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## Fixtures @ Chelmer Park

16/11/13 - M2, M4, L2, L3 & L5

17/11/13 - Mixed

## Results 09/11/13

M1s v Ramgarhia 1	(L)	Won 6-0	Rayner, Millane x2, Taylor, Hunter, Belchamber
M2s v Brentwood 1	(L)	Lost 3-1	Hales
M3s v Southend 2	(L)	Won 3-2	Fanger x2, Gailbrath
M4s v Brentwood 5	(L)	Won 2-4	OG, Baker x3
M5s v Upminster 5	(L)	Drew 3-3	Burrows x3
MVs v Indian Gym Tigers	(T)	Won 10-0	T Smith x 4, Cass, Evans, Coombes x2, Hansen x2
MEGs v Black Knights Vets	(F)	Won 3-1	De Mello x2, Hunter
L1s v Sevenoaks 1	(L)	Lost 1-2	Clark
L2s v Maidstone 1	(L)	Drew 2-2	E Smith, Houlder
L3s v Redbridge & Ilford 1	(L)	Lost 3-1	??
L4s v Harlow 2	(L)	Won 7-0	McIlwain-Bates, Stockwell x4, Neave x2
L5s v Upminster 5	(L)	Won 0-3	Daily, Butcher, I Collins

## Results 10/11/13

LVs v Redbridge & Ilford Over 35's	(C)	Lost 4-0
U14 Girls v Pheonix Blue Hornets		Won 15-0
U16 Girls v Havering Vets		Drew 2-2



### 60 Seconds with...

### Tim Smith

**1) You joined the club about a year ago, what was the main reason for joining?**

I joined the club because my previous one did not have an over 50s side and the London Super Vets League is very competitive. Also, the Chelmsford Vets were very welcoming. Little did I know how it would turn out!

**2) You've been in prolific goal scoring form since your first game. It took you just two games to get inside the top 10 last season and you've not been out of it since - what's the secret to your success?**

No secret, but I have probably missed as many as I have got. The secret is having good providers and a good team around you. I only finish what they start.

**3) What's a bigger achievement for you in a game - scoring 6 or getting more than David Gill?**

I don't care who gets the goals as long as we win but getting more than David is always an incentive to score!

**4) How do you fancy your chances of topping the scoring chart this season?**

As I say, don't care about the goals as long as we win. Topping the chart is an added bonus. At least it would be more than David Gill

**5) Is it true that outside the hockey season you still ply your trade in Minor Counties Cricket?**

Until last season I was playing but this year I think I have been retired by the county due to stupid age restrictions set by the ECB!

**6) In order of high to low, please rate the following in terms of importance on match day: Potential of match teas, match result, quantity of the inevitably used pain killing drugs, in-flight entertainment (for away games) and the meet time.**

....Pain Killers

Teas (highlights are the curries at Indian Gym, Spencer, Slough!)

Result

Meet

Entertainment...most are having an afternoon nap before the game!

To receive bulletins direct to your inbox along with important club information subscribe to the [mailing list](#).

If you've got any comments, suggestions for future articles, announcements or just generally any questions then please drop us an email at [newsletter@chelmsfordhc.org.uk](mailto:newsletter@chelmsfordhc.org.uk). *Kat & Anna*

# Meet the CHC Captains!

Meet Toni Speakman, Captain of our Ladies 2nd XI who got promoted last season into the East Prem League under the leadership of Noni!!



**Nickname?**

Speakman, Noni or Stoner...

**Position played?**

Central defence / midfield

**Sporting Idol?**

There are a few...Sir Steve Redgrave, Kelly Holmes & Colin Jackson

**Funniest moment on a hockey pitch?**

Being told by the Umpire in a match last year "Too much air, not enough ball" and having a free hit given to us.

**Proudest hockey moment(s)?**

Being Captain for the Essex U/18s, Playing for East of England U/16s and 18s. Getting through to National Finals with Chelmsford and of course captaining Ladies 2<sup>nd</sup> XI

**Which famous person would you most like to have dinner with?**

Michael McIntyre - an evening of pure entertainment!

**Would you rather be attacked by one horse-sized duck, or fifty duck-sized horses?**

Fifty duck-sized horses...wouldn't everyone!?

## 2013/14 - [Social Calendar](#)

...so far!

30 <sup>th</sup> Nov	Whisky Night
14 <sup>th</sup> Dec	Christmas party (with hot dogs and mulled wine)
17 <sup>th</sup> -19 <sup>th</sup> Jan	Beer Festival
25 <sup>th</sup> - 26 <sup>th</sup> Jan	Finishing any left over beer off!
TBC	Quiz Night
TBC	Men's Dinner
TBC	Ladies Night
9 <sup>th</sup> May	CHC Golf Day
17 <sup>th</sup> May	CHC Ball

## Chelmsford Chumps!

# Any more for any more?!

If you notice a photographer at your game, let us know and we'll check out their website and share any photos via the Newsletter.



### In pictures...

Ladies 1s v Sevenoaks - [click here](#).

Ladies 3s v Redbridge & Ilford - [click here](#).

Ladies Vets v Redbridge & Ilford - [click here](#).

**Chelmsford Friends Wine & Cheese Party on Sunday November 17<sup>th</sup> from 12 noon onwards in the clubhouse.**

**By invite for Club "Friends" - mostly over -50's. Partners welcome.**

**No Charge**

**Contact Doug Denman on 07837 397 351 / 01277 823479 or [email](#).**



## Have you got a spare room?

The Men's 1st XI are looking to bring in an international level hockey player to boost their squad. The biggest stumbling block behind achieving this is sourcing accommodation, In previous seasons club members have hosted an international player for 6 months in their own homes. The Men's 1st XI are looking for someone who has a spare room who'd be prepared to loan it out for six months.

For more information please get in touch with Men's 1st XI Manager, [Angus Rayner](#).

## England Hockey wins bid to host World Cup in 2018

07.11.2013

The International Hockey Federation (FIH) has announced that England will host the Women's World Cup in 2018, after the conclusion of a bidding process which saw England and New Zealand as the final shortlisted candidates to host the tournament.

For full story, [click here](#).



## 500 Club

146<sup>TH</sup> DRAW : OCTOBER 2013

1 <sup>st</sup>	15%	£123	Ann Butterworth
2 <sup>nd</sup>	10%	£82	Roger Gaffney
3 <sup>rd</sup>	5%	£41	David Carr
4 <sup>th</sup>	4 x 2.5%	£21	Michael Gray Jon Lambert Antonia Kitchiner Martin Matthews

The October draw was done by Jess Tuff & Becky Budd at Chelmer Park.

There are forms in the plastic folders next to the Bar, should anyone new wish to join !

## BIG XMAS PRIZE!!



November Draw includes the Xmas Draw for **£ 400 + !!!! \***

\*To be included, you have to have been a member for the preceding three months i.e. August/Sept/Oct