

PHYLLIS COURT CROQUET

Golf Croquet Spring Drawn Partners Tournament

Winner receives **"HUGH'S MALLET"**

Morning Block Games

Block A	J&R	H&D	E&M	M&D	Wins	Rank
John H & Ralph		7	7	4	2	2nd
Helen & Delia	4		0	5	0	4th
Ethna & Michael	6	7		6	1	3rd
Margaret C & Don	7	7	7		3	1st

Block B	J&S	J&B	J&H	D&H	Wins	Rank
Joanna & Sheila		7	6	3	1	3rd
Jill & Barrie	6		2	4	0	4th
John E & Heather	7	7		5	2	2nd
Dorothy & Helena	7	7	7		3	1st

Block C	R&P	G&C	J&H	R&I	Wins	Rank
Raghu & Paddy		7	7	7	3	1st
Gerda & Christine	5		7	3	1	3rd
Jean & Hugh	1	6		3	0	4th
Rosemary & Ian	4	7	7		2	2nd

Block D	P&D	M&F	A&J		Victories	Rank
Pauline & Dianne		4	3		0	3rd
Mary C & Mike F	7		7		2	1st
Ann N & John C	7	2			1	2nd

Afternoon Knock-Out & ranking games

Margaret & Don	7
John E & Heather	4
Mary C & Mike F	7
Rosemary & Ian	6
Raghu & Paddy	6
Ann N & John C	7
Dorothy & Helena	7
John H & Ralph	3

Margaret & Don	2
Mary C & Mike F	7
Ann & John C	3
Dorothy & Helena	7
John E & Heather	3
Rosemary & Ian	7
Raghu & Paddy	7
John H & Ralph	3

Dorothy & Helena	7	1st
Mary C & Mike F	3	2nd

Margaret C & Don	7	3rd
Ann N & John C	1	4th

Rosemary & Ian	7	5th
Raghu & Paddy	6	6th

John H & Ralph	7	7th
John E & Heather	4	8th

Ethna & Michael	7
Jill & Barrie	3
Pauline & Dianne	5
Jean & Hugh	7
Gerda & Christine	1
'Fish of the Day'	7
Joanna & Sheila	7
Helen & Delia	5

Ethna & Michael	7
Jean & Hugh	6
'Fish of the Day'	3
Joanna & Sheila	7

Ethna & Michael	7	9th
Joanna & Sheila	5	10th

'Fish of the Day'	7	11th
Jean & Hugh	5	12th

Jill & Barrie	4
Pauline & Dianne	6w
Gerda & Christine	3
Helen & Delia	7

Pauline & Dianne	4	13th
Helen & Delia	3	14th

Gerda & Christine	4	15th
Jill & Barrie	3	16th

14th September - 'Fishy' win for Dorothy & Helena

Dorothy Elliott & Helen Fensome won 'Hugh's Mallet' from the man himself, Hugh Spencley, at our third Drawn Partners Tournament yesterday.

Helena was really on song, hitting everything and running long distance hoops with nonchalant ease and Dorothy played at her steady best too.

With several players crying off very late, which was very tedious, Helena answered an emergency call to fill a void and actually raced from her bed to be on the courts in the nick of time, but even then we were one pair short leading to 'sit outs' for 6 players.

Members are reminded that these tournaments are designed to keep every one occupied and late withdrawals disrupt your fellow players' enjoyment.

Back at the croquet, it was all very 'fishy' (but not in a suspicious way), with pairs given marine life nicknames for the day.

'Dover Sole, Haddock, Jellyfish and Piranha' (Margaret Crook & Don Rutherford, Dorothy & Helena, Raghu Iyer & Paddy Bunch, Mary Chambers and Mike Fensome respectively) won their morning blocks, and the likes of table favorites 'King Prawn, Lobster and Fish Finger' fell by the way side.

The afternoon knockout and repocharges followed the now familiar format, leading to an uneven sounding final battle between 'Haddock' and 'Piranha'.

Despite Mike Fensome's now excellent tactics, thinking many shots ahead, he and partner Mary Chambers couldn't match the accuracy of Dorothy and Helena.

