

# OCHC JUNIORS NEWSLETTER

The latest news and updates from Old Cranleighan Hockey Club





The U6s after a great morning of hockey and the U12 Boys having a post match debrief

## ✓ October half term camps

With half term just around the corner, it's not too late to book into our half term hockey camp on Monday 24th (Tuesday 25th is now full).

### Surrey success

Congratulations to all those players who have been accepted into the Surrey programme for 2022-23. Hockey Following two tough rounds of trials to win a place in just a single squad in many age groups, it's a huge achievement. Well done to Amelie R, Amelie T-S, Candela G-U, Anaya P, Olivia R, Zac H, Charlie R, Robert G, Milan P, Matthew J, Charlie M, Jake M and Kiran S. We're concious others may have been nominated by school too who we aren't aware of, we're very proud of you all!

## **✓** Masterclasses

We're running two fantastic brand new masterclasses for older players (U14-U18), led by Men's 1s player Erik Van Kesteren and GB and England player Jack Waller. Read on for details of how to book.



## **Back on Sunday 30th October**

We take a breather for half term, with no hockey training on Sunday 23rd or mid-week training the following week (Monday 24th - Friday 29th Oct), we're back on the pitch on Sunday 30th October for Halloween!



# HALF TERM HOCKEY CAMPS

# UESDAY SOLD OUT! **MONDAY 24TH & TUESDAY 25T**



10AM - 3:30PM £45 PER DAY

U6 (YRI) - U16 (YRII) PLAYERS

Led by Director of Junior Hockey Adam Ward, a fun filled day of hockey skills, drills and game play

# ochockeyclub.org/camps

Member booking via your LoveAdmin account Non-members email ochcjuniors@gmail.com

# HALF TERM MASTERCLASSES

U14 - U18 PLAYERS

MON 24TH 5:00 - 7:00PM

DRAG FLICKING MASTERCLASS WITH

**ERIK VAN KESTEREN** 

**MENS' 1S PLAYER** £15



TUES 25TH 4:30 - 6:00PM

**GOAL SCORING MASTERCLASS WITH** 

**JACK WALLER** 

**ENGLAND & GB PLAYER** 

£15



#### **U9 Girls v Woking**

Cracking effort from U9 girls at Richmond, 16 games (4 teams x 4 games each), with 8 wins! A real step up for the girls, it was clear that the hard work doing drills in training was paying off. The girls were running into space, clearing the ball out of danger, and tackling. We focussed a lot recently on longer shots, with guidance from Adam's coaching



videos and it really paid off, with some brilliant shots down the wings, hands close on the stick - did the coaches proud! Fab team spirit, and everyone was pumped at the end.



#### **U10 Girls v Richmond**

Great tournament for the U10 girls today v Richmond. Enormous energy from everyone and some fantastic hockey from both sides.

#### **U11 Girls v Richmond**

U11 girls had a profitable trip away to Richmond. All our three teams were unbeaten and thoroughly dominant. Starting to see some lovely patterns of play. Shout out to Caitlin who was great in goal.



#### U12 Girls v Richmond

Manor Road was the venue for the girls **U12s** matches against Richmond. After a slow start the girls started moving the ball round, running into space with the ball and finding their attacking instincts. Unfortunately, there was little return for their efforts in the first set of games. The second games were peppered with great



decision making, pin point passes and goals. It was great to see players working hard for each other, goal line saves, executing what the coaches had said and the whole team celebrate scoring. Well done. Won 3, Drew 2, Lost 1.



#### U14 Girls Orcas v Wimbledon

A 2-0 win for GU14s Orcas vs Wayfarers. Goals scored by Liv & Amelie with only a very strong oppo GK preventing a much bigger win.

#### U14 Girls Sharks v Wimbledon

A solid performance from all the girls in a game that we dominated throughout. Goals from Sydney, Tabby and a fantastic strike from Isla did the damage.





#### U10 Boys v Eastcote

Twelve U10 boys made the long journey round the M25 to play at Eastcote Hockey Club on Sunday afternoon. For some it was their first competitive game and both teams worked incredibly hard. Playing 4 x 12 min matches back to back is not easy when you're 8 or 9 years



old. The boys used the space well, scored some lovely goals and showed resilience in their brilliant defending against some very, very good players. We won 1, Drew 5, Lost 2.



#### U12 Boys v Eastcote

A great Mega League fixture for the U12 Boys v Eastcote HC with some great hockey played by all four OC teams. A popular tournament saw no less than 32 boys wanting to play which is amazing how popular hockey is at this age group for the boys. The hockey is also coming along nicely with wins across the board for all teams apart from one draw which was really impressive. Some great hockey on show with many parents showing their appreciation at the entertainment on offer. Some great all round play from all the boys, with plenty of smiles at the end of the session. Thanks to all the coaches and @Adam Ward OCs for his help and umpiring. South Africa last week with England O45's winning bronze to OC U12's Boys this week with an 4 undefeated teams....! The magic continues...!

#### **U14 Boys v Surbiton Scorpions**

The boys had a fantastic 2-0 victory over Surbiton in their Tier 2 league game, with a goal by Will T taking OCs to 1-0 at half time, cemented by a second goal, this time from Zac, from a short corner in the second half.

#### **WATCH YOUR 1S - DATES FOR YOUR DIARY!**



