

Canberra Croquet Club: Captain's Update

25 October 2022

GC Coaching Opportunity

Thursday 27 October will be a GC coaching session open to all members from 1pm – 4pm given by Marty Clark, Australia's High Performance Manager. Marty will cover a range of scenarios. All members welcome. No charge for Club members. GC play can happen on lawns not being used for coaching.

High Performance GC Test, 28, 29 October

A GC test competition featuring Canberra players: Gerda Lambeck, Kate McLoughlin, Kevin McGlynn, Eathan Gumbrell will play visiting team: Pamela Barnwell (Newcastle) Rosie Landrebe (Camberay), Mary McMahon (Queensland) and Jamie Gumbrell on Friday 28 and Saturday 29 October. The match will use 1 lawn for most of the competition, and 2 lawns on Friday afternoon. Please note the restriction on draws these days with 1 lawn being unavailable. Spectators are welcome.

GC handicapper

Kevin McGlynn has taken on the role of GC Club Handicapper. Contact Kevin regarding your GC Handicap level.

Big thanks to Adrienne Fazekas, who has undertaken this role over the past number of years.

Advantage Croquet Nov 1

The second session for GC Advantage Croquet (a new version of handicap play) will be **Tuesday 1 November** from 10.00 am prior to the **Melbourne Cup** Club function. Rob Ey will lead players through the sessions. A sheet is attached with background information about Advantage Croquet. For more information contact Ian McRae golf@canberracroquet.org.au, Ian Donald or Rob Ey.

Please note that **Monday 7 November** lawns are closed from 1pm for maintenance.

Introductory Gateball sessions

Tuesday 8 Nov, 15 November: 2-3pm

Friday 11 Nov, 18 November: 2-3pm

Sunday 13 Nov: 2-3pm.

Contact Peter Wood gateball@canberracroquet.org.au for more information, or just turn up!

Coaching Accreditation

GC: Accreditation sessions to become a Level 1 GC or AC coach, will be held **Sunday 13 November 10 am** until around 3pm. Contact Kate McLoughlin if you are interested in attending.

Gateball: Judy Tier will run Level 1 Gateball coach accreditation. Contact Judy or Peter Wood if you are interested.

Ethan Gumbrell: Australian rep!

Ethan Gumbrell has accepted an invitation to represent Australia in the GC U21 World Championships to be held in New Zealand in February 2023. Congratulations Ethan!

Kate McLoughlin, Club Captain