



# Chelmsford HC News Bulletin

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## Results – 03/12/2011

L2s v Bromley & Beckenham 2	(A)	(L)	Won 1-3	Farrar, Elliot x2
L3s v Upminster 2	(H)	(L)	Won 3-1	Acton, Ward,
L4s v Redbridge & Ilford	(A)	(L)	Lost 8-1	Rhodes
L5s v Old Loughts 5	(A)	(L)	Lost 5-0	
M2s v University of Essex 1	(H)	(L)	Won 6-3	Wilcox x2, Spargo, Hales x2, Rumbold
M3s v Colchester 2	(A)	(L)	Lost 6-1	S Bird
M4s v Southend 2	(H)	(L)	Lost 2-5	Bullen, Wilson
M5s v Ramgarhia 2	(H)	(L)	Lost 1-13	Baker
MEGs v East London 5	(H)	(F)	Won 5-0	de Mello x2, Burrows, Wilkinson, Thomas
MVs Pelicans Vets	(A)	(L)	Won 1-3	Wooding x3

## Fixtures – 10/12/2011

L2s v Upminster 1	(A)	(L)	14:30
L3s v Old Loughts 3	(A)	(L)	10:00
L4s v Thurrock 2	(H)	(L)	12:30
L5s v Phoenix 3	(H)	(L)	10:00
M1s v West Herts 1	(H)	(L)	14:00
M2s v Maldon & Little Baddow	(H)	(L)	12:00
M3s v University of Essex 1	(A)	(L)	11:00
M4s v Phoenix 2	(H)	(L)	15:45
M5s v Redbridge & Ilford 2	(H)	(L)	15:30
MEGs v Southgate Magnums	(A)	(F)	15:00
MVs v Canterbury Vets	(H)	(F)	14:00

## Fixtures – 11/12/2011

M1s v Bedford Town 1	(H)	(L)	14:00
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**\*\*CHC CHRISTMAS PARTY\*\***



**\*THIS SATURDAY\***

MULLED  
WINE!

**8PM - MIDNIGHT, CHELMER PARK**

**CHRISTMAS FANCY DRESS!!**

**£2 ENTRY FEE IF NOT IN FANCY DRESS**



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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## Indoor Results

3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> December

Ladies' 1s	
v St Albans 1	Won 0-5
v Harleston Magpies 1	Lost 3-2
v Old Loughts 1	Drew 1-1
v Sevenoaks 1	Lost 3-1

  

Men's 1s	
v St Albans 1	Lost 9-1
v Havering 1	Lost 6-4
v West Herts 1	Lost 8-5
v Old Loughts 1	Lost 5-4

## CHC Whisky Tasting Report

Another brilliant evening was had by all at the whisky tasting and on behalf of the Club we would like to thank Ian Hunter for organising the evening and his wife Liz, for putting on a splendid buffet.

Six whiskies were tasted this year, with a couple from relatively unknown Distilleries, they included a good mix of Highland, Speyside and Lowland Distilleries. The evening proved too much for a couple of the tasters, namely Peter Hollebon needing a little nap part way through, luckily Nigel was on hand to take a photo but unfortunately the whisky had inhibited his ability to take a good photograph so we do not have the picture! Congratulations and thanks to the auction winners for their contribution to club funds [*Evergreens tour fund*], particularly new boy Danny who happily bid against his mate despite protestations they were going to share the whisky and Noursey whose contribution was afforded courtesy of Emu's bottom bid [...] *far*] which Noursey failed to deny emanated from him (we're not sure he realised he was innocent...)!

Please [click here](#) to see Ian's review of the evening.

## Indoor Season

Last weekend saw the indoor season kick off for our 1st XI teams so we thought you may like to know how they got on and a little bit of information about what's coming up.

Ladies' 1s - The ladies competed in the East Indoor Competition where they produced some good performances and finished in a creditable 3<sup>rd</sup> place. This was a warm up to the Women's Maxifuel Super Sixes Championships Division One competition, which takes place on 7/8<sup>th</sup> January and 14/15<sup>th</sup> January 2012 at Cocks Moors Woods, Birmingham. Here they will be competing against 9 other sides who have all featured in the Premier League at some stage and with the help of the vast vintage knowledge of coaches Kath Macdonald and Lynn Bollington (Bolly), the Ladies 1s will look to secure promotion straight back into the Super Sixes Premier Division.

Men's 1s - In the equivalent tournament to the Ladies', the men played four games and had four defeats but apart from that, their first foray indoors for the season was an unmitigated success! Having not had any indoor practice, they looked understandably rusty in the first game, but the scoreline was still more than a little flattering to St Albans. Chelmsford managed to put in battling performances against sides that sit higher than them in the indoor rankings, and only the concession of late goals allowed the opposition to snatch victories. In fact, the eventual tournament winner's, Old Loughts, only won with the final touch of the game which demonstrated how far Chelmsford had progressed over the course of the day. The tournament sets Chelmsford up well heading into the East Qualifying weekend on 17<sup>th</sup> and 18<sup>th</sup> December, which will see the winners qualify for the National League Division 2 in the New Year.

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## Bunny's flash with Flash

Bunny umpired the men's 3<sup>rd</sup> XI game on Saturday and at the ground, after the game, the men were told there were more showers upstairs. Unfortunately (Nigel's words not Bunny's!) Flash couldn't tell the difference between the symbol for a man or a lady and went into the ladies and enjoyed a shower. Bunny went to get changed and walked into the Ladies as Flash came out of the shower...I always did wonder why he was called "Flash"!!

## Top Scorers & Serial Offenders

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

## CHEŁMSFORD HOCKEY CLUB

### BEER FESTIVAL 2012

20<sup>th</sup> - 22<sup>nd</sup> Jan/ 28<sup>th</sup> - 29<sup>th</sup> Jan

**Beers, ciders & live music!**

**Family, friends & guests all welcome!**

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