



## \*\*CHC CHRISTMAS PARTY 10TH DECEMBER - SEE POSTER\*\*

### Results – 19/11/2011

L2s v Broxbourne 1	(A)	(L)	Lost 5-3	Bamfield x2, Dedic
L3s v Brentwood 2	(H)	(L)	Won 4-1	Blair, Martin, Ward, Houlder
L4s v Wapping 4	(A)	(L)	Lost 6-0	
L5s v Havering 4	(A)	(L)	Lost 5-0	

M1s v Cambridge City 1	(H)	(L)	Won 2-1	A Hunter, Gilkes
M2s v Colchester 2	(H)	(L)	Won 1-0	Millaine
M3s v Southend 1	(A)	(L)	Lost 7-0	
M4s v Saffron Walden 4	(H)	(L)	Lost 1-4	Tuff
M5s v Upminster 4	(H)	(L)	Won 2-1	Burrows, Ruff
MEGs v Canterbury Friars	(H)	(F)	Won 6-0	De'Mello x2, Burrows, Hodge, Keary, Lines

### Results – 20/11/2011

L1s v Oxford Hawks 1	(A)	(L)	Lost 3-1	Ager
Mixed v Romford mixed	(H)	(L)	N/A	Rearranged

### Fixtures – 26/11/2011

L1s v Sevenoaks 1	(H)	(L)	12:00
L2s v Crostyx 1	(H)	(L)	14:00
L3s v Harlow 1	(A)	(L)	13:30
L4s v University of Essex 1	(H)	(L)	15:45
L5s v Redbridge & Ilford 2	(H)	(L)	10:00

M1s v Wapping 1	(A)	(L)	13:30
M2s v Wapping 3	(A)	(L)	16:30
M3s v Phoenix 1	(A)	(L)	16:00
M4s v Brentwood 4	(A)	(L)	11:00
M5s v Harlow 2	(A)	(L)	12:00
MVs v Cambridge City Vets	(H)	(F)	TBC

### Fixtures – 27/11/2011

MEGs v LX Club	(H)	(F)	TBC
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For the Sunday youth fixtures, [click here](#).

**GOOD LUCK EVERYONE!**

### CHC Whisky Tasting Night : 3<sup>rd</sup> December '11

CHC Whisky Night is always a really good night, even if you're tippie isn't whisky. It features 6 single malt whiskies, for tasting along with: the Quaich, a buffet, a raffle and an auction of the whiskies at the end of the night! For full details [click here](#).

**TASTING & BUFFET : £30**

(includes free tasting glass)

**BUFFET ONLY: £5**

**\*\*TICKETS NOW AVAILABLE!\*\***

This event is for over 18's and is ticket only, so please contact Ian Hunter [whisky@chelmsfordhc.org.uk](mailto:whisky@chelmsfordhc.org.uk) or catch him in the clubhouse, if you would like a ticket.

### Top Scorers & Serial Offenders

See this [link](#) for up to date tables and to read Jason's special international edition round up of the weekend!

### Thank you!

A big thank you to all those who attended the Club Emergency Meeting on Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> – all sections of the club were represented with approximately 100 attendees. A full report will follow.

If you've got any comments, suggestions for future articles, announcements or just generally any questions then please drop me an email at [secretary@chelmsfordhc.org.uk](mailto:secretary@chelmsfordhc.org.uk). To receive bulletins direct to your inbox along with important club information subscribe to the [mailing list](#).



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Our Chairman Spence often gets asked when we will know whether any Nation has requested Chelmer Park as a London 2012 Pre-Games Training Camp. We haven't had any approaches as yet and won't know for sure until the qualifying events are completed. He came across the following from FIH on the Push Hockey website and thought it would be of interest to you.

"The 2012 season will be one of the busiest and most important in recent history", said FIH President Leandro Negre. "Our regular schedule will be supplemented with the Olympic qualifiers and of course the Olympic Games themselves, making it non-stop hockey during the year."

The first of the Olympic Qualification Tournaments will be hosted by India in New Delhi from February 15<sup>th</sup>-26<sup>th</sup> with six men's and six women's teams battling for a spot in the London 2012 Olympic Games.

The next Olympic Qualification Tournament will take place one month later, from March 14<sup>th</sup>-25<sup>th</sup>, 2012 in Beerschot, Belgium. It will be followed by the third Olympic Qualification Tournament in Kakamigahara, Japan from April 25<sup>th</sup>-May 6<sup>th</sup> 2012. All three tournaments will host the men's and women's tournaments at the same time.

The trio of joint tournaments is the final opportunity for teams to qualify for the London 2012 Olympic Games with the winner of each men's and women's event earning a place in London.

The teams assigned to the qualification tournaments will not be known until the completion of all of this year's continental championships. Winners of the five Continental Championships earn an automatic berth to the 2012 London Olympics.

Following the Continental Championships, teams that do not automatically earn a berth to the Olympics will be placed into one of the three qualification tournaments, depending on where they finish in their Continental Championships and how many places their Continental Federation has been allocated for the Olympic Qualification Tournaments.

### CHC Social Calendar

Have an idea for a social? Want to organise one? Then get in contact with [Bec](#).

<u>2011</u>	
3 <sup>rd</sup> December	Whisky Night
10 <sup>th</sup> December	Christmas Party
<u>2012</u>	
21 <sup>st</sup> January	
*ALL WEEKEND*	Beer Festival
28 <sup>th</sup> January	
29 <sup>th</sup> January	Beer Festival
4 <sup>th</sup> February	Quiz Night
30 <sup>th</sup> March	Ladies Night
11 <sup>th</sup> May	Golf Day
26 <sup>th</sup> May	Olympic Ball
22 <sup>nd</sup> June	AGM

# CHELMSFORD HOCKEY CLUB BEER FESTIVAL 2012



**20<sup>th</sup> - 22<sup>nd</sup> January / 28<sup>th</sup> - 29<sup>th</sup> January**



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### Website/ mailing List

Please note that there are two separate club contact lists to sign up to.

- 1. The Mailing List** - This can be signed up to by entering your details on the bottom right corner of any page of the [website](#) you will then receive an email which requires you to click a link to confirm your address. You are then signed up and will receive the weekly bulletin and other important news direct to your inbox.
- 2. The Club's Website** - This enables you to keep your contact details up-to-date and means that postal mailings (i.e. membership renewals) will be certain to reach you. Once you are [logged into the website](#), a new icon will appear on the right side of the top banner entitled "Player Availability", you can update your availability for games from this location which assists captains/selectors in their weekly task.

### Water Pitch Update

As you will be aware the water pitch has taken a turn for the worse, as little consolation we do know that water based pitches across the country are suffering similarly. Thirteen months ago the Club spent £5k having a 3-day clean, and in September the problem began to re-surface so the Club spent a further £4k to re-clean the pitch using the same company. Unfortunately there was a machine breakdown and this clean took 3 weeks to finish - 6 weeks later the algae problem resurfaced and it is believed this is due to the unseasonably warm October which encouraged the algae growth - we need the frosts to kill off some of the algae!

We have met with further cleaning companies but due to demand no action can be taken this week, however we have scheduled a cleaning session for next week. Preventative measures the Club do take are to, include algaecide in the spray (still safe for players) which is distributed every time the pitch is watered, a weekly cleaning rota with our own cleaning machine and to ask players and their oppositions to avoid walking across the grass to keep dirt/contaminants off their shoes - this last one you can really help us with!

Please note that all fixtures for this week have been moved to the sand/alternative venues - please check the [website](#) for certainty.

FACE GROWN & HAND BRUSHED

# MOVEMBER



### November!

Men's 1st XI Vice Captain, Tom Fanger and others at Writtle College are taking part in Movember to help raise money for 'To change the face of men's health'. This charity supports prostate and testicular cancer initiatives such as The Prostate Cancer Charity & the Institute of Cancer Research.

Week 3 - (see picture): Finally we have some hair, although this picture is not the best representation of Fanger! I have word that it is being removed on Monday at College along with some waxing all in aid of charity! Now, if enough money is raised it is possible that he will shave his head so please please please click the link below and donate!!



<http://uk.movember.com/mospace/1452716/>

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