

# Happy Hooping

Volume 4 Issue 3, July 2025 - Welcome to our latest edition of Happy Hooping, your newsletter that will give you regular updates on what is happening around your club.

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### **News from July Committee Meeting**

- Permission was granted to commence work on the Patio under the large tree
- Quotes are being received to replace the clubroom flooring
- A 4-month calendar will be placed on the outside small notice board so all members will be able to see what is planned for the 4 months ahead.
- It is necessary to spray the courts at certain times, and it is in your best interest to follow the groundmens advice during these times

We would like to welcome our recent new member FRANK LAW

We hope you have many years of exciting croquet ahead of you and find our club very enjoyable

#### **Teams Event**

We had 14 teams consisting of 42 players, giving us the largest local competition we have held at Moorabinda.

Weather was not kind to us on Sunday, with play suspended for a time due to the courts being waterlogged. The winners were a Moorabinda team The Three J's, Bob James, John Jury and John Bird who successfully defended their title from last year.

A massive thank you to Helen Quicke for refereeing all weekend it was an amazing effort by Helen and very much appreciated by all the players. We would also like to thank all the members who helped in the kitchen, who donated items and who set up the courts to make this event a great success.



## The British GC Doubles

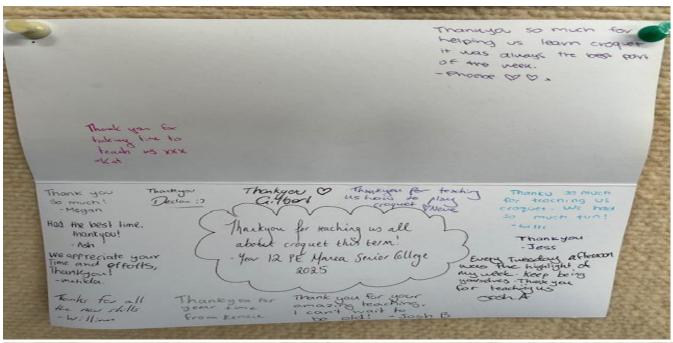
Club member Gary Phipps travelled over to England to play in the British Open GC Doubles and Singles events last month. Before competing in the Doubles Gary played in and won the Sidmouth GC Open Singles, this put him in good form where he partnered up with England's Sam Cuthbert to win the British Open GC Doubles.



Gary then played in the British GC Open Singles where he made it through to the Championship playoffs before proceeding to win the Bowl. Gary then spent the next few weeks touring Wales and having a well earnt rest along with his tour guide and lovely wife Caroline.

#### MANEA COLLEGE

After 7 weeks of playing croquet the year 12 students from Manea College presented our members who had coached them over this time, with a gift and these lovely cards.





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