# MATCHDAY PROGRAMME 2023/2024

















## Weekend of Hockey at Brooklands HC;

#### **Saturday 3rd February**

10:00 Men's 4s v Bury

12:00 Ladies 3s v Sale

14:00 Ladies 1s v Harrogate

16:00 Men's 5s v Timperley 4s

**Sunday 26th November** 

12:00 Men's 2s v Ben Rhydding

### 14:00 Men's 1s v Uni of Birmingham





#### A welcome from the Ladies Chairman...

## Tony O' Gara

A warm welcome to our first home game of 2024 against Harrogate, three points and two places above us at the half way point of the season.

Today represents a great opportunity to turn recent performances into points, after dominating second place Fylde for large parts of last weeks game, missing out on a late equalising goal through a poor umpiring decision.

It's great to see the return of Jess Plowright to the team and team captain Annie Mills after missing most of the season through injury.

The Ladies 2's had a great start to the season and sit in 5th position, buoyed by their midweek win against Preston.

We wish them well today away against top of the table Longridge.

The 3's have a local derby today against Sale in a very tight league, where a couple of wins would see the team comfortably away from the bottom of the table.

I look forward to representing the ladies section as Chairman, working with our men's and junior sections to build a one club ethos and taking forward this great club to further success.

Good luck to all our teams today.





## Ladies 1s v Harrogate 14:00 PB

Theresa Crookall (GK)
Becca Hennessy
Becca Neary
Lottie Kielty
Lottie Boreham
Jess Plowright
Laura Khan
Annie Mills (C)
Penny Townsend
Sophie Seymour Mead
Amy Gavin
Mati Wright
Fran Davies
Millie Kielty O'Gara
Poppy Hanley

Coach: Craig Falconer Coach: Sarah Newman Manager: Emily Davies Sarah Mirtaheri (GK) Harriet Payne Helen Goacher (C) Holly Oldham Natalie Innes Lexi Ramshay Rebecca Sagar Tilly Hall Lucy Wood **Evie Barnard** Jaclyn Smith Charlotte Crossman Abi Van Tonder Niamh Clements Coco Richardson Lottie Nichol

Coach: Lucy Richardson





## Featured player...

#### **Annie Mills**



Nickname: Millsy

First Club: Neston Hockey Club

Favourite hockey memory: Tour to Belgium with England

Hardest player to train against: Becca Neary

Pre Match song: Sunday Morning by Matoma

Pre match snack/ritual: Sour Skittles

### A welcome from Pete Flan

### Peter Flanagan, Men's 1s Captain

The first half of the season for the 1st team took a while to hit full steam, a last play of the game win in the first game of the season v Harbourne at home, followed by a 4-4 draw away a Birmingham indicated we hadn't yet found our feet in the division.

A focus on our own game and abilities brought a solid run of back to back wins. The first half of the season culminated with a table top clash against local rivals Bowdon. In a tightly contested and well supported game, we lost 3-2 - disappointed not to produce our best when it mattered. We sat 3 points of the top spot over the festive break.

With everything still to play for in the second half of the season, we still feel our best hockey has yet to be produced, this brings a challenge to hit those levels and also excitement at the possibilities for the rest of the season.





# Men's 1s v Uni of Birmingham Sunday 4th February - 14:00 PB

Martin Rose (GK) Dan Vincent Ben Wallace Alex Holmes Andrew Rusbridge Nick Hale Sam Young Leo Watton Stefan Ray-Hills Dave Flanagan Craig Falconer Mike Parham Olivier Poulain James Lavers Peter Flanagan © Kyal Shukla Josh Baxendell Aidan Khares

Head Coach: Aidan Khares
Assistant coach / Manager: Brad King

Paddy Walton (GK) Alex Erlam (GK) **Ben Wall** Sammy Pratt **Archie Fisher** Joe Farmer **Duncan Gladwin** Alfie Weaver (C) Freddie Jackson Rajan Shukla Phil Larcombe Matt Morey Adam Cartr Issac Bridge Casper Lea Harvey Edwards Charlie Dowse Rohit Jakhu Alex Greenaway James Cross

Coach: Chris Davis Manager: Chris Flynn





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