## Clifton Robinsons Hockey Club **MATCHORATOR DAY PROGRADAY** WEEK 9 - 11 NOVEMBER 2023

#### **SATURDAY 11 NOVEMBER 2023** EH Vitality Women's Premier Division



CRHC Ladies' 1s v Nottingham Uni 1s PB 12:15 Clifton College Sports Ground







## © Clifton Robinsons Hockey Club MEDIA TEAM'S WELCOME

Good morning all and a warm welcome to Clifton Robinsons Hockey Club!

Today's fixture sees a familiar **Nottingham University** travel south to meet the W1 at Clifton College. The visitors are currently 2 points ahead, so a home win would see the Blue Army leapfrog the green and golds. Plenty of Clifton Robinsons players past and present have played for Nottingham, so hopefully will be an amicable affair! We hope all spectators, players and officials experience a great match.

With only two games to go before the mid season split, this is a **crucial match in the battle for top 6**. 3rd through 8th are separated by just 2 points. With tabletoppers Surbiton to play next weekend, this is as near to a must win as it could be.

Elsewhere, we've had a very busy few weeks since our last programme. Firstly, at long last we are pleased to say the **pitch at Badminton School is reopened**! Our first training sessions have occurred as well as the Masters being guinea pigs for it last week - we hope today's first league fixtures there enjoy the fresh turf.

This week sees the aforementioned trip south for the W4. They face Falmouth on Saturday before Penzance on Sunday in a **mammoth Cornwall away weekend**. We hope you have a great trip and bring the points back up the M5! Junior and Senior hockey has continued, with wins aplenty for **juniors** and the **Master's National Cup** competitions just beginning. Read more about their exploits at the back of the programme!

The Men had their **first foray in their respective cups** too. While the M5s and M4s lost in the T4 and T3 cups, exiting at the RO64 stage, the M2 progressed in the T2 cup to the RO32 with a good 4-1 away win in Plymouth. Meanwhile, the M1 won their T1 tie to progress to the QF and a home tie against league champions Old Georgians. A preliminary date for a home cup double header has been arranged - 16th December at Clifton College - watch this space.

Finally, it would be remiss of me not to mention the social next weekend! **A night at the bingo** will be held at the clubhouse on Saturday evening. This was great fun last year so get on down (and bring your dobbers!).

Good luck all and have a great time, be it playing, umpiring or simply spectating and I look forward to you joining us in the bar afterwards.



- Alex Kirkpatrick, Media & Comms Team, Clifton Robinsons HC

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## LADIES' 1s v NOTTINGHAM UNI 1s

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## WOMEN'S PREMIER DIVISION

### END OF MATCH WEEK 8

POS	CLUB	PL	GD	Pts
1	SURBITON 1	9	22	24
2	READING 1	9	8	19
3	HAMPSTEAD & WESTMINSTER 1	9	8	14
4	BOWDON	9	4	14
5	UNI OF NOTTINGHAM 1	9	-4	14
6	EAST GRINSTEAD 1	9	5	13
7	WIMBLEDON 1	9	0	13
8	<b>CLIFTON ROBINSONS 1</b>	9	-6	12
9	UNI OF BIRMINGHAM 1	9	-4	8
10	LOUGHBOROUGH STUDENTS 1	9	-10	8
11	BEESTON 1	9	-6	7
12	ISCA & UNI OF EXETER 1	9	<b>~17</b>	3

## © Clifton Robinsons Hockey Club CHRISTMAS CAMP

We are delighted to announce our first ever Christmas Camp! With the weather closing in, a lot of players choose to play indoor hockey – a slight variation on outdoor hockey with different tactics and rules, but with the same core fundamentals. This camp is designed to focus on the indoor principles with a mixture of indoor and outdoor play.

To sign up, visit the JUNIOR HOCKEY NEWS - CAMPS section on the club website.



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Current M1 captain Scott Davidson presented Man of the Match from our last home fixture to Neil from Fareham HC. Clifton Robinsons Hockey Club

## **ELSEWHERE IN THE CLUB**

#### The Old Lead the Way

As is Clifton Robinsons tradition, a large number of teams are in the process of starting their Master's Hockey Cup runs. Leading the charge, the MO50s won in emphatic style last weekend, being 8-0 victors over



Old West. Goals came from Simon Hygate (3), Mark Pullen (2), Axel Walther, Paul Underhill and Andy Rhys-Jones.

This weekend the MO40s and WO35s kick off their campaigns. Let's have a repeat of cup finals in the past!

#### **The Young Follow!**

Not to be outshone by the oldies, we've had great success with our youngsters recently. Alongside a large number of juniors representing our senior teams, they have also been competing in various competitions themselves.

Our MU10s and MU12s were both crowned Avon Hockey Champions last weekend, following in a long line of success stories. Our WU16s have won all 3 of their Supra Cup games, with the MU16 winning 1 of 2 so far. Our WU18 also won the first round of their EH Cup journey against ISCA, with an impressive 12-0 win. Goals from Grindal (5), Houlden (2), Barratt (2), Moat, Milson and Watkins led to the remarkable scoreline. What's more to say than keep it up!



# RESULTS

#### WEEK 8 - 4/5 NOV 2023

HAMPS & WEST 1s 5-0 LADIES' 1s LADIES' 2s 3-4 EXETER 1s NEWENT 1s 0-5 LADIES' 3s LADIES' 4s 0-6 NEWQUAY 1s KEYNSHAM 2s 1-7 LADIES' 5s LADIES' 6s 1-6 OLD BRISTOLIANS 4s EXETER UNI 2s 3-2 MEN'S 1s BATH BUCCS 2s 5-1 MEN'S 2s MEN'S 3s 2-2 EXETER UNI 4s MEN'S 4s 1-4 WHITCHURCH 2s MEN'S 5s 7-2 FIREBRANDS 3s MENDIP 2s 2-1 MEN'S 6s









## FINAL ES

SATURDAY 11 NOVEMBER 2023
12:15 L1 v Uni of Nottingham 1 - Clifton College
13:00 M2 v Cardiff & Met 2 - Coombe Dingle
14:30 L3 v Redland 1 - The Lawns
14:30 M6 v Westbury & UB 3 - Redmaids
16:00 L5 v Old Bristolians 3 - The Lawns
16:00 M7 v Uni of Bristol 5 - Redmaids

#### **SATURDAY 11 NOVEMBER 2023**

12:00	L4 v Falmouth 1		
13:00	M5 v North Somerset 1		
13:15	M3 v Mendip 1		
14:30	L2 v Bristol Firebrands 1		
15:30	M4 v Cardiff & Met 4		
17:30	L6 v Westberries 4		
SUNDAY 12 NOVEMBER 2023			
12:00	<b>M1</b> v ISCA 1		
12:30	W4 v Penzance 1		











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