

# PHYLLIS COURT CROQUET

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## Golf Croquet Open Doubles One Day Tournament (The Iain Lindsay)



Winners receive the Iain Lindsay Cups  
Runners-up receive the John Chalfont Cups

### Morning Block Games

Block A	C&F	N&A	R&P		Victories	Rank
Chris & Frances		7	7		2	1
Nina & Anne	3		7		1	2
Ralph & Philip	2	5			0	3

Block B	H&P	R&P	I&D		Victories	Rank
Helena & Pam		7	7		2	1
Raymond & Pauline	4		7		1	2
Ian & Delia	4	6			0	3

Block C	T&P	M&S	B&C	D&M	Victories	Rank
TJ & Pat		4	7	7	2	2
Mike & Sylvia	7		7	7	3	1
Brian & Celia	2	6		3	0	4
Don & Margaret	5	5	7		1	1

Block D	J&R	M&M	H&D	D&D	Victories	Rank
John & Rosie		7	6	7	2 (hoops +5)	1
Mary & Michael	2		7	7	2 (hoops +1)	3
Heather & Dorothy	7	5		7	2 (hoops +3)	2
Dale & Dianne	6	3	3		0	4

### Afternoon Knock-Out & ranking games

Chris & Frances	7
Raymond & Pauline	4
John & Rosie	L
TJ & Pat	W
Mike & Sylvia	7
Heather & Dorothy	3
Helena & Pam	7
Nina & Anne	3

Chris & Frances	6
TJ & Pat	7
Mike & Sylvia	7
Helena & Pam	5

Raymond & Pauline	WD
John & Rosie	Bye
Heather & Dorothy	W
Nina & Anne	L

Mike & Sylvia	7	1st
TJ & Pat	5	2nd

Chris & Frances	-	3rd =
Helena & Pam	-	3rd =

John & Rosie	7	5th
Heather & Dorothy	2	6th

Nina & Anne	-	7th
Raymond & Pauline	-	8th

Mary & Michael	7
Brian & Celia	3
Ian & Delia	7
Dale & Dianne	6

Don & Margaret	Bye
Ralph & Philip	WD

Michael & Mary	Bye
-	-
Ian & Delia	3
Don & Margaret	7

Dale & Dianne	5
Brian & Celia	7

Michael & Mary	7	9th
Don & Margaret	3	10th

Ian & Delia	-	11th
Brian & Celia	-	12th

Dale & Dianne	-	13th
Ralph & Philip	-	14th

		15th
		16th

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"Do it like this Mike"





This row left to right: Finalists Pat Eades, TJ Johnsen, Mike Fensome & Sylvia Thomson (and above with Pauline Wilding)



This row left to right: Helena Fensome, a rude statue & Pam Mead, Pauline Wood, Don Rutherford, Anne Attfield, Margaret Broughton and Dianne Browne



## Thursday 8th September - Big Surprise at 'Iain Lindsay' Final

Sylvia Thomson & Mike Fensome sprang a big surprise to lift the Iain Lindsay Cups today and were highly popular victors.

Starting as 6th seeds they won their group ahead of 3rd seeds TJ Johnsen & Pat Eades and then stayed unbeaten to repeat that victory in a closely contested final.

Proving the power of positive thinking, Sylvia & Mike started to believe in themselves over the lunch break and they then accounted for the Heather Masheter & Dorothy Elliot pairing before squaring up with 2nd seeds Pam Mead & Mike's misses Helena (Fensome).

Mike & Sylvia's steady play and saw them not only match their fancied opponents hoop for hoop but eventually pull clear to (excitedly) claim the final berth.

In the other semi, top seeds Frances Colman & Chris Roberts fell victims to a couple of unforced errors and some very solid positional play, and particularly two promotions from TJ & Pat.

And so to the grand final and a tense affair it was, right up to the turning point at hoop 12 when Mike pulled of a 'clearance and nestle in the hoop' shot worthy of any champion.

With Sylvia poised to knock her partner through with the next shot, TJ had a jump to save the match but just dragged Mike through. It was loveley that Pauline Wilding was on hand to present Iain's Cups to the two first time winners and soon there was bubbly from the Silverware on the Club terrace. There followed the promise of a new frock for the presentation dinner and general agreement that we had all had very enjoyable day and thankfully no rain either!