x U21 European Bronze Medals 2014/2017, European Championships, Commonwealth Games Gold Medal, FIH Hockey Pro League, Australian Hockey One League, and EuroHockey Club Trophy Bronze & Gold Medals with HWHC.

Coaching session to take place at a mutually agreeable time and date with school approval.

Suggested Value:

Priceless

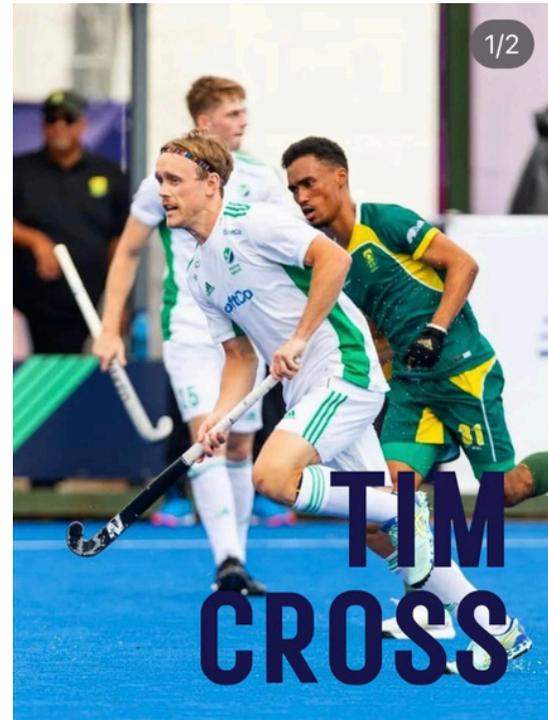
Item # 3

Donor:

Holly Hunt & Miriam Pritchard

School Hockey Coaching Session

James Oates & Tim Cross



James was a winner of the Sultan of Johor Cup with Great Britain Under 21s in 2019, and currently plays for England and Great Britain.

Tim is a dual international having won 8 caps for Australia before pulling on the green and white of Ireland. Paris 2024 Olympian with Ireland.

Coaching session to take place at a mutually agreeable time and date with school approval.

Suggested Value:

Priceless

Item # 4

Donor:

James Oates & Tim Cross

4 Middlesex Championship Tickets plus Lord's Pavilion access



Choose one of the following fixtures:

Middlesex v Gloucestershire – Friday 3rd April

Middlesex v Worcestershire – Friday 10th April

Middlesex v Durham – Friday 1st May

Middlesex v Derbyshire – Friday 15th May

Middlesex v Northamptonshire – Thursday 24th September

Suggested Value:

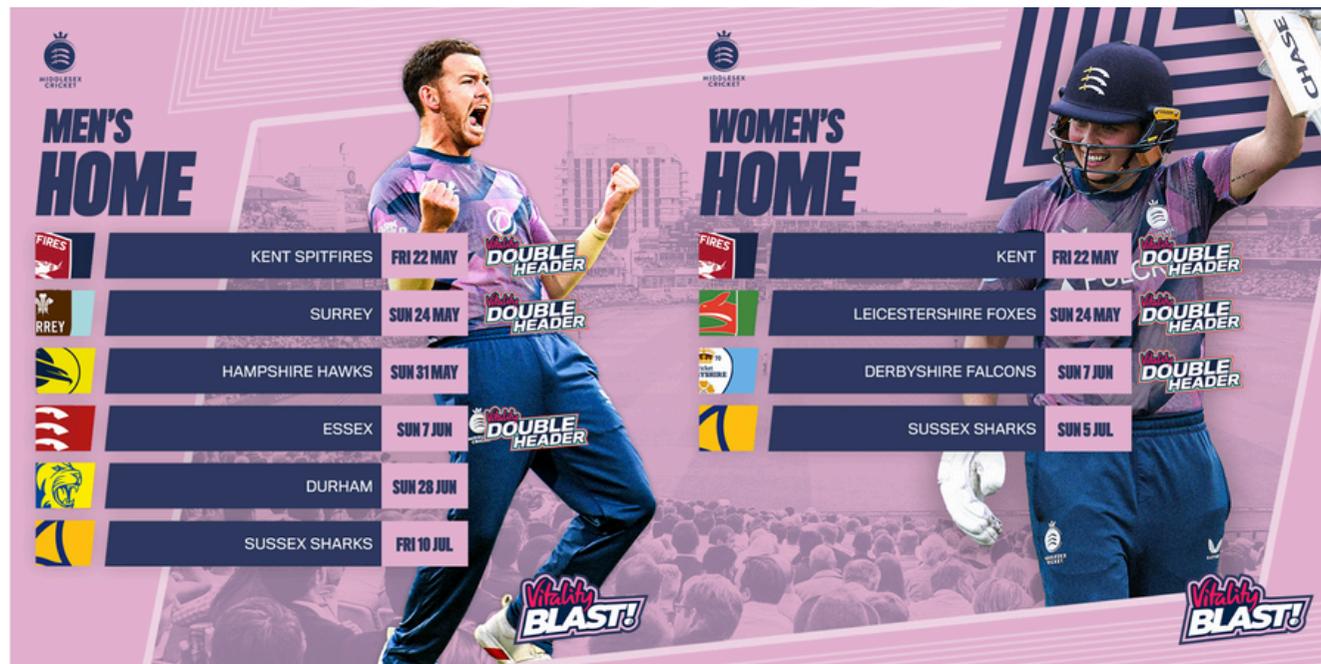
£200

Item # 5

Donor:

**Richard Sykes – HWHC President,
Grandmasters, 1894 Club Member (2022-26)**

4 Middlesex Vitality Blast Tickets



Middlesex Men and Women start their campaigns on Friday, 22nd May 2026 with a double-header, which sees the men and women – who begin their title defence – face Kent Spitfires at Lord’s.

This will then be followed by a second double-header two days later – again at Lord’s – with Middlesex Women taking on Leicestershire Foxes ahead of the men’s London derby against Surrey.

Choose either Friday, 22nd May 2026 or Sunday, 24th May 2026

Suggested Value:

£200

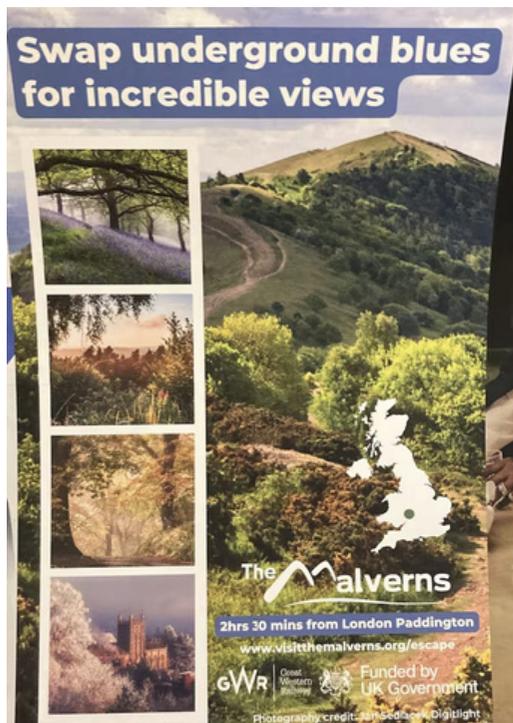
Item # 6

Donor:

**Richard Sykes – HWHC President,
Grandmasters, 1894 Club Member (2022–26)**

Cosy Cottage in the Malverns

Colwall Stone



Guest
favourite

One of the most loved homes on
Airbnb, according to guests

4.99
★★★★★

99
Reviews

2 guests (+ dog) - 1 bedroom - 1 bed - 1 bathroom | 2 night stay

**Recently renovated Kingsland Cottage, situated in the centre of Colwall village.
Pubs and cafes within walking distance and local walking trails into the beautiful
Malvern hills start in the village.**

Direct trains from Paddington to Colwall Station.

Suggested Value:

£250

Item # 7

Donor:

**Jeannie Williamson
Ladies 1s Ultra!**

Muswell Hill Golf Club

4 ball to play 18 holes



**A stone's throw from the City of London,
Muswell Hill Golf Club is an excellent 18-hole parkland course that presents a
challenge to golfers of all abilities. It is easily accessible from Central London via the
Piccadilly Line to Bounds Green station or National Rail via Alexandra Palace. Valid
until 31/01/2027**

Suggested Value:

£300

Item # 8

Donor:

**Andy and Caroline Brookes - HWHC
Grandmasters and Supporter**

England Women v India, Lord's



2x Lord's Debenture Tickets in the Upper Mound Stand

Access to private paying bar area

Day 1 – 10th July 2026

Suggested Value:

£320

Item # 9

Donor:

**Richard Sykes – HWHC President,
Grandmasters, 1894 Club Member (2022-26)**

England Men v New Zealand, Lord's

Sold Out



2x Lord's Debenture Tickets in the Upper Mound Stand

Access to private paying bar area

Choice of Days 1, 2 or 3 - 4th, 5th or 6th June 2026

Suggested Value:

£320

Item # 10

Donor:

**Richard Sykes - HWHC President,
Grandmasters, 1894 Club Member (2022-26)**

Case of 2015 2015 Château Beaumont

Key Details for 2015 Château Beaumont:

- Appellation: Haut-Médoc
- Classification: Cru Bourgeois
- Blend: Typically around 50–60% Cabernet Sauvignon, 35–47% Merlot, and small amounts of Petit Verdot and Cabernet Franc
- Style: Medium to full-bodied, with cassis-fruit, soft oak, and supple tannins



2015 Vintage Reviews & Notes:

- Quality: Considered the “most complete Beaumont since the delicious 2010”
- Critics: Rated around 89–92 points (e.g., Neal Martin 90–92/100, Wine Enthusiast 92/100, Decanter 89/100)
- Tasting Profile: Offers bright red and black fruits, with notes of cedar, spice, and fine tannins
- Drinking Window: Predicted to drink well from 2020 through 2030–2035
- Value: Often cited as offering exceptional value for money and a “perfect Sunday-roast” wine.

Suggested Value:

£360

Item # 11

Donor:

**Ian Smith – HWHC Alumni, Club
Historian, M1s Manager & 1894 Club
Member (2024–26)**

The Carlton Tavern Watercolour

One off original



Watercolour of HWHC's spiritual home

The memories and friendships which have been forged over the years and decades at

The Carlton can live on your wall forever

Watercolour (54cm x 35cm) & Frame (77cm x 60cm)

Suggested Value:

£1,000+

Item # 12

Donor:

Ben Pritchard – L1s Supporter and proud father of Miriam Pritchard

Two Wimbledon Debenture Seats



Monday, 29th June 2026

2x Premium Seats on No.1 Court

Wimbledon Debenture Holder access and privileges, including access to the private Debenture Holders Lounge. The Lounge is a world-class drinking and eating environment for the exclusive use of Wimbledon Debenture Holders.

Food and drink not included.

There is a reserve price on these tickets.

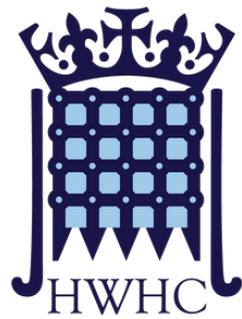
Suggested Value:

£4,000

Item # 13

Donor:

Richard Chapman – HWHC Grandmasters and 1894 Club Member (2022-26), Wales international (World Cup winner!)



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