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#### UPGRADE PACKAGE 3

##### Assorted Sashimi Platter

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# THE THOUGHTS OF THE CHAIRMAN

## 主席的話

Michael J. Wood  
Chairman



I mentioned last month about conferring Honorary Membership to all our Olympic medalists, and we were fortunate to be able to make a formal presentation to Siobhan Haughey and Grace Lau who came to the Club on Saturday 21st August. After the short ceremony to hand them their new membership cards, both Siobhan and Grace walked around the Club to meet with our members, which caused a great deal of excitement.

A selection of photos is shown at pages 6 and 7 and you can scan the QR code to download the photos if you wish. **We have also agreed to confer Honorary Membership to all the medalists of the recent Paralympics, who are:**

Chu Man Kai	Badminton	Silver
Vivian Lau Wai Yan Leung Yuk Wing Wong Kwan Hang	Boccia	Silver
Leung Yuk Wing	Boccia	Bronze
Chan Ho Yuen	Badminton	Bronze
Wong Ting Ting	Table Tennis	Bronze

We will be arranging a further award ceremony when all the medalists are available to come to the Club.

The sporting season is now upon us and unlike this time last year, we are hopeful that the coming months will see us being able to conduct activities close to normal circumstances. Certainly, the various Sections, DSA and Societies are able to resume league fixtures with a much greater degree of confidence when looking ahead.

Finally, a reminder that the **Club's Annual General Meeting will take place in the Sports Hall on Thursday 11th November starting at 7pm.** Like last year, as part of our constant pursuit to improve environmental sustainability, copies of the Annual Report will be able to be viewed via a link and/or a QR Code and will not be sent out as usual to members in hard copy format. However, a few hard copies of the Annual Report will be available from the Front Desk of the Club for those of you that are unable to view them online.

Michael J. Wood  
Chairman

上個月曾提到授予奧運獎牌得主榮譽會員名銜一事，結果我們很榮幸地於8月21日（星期六）邀請到何詩蓓及劉慕裳到訪本會，為她們舉行隆重而簡短的頒授儀式，兩位獎牌得主更並肩遊覽本會，與不少會員見面及合照，引起一陣哄動。

如果想重溫當日花絮，隨後第6至7頁有一系列精挑細選的照片，略嫌不夠的話，還可以掃描QR Code細閱及下載更多照片。除了奧運獎牌得主，本會亦決定所有東京殘奧獎牌得主均會獲頒授榮譽會員名銜，名單如下：

朱文佳	羽毛球	銀牌
劉慧茵 梁育榮 黃君恒	硬地滾球	銀牌
梁育榮	硬地滾球	銅牌
陳浩源	羽毛球	銅牌
王婷荳	乒乓球	銅牌

當天時地利人和都配合好後，本會將為以上名單的獎牌得主安排另一個頒授儀式，藉以嘉許一眾表現出色的運動員。

隨著奧運完結，本會將迎來新一個體育賽季，由於疫情不再像上年那麼嚴重，希望未來幾個月可以陸續如常進行各項體育活動。長遠來看，各個體育部門的聯賽賽事亦幾乎肯定能夠恢復進行，對於眾多球員來說，實在是支強心針。

最後提提大家，本會將於11月11日（星期四）晚上7點在體育館舉行周年大會。如去年一樣，為了推動環保方面的可持續發展，將不會郵遞印刷版本的年報，而是透過超連結及/或QR Code的方式傳送給會員。假如未能於網上閱覽電子副本，櫃檯亦備有少量實體版年報以供取閱。

主席 胡米高

## OBITUARY

*We were saddened to hear the news of the recent passing of longstanding Members*

**Mike Griffiths and Lilian Walton, wife of Jack Walton**

*Our thoughts and prayers go to her family and friends. May she rest in peace.*

# Ah Shucks

A great selection of freshly shucked oysters has returned to the Chairman's Bar throughout the month of October and maybe longer. Ask your server for the daily selection.



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# FROM THE DESK OF MARK PAWLEY

## 總經理的話

Mark Pawley  
General Manager



As noted in last month's article our sporting sections etc have been engaged in pre-season training, indeed, at time of writing it, is encouraging to note that our men's and ladies Hockey teams have already started their respective league season as have our Yau Yee League footballers. Our Premier League men's and ladies' rugby teams start their respective League campaigns this coming weekend and I understand that Squash and Netball (Leagues) are not too far behind. Our men's and ladies Lawn Bowls teams are already engaged in the second half of their respective summer Leagues. All in all, this augurs well for a full competitive League season for all our sports, something, of course, that has been lacking for quite some time. I wish all our sporting teams the very best of luck in the season ahead, in particular, it would be great to see our Soccer first team do well in the HKFA Premier League against the "professionals"!

With the sporting season in mind, I would like to remind members, as I always do at this time of the year that **you should not leave valuables and personal belongings lying attended around the Club**. The Attendants on duty in the Changing Rooms are able to secure your valuables and we can provide Day Lockers, it required.

As regards the Infield and, more specifically, the Main Pitch, **parents are again reminded to supervise their children at all times** especially from "playing" on the Pitch on match days! Grounds Staff have been told to remove children from the "dead ball" area on the Main Pitch during matches, in particular on rugby days. And, for those of you who will be playing sports this season please see the reminder notice at the foot of the page ensuring that you all have adequate medical and personal accident insurance.

I look forward to seeing you all at the Club.

**Mark Pawley**  
General Manager

大家還有印象的話，上個月的文章曾經提過本會眾多體育部展開了季前訓練，短短一個月，在本文下筆之際，男女曲棍球隊的聯賽已經各自開鑼，友誼聯賽的足球員亦重新踏上了綠茵球場，實在振奮人心，男子及女子欖球隊的超級聯賽則於這個周末開季，緊隨其後的是壁球及投球聯賽的揭幕戰，而草地滾球的男女子隊更已經進入夏季聯賽的下半季。總括而言，各體育部聯賽的順利開季，預示著過往密集而無間斷的賽程將會捲土重來，相信大家都有一段時間沒有享受過一個完整的賽季。祝本會所有隊伍在這個賽季有更上一層樓的發揮，尤其是足球一隊，希望能夠看到他們在香港超級聯賽以超水準的表現，迎戰其他「久經沙場」的球隊。

提到賽季，想提大家每逢比賽，都要像本人一樣**時刻妥善保管貴重及個人物品**，如果需要協助，當值的更衣室服務員能夠為大家保管財物，有需要的話更可以使用儲物櫃，自然就萬無一失。

除了保管個人財物，在此再次提醒**家長請時刻看管自己的小朋友**，特別是比賽日，更要份外留心小朋友在球場上「嬉戲」！場地人員已經收到明確指示，比賽期間須確保主球場的「死球」範圍沒有任何小朋友在場，尤其是欖球比賽日，碰撞更激烈，便會加倍危險。另外，假如大家這一季會參與任何體育活動的話，可以花點時間細閱頁底的重要提醒，確保自己有足夠的醫療及個人意外保險，安心參與喜愛的運動。

期待與大家在本會相見。

總經理 龐禮文

## NOTICE TO MEMBERS MEDICAL AND PERSONAL ACCIDENT INSURANCE

The Club would like to take this opportunity to remind all of its Members to ensure that they have adequate medical and personal accident insurance in place when playing any sport.

Members are reminded that it is not the Club's responsibility to provide its Members or any other persons using its facilities, or playing on behalf of the Club, with insurance in respect of personal injuries sustained, or any other damage caused when playing sport. This applies to all sporting activities, including matches, practices and social games howsoever connected with the Club.

Anyone playing sport should consult an insurance broker to arrange comprehensive personal insurance such as:

- Medical coverage to insure the Member or player in respect of any medical treatment required; and
- General accident coverage providing payment to the Member or player for any serious accident or liability insurance for injury or damage caused to others.



# HONORARY MEMBERSHIP CEREMONY



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## SWIMMING AND TRIATHLON

# SWIMRUN



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Swimrun is a new sport at the Swimming and Triathlon Society. It is an endurance sport that combines open water swimming and running, and provides a total freedom of movement. In order to avoid change of gear at transitions, Swimrun athletes carry all their equipment all the time. They swim with their shoes, and since shoes tend to drag you down, athletes are allowed to use a pullbuoy between their legs and hand paddles to swim faster. In a Swimrun, you alternate between swimming and running multiple times in a race.

Swimrun is about experiencing nature in the purest possible way, sometimes unpredictable, always raw and beautiful. Athletes are in harmony with nature, and respect themselves, their teammate, others and the environment.

### THE STORY OF SWIMRUN

Swimrun started with a drunken bet. Four friends from Utö, an island in the archipelago of Stockholm, challenged each other: the last team of two reaching the island of Sandhamn over 50 kilometres away would pay for the Hotel, dinner and drinks for the winning team.

Two teams of two started the next morning with the only rule being that they had to pass the three different restaurants on the islands between the start and the finish. It took them more than 24 hours and they were too tired to party on arrival.

In 2006, Michael Lemmel and Mats Skott were asked if they could make



Bjorn, Nicolas, Alex, Matthieu, Leanne and Jessica at the last race in Sai Kung, taking top spots in all the categories



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Matthieu and Nicolas in ÖTILLÖ World Series in Hvar, Croatia in 2019

a commercial race out of this crazy challenge, and they called the race ÖTILLÖ (island to island in Swedish). The sport of Swimrun was born!

ÖTILLÖ is the leading brand and the origin of the sport, and ÖTILLÖ, the Swimrun World Championship, is the original Swimrun race. In the first couple of years, only 11 teams started, and only two managed to finish within the time limits. Today, the race is internationally recognised as the SWIMRUN WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP, which consists of 10km of open water swimming in cold, sometimes rough seas with a lot of currents, and 65km of technical trails and slippery rocks, over and between 24 islands in the Stockholm archipelago. The 15th edition of the ÖTILLÖ, the Swimrun World Championship, will be held on 6th September with 160 teams from 21 countries and among them the best Swimrun athletes in the world. It has been ranked by CNN as one of the toughest races in the world.

**SWIMRUN TODAY**

The phenomenon of alternating between running and swimming on a natural course has grown to be a new popular sport. Swimrun is one of the fastest growing endurance sports around the world.

Today, Swimrun exists on all non-frozen continents, and there are over 400 Swimrun races yearly in the world, some of which are in stunning locations. Apart from the ÖTILLÖ World Championship, there are shorter races, such as the ÖTILLÖ World Series, Sprint and Experience races, some of which are open for solo racers.

**SWIMRUN IN ASIA AND HONG KONG**

There are no official ÖTILLÖ races in Asia yet. However, several Swimrun races are taking part in a few countries in Asia and Oceania, including Australia, Indonesia, Japan and Hong Kong.

Several members of the Swimming and Triathlon Society are now hooked to the



Swimrun equipment

sport, and members have won 5 of the 7 Swimrun races overall that have been held in Hong Kong so far, all organised by TerraMar Hong Kong.

Two of our members, Athlete of the Month **Matthieu Maury** and his teammate **Nicolas Gontard**, have participated in 2 of the 9 ÖTILLÖ World Series races in Hvar (Croatia) and Cannes (France), which are qualifier races for the ÖTILLÖ Swimrun World Championship.

**If you are interested in joining us on races or training, please contact the Swimming and Triathlon Society.**

ATHLETE OF THE MONTH

# MATTHIEU MAURY

We met with Matthieu Maury, one of Hong Kong's best open water swimmers. Despite his generous silhouette, Matthieu is a fierce competitor who has won several races in Hong Kong in open water swimming and Swimrun competitions. Matthieu is ranked as one of Hong Kong's very best Swimrun athletes, if not the best. Although he only started running recently, nobody has won more Swimrun races in Hong Kong than Matthieu!

## When did you start competing?

"I started competing when I was 14 years old. I have always been swimming but came late to the competing side. I was juggling between different sports and skiing (slalom) was my main competitive sport at the time."

## What are your favourite events?

"As a teenager it was 100-200m freestyle events. Today, the most exciting one would be a 5km open water race where you have time to enjoy the race, competing side by side with your friends and drafting as much as possible to save energy until the final 100m sprint 😊"

## What are your greatest accomplishments?

"Nicolas Gontard and I have been jumping as a team into a sport called Swimrun, where you have to run and swim through trails and rough open water sections for 40km total. We did some races in Europe and hopefully can do the World Championships within the next 2 years. Solo, I succeeded to finish a 100km trail race in Hong Kong and more recently came 1st overall at the D'Ag Dash, a 5km open water 5km race in Hong Kong."

NB: Matthieu also finished 2nd in the age group 20-39 at the McBean Middle Island Race in July.

## How you found the HKFC swim team?

"When I came to Hong Kong, I decided to join an open water group and start back swimming after a 6-year gap. By doing training and races, I rapidly met HKFC members and was lucky to be part of the team."

## When did you join?

"I joined in 2017. Right before the olympians wave of new members (Olympic swimmers and runners). It is amazing to acknowledge their speed and technique."

## MATTHIEU'S FAVOURITES

### Favourite place to swim in HK

"Around middle island. Choppy, nice currents and a feeling of speed when you swim within the Chanel on the way back to Repulse Bay."

### Post race treat

"Coffee and pain au Chocolat at Frenchies Bakery and Coffee in Central SOHO. Pass by to say hi!"

### Most exciting race

"Clean Half. 15km from Stanley back beach to Deep Water Bay. You got time to think!"

### Favourite HKFC meal

"Chocolate brownie and ice cream"



On 4th September in Utö, Sweden, Nicolas Gontard came 12th overall (out of 160 participants) at the ÖTILLÖ UTÖ Swimrun Sprint in a time of 1h51. The course is the last 15km of the World Championship course and consists of 12 swims and 13 runs between islands for a total distance of 2.65km swim and 10km run on forest trails and rocks.

## CAITRIONA JENNINGS

Caitriona Jennings, all smiles after winning the Anglo Celtic Plate and Irish National 100km Championships

On 21st August 2021 in Kildare, Ireland, Caitriona Jennings, an Olympian and Swimming and Triathlon Society member, led the Ireland Women's Team to the first ever victory in the 26-year history of the Anglo Celtic Plate with a record-breaking time of 7:43:01. This beats the previous Irish record of 7:52:45 set in 2007. In the 100km race, Caitriona claimed the Irish National 100km title, beating all Irish males and females combined.



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## MINI RUGBY

# MEET THE PRO COACHES

We now have a blend of new and familiar faces in our Pro Coach ranks, all with a strong pedigree and heaps of rugby experience. They are chomping at the bit and looking forward to kicking off the new 2021-22 season with our contact age-groups.

Under 12 Girls



Caitlin Simpson

Under 12s



Paul Gualino

Under 11s



Jordan Earle

POSITION	Prop	Back Row	Wing / outside centre
PREVIOUS CLUB(S)	DMP Sharks, Gloucester-Hartpury	Montauban (junior), Stade Toulouse (development) 2 times France Champions, Blagnac (French 3rd Division), HKFC Club	Newcastle University
COACHING EXPERIENCE	Volunteer mixed U8's at Tynedale RFC	Stade Toulousain (U11), HKFC U11 (2019-20)	School / Club juniors
AREA OF EXPERTISE	Breakdown and Defence	Breakdown area and tackle technique are my speciality. <i>"A good knowledge of how to tackle is important for the security of a player – I enjoy teaching these areas."</i>	Attack
INTERVIEW Q&A HIGHLIGHT	<p>BEST MOMENT OF YOUR RUGBY CAREER TO DATE</p> <p><b>"It would have to be playing in front of a crowd at Twickenham for Hartpury College at London 7's!"</b></p> <p>FAVOURITE RUGBY MOMENT</p> <p><b>"Fiji 7s team winning Gold at Rio Olympics"</b></p> <p>RUGBY GOAT</p> <p><b>"Richie McCaw"</b></p> <p>WHAT WOULD BE YOUR PERFECT SUNDAY when not coaching HKFC Mini Rugby!</p> <p><b>"A ride out to the beach, getting in the water and then finding a place that does good food and coffee!!"</b></p>	<p>BEST MOMENT OF YOUR RUGBY CAREER TO DATE</p> <p><b>"Winning League and Competition for HKFC last season especially with this group of players."</b></p> <p>FAVOURITE RUGBY MOMENT</p> <p><b>"France destroying NZ in the Rugby World Cup 2007"</b></p> <p>RUGBY GOAT</p> <p><b>"As a forward and third row, I'd say Sergio Parisse. Such a legend Forza Italia!"</b></p> <p>WHAT WOULD BE YOUR PERFECT SUNDAY when not coaching HKFC Mini Rugby!</p> <p><b>"BBQ on the beach"</b></p>	<p>WHAT DO I BRING TO THE AGE GROUP</p> <p><b>"Developing confidence in beating players"</b></p> <p>MY TIP FOR THE SEASON</p> <p><b>"Never underestimate the importance of handling skills!"</b></p> <p>BEST MOMENT OF YOUR RUGBY CAREER TO DATE</p> <p><b>"Scoring a hattrick against my schools rivals in the local derby"</b></p> <p>FAVOURITE RUGBY TEAM</p> <p><b>"Newcastle Falcons"</b></p> <p>RUGBY GOAT</p> <p><b>"Joe Rokocoko"</b></p> <p>WHAT WOULD BE YOUR PERFECT SUNDAY when not coaching HKFC Mini Rugby!</p> <p><b>"Beach day with a BBQ and a couple of brews"</b></p>

Under 10 Girls



Tilly Churm

Under 10s



Pene Smith

Under 9s



Pierce MacKinlay-West

POSITION	8	Full back	Openside Flanker
PREVIOUS CLUB(S)	Yorkshire women, Darlington Mowden Park and Castleford Tigers	Morrinsville's rugby and sports	Terenure College RFC, Naas RFC, Blackrock College RFC
COACHING EXPERIENCE	Player/coach at Yorkshire. Primary school rugby training sessions	2 years coaching	4 years under-age coaching experience at HKFC and HKU Sandy Bay. I am a World Rugby Level 2 certified coach and I also possess a Level 1 qualification in rugby sevens coaching.
AREA OF EXPERTISE	Attack plays and game structure	Backs, attack and defence	Developing young players, contact skills
INTERVIEW Q&A HIGHLIGHT	<p><b>WHAT DO I BRING TO THE AGE GROUP</b>                      "Experience that I can relate to the girls. One of my biggest skills personally as a forward is my ball handling skills because having quality fundamental skills across the board is what makes a good player, so I hope I can show that and teach them small but important skills to the team."</p> <p><b>MY TIP FOR THE SEASON</b>                      "Never underestimate the importance of handling skills!"</p> <p><b>BEST MOMENT OF YOUR RUGBY CAREER TO DATE</b>                      "Being captain in the county final which we played at Twickenham, I scored two tries, got player of the match and we won!! It was an amazing feeling."</p> <p><b>RUGBY GOAT</b>                      "Sam Burgess"</p> <p><b>WHAT WOULD BE YOUR PERFECT SUNDAY when not coaching HKFC Mini Rugby!</b>                      "Lazy morning lay in having a big breakfast and a nice coffee, then get up see friends family to have a catch up. And go for a walk or a run if I haven't had a game the day before. Then chill out watching tv for the evening 😊"</p>	<p><b>MY TIP FOR THE SEASON</b>                      "Be ready to learn work and have fun"</p> <p><b>BEST MOMENT OF YOUR RUGBY CAREER TO DATE</b>                      "Representing NZ7s select (development)"</p> <p><b>FAVOURITE RUGBY TEAM</b>                      "All Blacks"</p> <p><b>RUGBY GOAT</b>                      "DC, Dan Carter"</p> <p><b>WHAT WOULD BE YOUR PERFECT SUNDAY when not coaching HKFC Mini Rugby!</b>                      "Chilling relaxing by the pool or at the beach"</p>	<p><b>WHAT DO I BRING TO THE AGE GROUP</b>                      "Several years of experience developing young players through enjoyable and engaging sessions built around gameplay. I hope to pass on some of my knowledge from my own experience learning about rugby in Hong Kong and overseas and most importantly, make the year as much fun as possible for all the kids."</p> <p><b>MY TIP FOR THE SEASON</b>                      "Get a ball in your hands, find a brother, sister or friend and have some fun!"</p> <p><b>BEST MOMENT OF YOUR RUGBY CAREER TO DATE</b>                      "Making my debut for the Hong Kong national team in Nairobi vs Kenya."</p> <p><b>FAVOURITE RUGBY TEAM</b>                      "All Blacks or Leinster"</p> <p><b>RUGBY GOAT</b>                      "Richie McCaw"</p> <p><b>WHAT WOULD BE YOUR PERFECT SUNDAY when not coaching HKFC Mini Rugby!</b>                      "Some sun, a dip in the sea and a BBQ."</p>



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# MINI RUGBY

## FROM THE CHAIRMAN

### KIT COLLECTION ...

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### TRAINING

A request, repeated: the Head Coaches and Team Managers are working hard to schedule useful sessions, maximising pitch space. If you confirm that your daughter or son will participate (via TeamSnap), and then your plans change, please tell your Head Coach / Team Manager immediately, so that

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# CONNECTS SOCCER AND BUSINESS Q&A

**Which football team do you support?**  
"Manchester United"

**Who is your favourite football player that has been the most inspirational to you?**

"Eric Cantona, who had the arrogance of a rooster but backed it up with sublime play."

**What is your favourite football memory?**

"My son, Harry, scoring an overhead scissor kick on behalf of the HKFC."

**Has football had any influence on how you lead your business?**

"We speak of football stats, but football is a team game. The interplay between all players not just those on the pitch is what wins the game. This is a lesson that I have always applied to The Executive Centre."

**Who was your player of the Euro 2020 tournament?**

"Luke Shaw. England progressed to the finals on the back of a very tight defence, but relied on the defensive backs to bomb forward in counter attack. I also enjoyed how Luke Shaw faced down criticism from Jose Mourinho by shining on the pitch."

**What is your team of the tournament for Euro 2020?**

"Denmark, who suffered the shock of Eriksen having a heart attack but still progressed to the semi-finals."

**If you could change any rule in football, what would it be?**

"Diving, which occurs regularly, should be a clear yellow card offence and players should be carded every time. Very soon, we would find that the robustness quotient of players would rise significantly."

**If TEC were a football team, what would be the ball that it was chasing?**

"A hat trick of Market Leading Profitability, Market Leading Client Satisfaction, and Market Leading Workforce Happiness."

**There is no 'I' in team, so what would you say holds together a strong team in business?**

"A clear understanding of the Strategy and Mission, clear understanding of everyone's Roles and Contributions, and a healthy respect for the competition."

**What is your advice for other business people, especially during times of challenge like COVID-19?**

"The economic impact that we are all feeling is due to Covid, not due to economic weaknesses. Yes there will be a change to the future of work, and businesses will need to adapt, but fundamentally as soon as Covid becomes controlled, like past global crises, business will rebound, and rebound stronger. And that comes from my experience in the APAC market for over 27 years. So my advice for other business people is to stay agile and optimistic and to take this time of challenge as an opportunity to foster a stronger team ahead and fortify your business resiliency for whatever the future may hold."

**What is the value of having a strong business network (like at the HKFC or a TEC Community)?**

"Keeping with the football analogy, a strong multi-market network is like a strong multi-person team. At any one time there will be a market/people who are over and under-performing. A balance across all markets/all positions is the best way to complete the season/fiscal year."



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## LAWN BOWLS



# GAME ON!

**W**e are not out of pandemic, as yet, and whilst there cannot be a return to complete normality, we continue our journey to learn to live and bowl with the virus. HKLBA competition and Club games have restarted gradually as the epidemic gradually eases, and our Section members are delighted about the resumption. Are you ready to show your fists?

Apart from the ongoing national games (National Fours / Mixed Triples / Indoor Pairs / Novice Pairs), the second half of the Premier League season kicked into full gear in late August. Let's cheer for our bowlers!

## GREEN RE-OPENED

After being closed for a month for regular maintenance, the Outdoor Bowls Green re-opened in mid-August. Applause to "Fa-wong" who toiled in the hot sun to ensure the green was in magnificent shape! Thanks!

## MINI LEAGUE COMPLETED

After 10 rounds of top quality bowling, Frankie Ko became the Champion, with Calinna Chan as 1st runner up and Thomas Tam and Raphael Chan the joint 2nd runners-up. A mention must

go to the hard working members of the Committee who ensured the success of the Mini League. And a big thank you to all our section members for your enthusiastic participation! Well done to all!

## BEGINNER CLASS

Led by HK Squad's Assistant Coach Sunny Chung, the second Beginner's Course was completed successfully. Lawn Bowls is no longer a game for the older generations, but a sport for all. We are glad to see everyone's rookie interest in lawn bowls. See you on the field!



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## SQUASH



# SQUASH SUMMER JUNIOR CAMP

**T**his was the summer of squash! Over the span of 5 weeks, we practiced for 2 hours a day. We coached 125 students in total with up to 30 kids on any given day. Our oldest students were energetic and enthusiastic 14 year olds, while our littlest munchkins were as young as 4 years old. Some of these students may end up being future junior elites, but for the camp, most were complete beginners, so our goal was to expose them to the basic skills of squash, and most importantly, teach them to love the game and have fun. Throughout the summer camp, we drilled forehand and backhand drives, cross courts, boasts, drops, volleys

and serves. We also played fun games like tag and dodgeball, and improved fitness through court ghosting and relay races. The most popular game among students and coaches was probably Tic Tac Toe, because it is competitive and forces students to think critically while running and working together as a team. We put special emphasis on teaching serves so that the students would be able to play matches. Every Friday, we summarised what we learned that week and hosted a massive round robin for all the students so that they would be able to implement what they learned and see where they match up with their friends.

All the students improved tremendously. For the coaches, Fridays were the best days because we got to see students fulfill their potential by putting their lessons to the test in matches. Over the past month, since the end of the summer camp, I have run into a few students at the Club who are continuing to play squash and passionately improving their skills. Beyond their squash skills, we got to see students become more confident, independent, and mature, and make new friends. As coaches, we were also able to improve our skills by working together, learning new coaching techniques, and being exposed to different ability levels of students.

From all the coaches to the parents: thank you for putting your trust in us. To all the students: great job and keep playing! We hope that you enjoyed the summer camp as much as we did and that you will sign up for more coaching in the fall. See you on court!

**Tim Calder**

# THE RYDER BOWL

HKFC GOLF SOCIETY V. THE AMERICAN CLUB  
HONG KONG GOLF SOCIETY



Kau Sai Chau East Course | Thursday 8th July, 2021

The Ryder Bowl is an annual fixture first played in 2003 and is usually played over a weekend at Lotus Hill Golf Resort in Panyu. Given the quarantine restrictions on both sides of the border and the scarcity of local golf course bookings, both Captains agreed to play the fixture again this year on a single day in Hong Kong at Kai Sai Chau GC.

The Americans got a good pasting last year and were staring down the barrel at a hat-trick of defeats this year. If we could win, that would make it 9 wins each, plus 1 draw. So, plenty to play for either way. Our intel was working. We saw 4 of their team practicing on the East Course just 2 days before game day. A few withdrawals meant some new faces on either team, giving this historical fixture some freshness. Neither side giving or receiving too many shots from each other, with high/low pairings being the order of the day.

Fortunately, no heavy traffic into Sai Kung meant that some of us arrived earlier than expected, allowing for a hearty breakfast and plenty of valuable preparation time on the range. The July slot meant it was our hottest Ryder Bowl, but with a steady breeze and 66% humidity, plus lots of recent rain, these were good conditions for low scores. How hot would our golf be though?

Our lead pairing of **Jason and Malou Waldie** were up against their Captain Nick Lock and Andy Ho. Malou was

pairing up versus these two again after losing 2 down last year, so revenge would be sweet. Her putting was very good and proved to be enough to swing a very tight affair, which again went to the 18th hole. Fortunately, this time, we won 1 up.

That was followed by a 3 and 2 victory by our Captain **Andrew Wood and Marco Jorge**. We were never down versus stalwarts Darian Yip and Richard Lo, having taken the lead on the 2nd hole. Andrew played well early on, mixed with the Americans missing 3 makeable putts to go 2 up after 4 holes. However, a comeback was never far away. Marco now in top gear, but our opponents started making their putts and using their shots to swing the match from 4 to 2 down with 3 holes to play. A needed clutch putt of Richard's skimmed the hole on the 16th, game over, with HKFC now 2 matches to the good.

**Bill King and Graeme Brechin** resplendent in new team kit, ham and egged to great effect in their match against Steven Lee and Sean Whiple. Graeme used his shots wisely, taking the tough Par 5 6th hole in his stride. Never really troubled, we could swing freely, making it a good day at the office with a 5 and 3 victory. Therefore, we were now 3 played and 3 up overall. The trophy retained and further glory well in sight.

Our next pairing of regulars **Terry Wright and JP Cuvelier** looked a good bet to bring it home against Nicholas Wong and Michael Elko. Terry got off to a real flyer (think rugby, no pun intended), with the team going 7 up after 7 holes, in his front 9 level par. Our American friends then plied our pair with welcome cold beers during the back 9, hoping to steal a march. While the deficit was reduced, a decent 4 and 3 win resulted in the silverware coming back to Sports Road for a third year in a row.

**John Thompson and Helen Hayward** were spotted all smiles on the 14th fairway in their match against Jonathan Chu and Henry Yu, although we couldn't decipher by their hand signals if they were in fact 2 or 3 up at that point. Any case, they did more than enough by winning 4 and 3, in what was now becoming a rout.

The anchor match brought together death golf specialists **Justin Faulkner and Will Glover**, who were up against Sam Gellman and Randall King (the latter a former Davis Cup tennis player).



Will (also an ex-national junior Hockey player) was one of a few Englishmen in the team who had been up all night supporting 'The Three Lions' and was in such a good mood, celebrating their semi-final victory over Denmark with a fair few beers from the off. Sometimes it helps loosen the swing, sometimes it doesn't. Fortunately, Will did well under the circumstances, but it was Justin's clutch putt from 20 odd feet on the 14th that sealed victory 5 and 4 and an historical whitewash 6-0 overall!!!

Everyone stayed on for a very social

beer and a bite in the clubhouse, with the odd cigar for those inclined. Always good banter with our friends from Tai Tam and much bon homme.

The famous and rather large Ryder Bowl therefore remains in our burgeoning trophy cabinet for yet another year, and we look forward to defending it against our old adversaries next year, which will be the 20th Anniversary, hopefully back on the mainland in September/October as per usual.

**Andrew Wood**  
**Captain, Golf Society**

**NEAREST TO THE PIN**

- Hole 3      **Sam Gellman**
- Hole 5      **Terry Wright**
- Hole 8      **Michael Elko**
- Hole 13     **Randall King**
- Hole 15     **Terry Wright**

**LONGEST DRIVE**

- Hole 17     **Marco Jorge**  
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# GOLF OUTINGS

Kau Sai Chau East Course  
Thursday 24th June, 2021

For our latest event, we were again faced with very soggy weather with rain all week and a highly unstable weather forecast. Kau Sai Chau unusually told us that we could cancel the flight during the morning with no penalty if we chose. Despite this, 21 brave golfers still turned up prepared for the challenge, even though the yellow rain signal had been hoisted at around 8:30 a.m. On the ferry, our collective psyche focused on brightening up the sky and keeping any rain to a minimum.

Will Glover sent me an email the night before to inform me that he could not join the golf event because of a work commitment. Luckily Terry Wright was able to step in at the last moment to make sure no valuable tee time slots were wasted. Thank you Terry.

The first to tee off were the low

handicappers **Terry Wright, Jonny Brock, Jason Waldie** and **Matthew Keefe**.

They decided they wanted to make life a little tougher and so played off the blue tees which are significantly longer, especially the par threes. Hole 5 and 8 off the white are a friendly 140 yards and (not quite so friendly) 180 yards, but from the blues are 200 yards and a ferocious 230 yards, virtually all of that a forced carry! Despite that, they still managed to shoot respectable scores

with Terry Wright shooting the lowest score of 84 for the best gross.

In my group, I joined **Law Ka Keung, Steve Lam** and **Albert Lam**. Law Ka Keung is famous for his precise driving, unerringly splitting the fairways. He made 4 pars and managed to shoot 101 for 32 stableford points to secure third place. Steve took a totally different approach to the game, comfortably driving 250 yards, but not necessarily on the correct bearing. He also possessed solid iron play, allowing him to register his name on the flags 3 times for the nearest to the pin. He also managed to par 3 of the 5 par 5's. Unfortunately, his putting was rather rusty, making no fewer than 6 3-putts and missing numerous short putts during the round. And as we all know, a 2 foot putt is worth the same as a 250 yard drive!

Happy Golfing

**Ted Li**

## NEAREST TO THE PIN

Hole 3	<b>Albert Lam</b>
Hole 5	<b>Steve Lee</b>
Hole 8	<b>Malou Waldie</b>
Hole 13	<b>Koen Pijpers</b>
Hole 15	<b>Adrian Worth</b>

## BEST GROSS

1st place	<b>Terry Wright</b>	83 points
2nd place	<b>Ted Li</b>	34 points
3rd place	<b>Koen Pijpers</b>	
	<b>Law Ka Keung</b>	





Kau Sai Chau South Course  
Thursday 22th July, 2021

We enjoyed a surprisingly pleasant event at KSC South on the 22nd July. Despite the typhoon signal 3 being hoisted on Monday, we were blessed with a bright, hot day. Sadly, the course condition was not as spotless as the weather as it had suffered from the recent downpours, so some bunkers were filled with water and the greens were a bit muddy. Such is golf and the rules of golf are designed to allow for such conditions.

Again, we were pleased to welcome some new faces to join the event, with this being the first time for Mark Li and Jane Fung to take part in a Golf Society event. Welcome aboard!

The first to tee off were **Andrew Wood, Robin Zavou, David Williams** and **Nickolas Dalais**. Andrew Wood had an excellent day on the links with 9 pars and 8 bogeys for a gross 80 and 37 stableford points to claim victory.

In my group, I partnered **Choy Sheung Ki, Thomas Yiu** and **Mark Gah Chun Li**. Mark Li has only been a member of the Golf Society member for a month. Previously he played in UK, so this was literally his first time at KSC. He did not play particularly well over the front 9, but he picked up his swing slowly on the back 9. His cunning plan was to try to use his right elbow to lead his swing. His idea being that this would help his hands arrive further forward at impact to improve the ball contact. Whatever the technical merits of this might be, it certainly seemed to work for him as with this drill he was able to hit his 5 wood 200 yards and land softly at hole 16. With only 6 feet left to the hole, Mark was able to claim the nearest to the pin.

Choy Sheung Ki has only been playing golf for six months. On hole 13, Choy mishit his first two shots, leaving him with an uphill shot of 150 yards. Unflustered, with 7 iron in hand, he stuck his approach shot to 7 yards short of the hole resulting in a bogey. For a newcomer to the game, a very successful result. Well done!

Happy Golfing

Ted Li

### BEST GROSS

	Ted Li	87 points
1st place	<b>Andrew Wood</b>	37 points
2nd place	<b>Jean Paul Cuvelier</b>	36 points
3rd place	<b>Michael Duggan</b>	

### NEAREST TO THE PIN

Hole 2	<b>William Tsui</b>
Hole 5	<b>Dave Williams</b>
Hole 11	<b>Nick Dallais</b>
Hole 16	<b>Mark Gah Chun Li</b>

### 2 SHOTS NEAREST TO THE PIN

Hole 7	<b>Mike Haynes</b>
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### LONGEST DRIVE

Male	<b>Mark Gah Chun Li</b>
Female	<b>Elizabeth Dendle</b>



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## GOLF

# THE DRAGON GOLF CHALLENGE

HKFC GOLF SOCIETY V.  
HONG KONG CRICKET  
CLUB GOLF SOCIETY

Kau Sai Chau East Course  
Wednesday 4th August, 2021

The Dragon Golf Challenge is an annual fixture first played in 2003 and over the years, has been played over different courses in Hong Kong, Macau and China. It was unfortunately not played last year due to the pandemic, so this "local derby" was even more eagerly anticipated than normal.

The cricketers won this match in close contest in both 2018 and 2019, so we were staring down the barrel at a hat-trick of defeats this year. If we could win, that would make it 7 wins each, plus 4 draws (note: this fixture was not played every year). So, plenty to play for either way. Our intel was working. We had a sighting of some of their team practicing on the East Course just 5 days before game day. A few withdrawals meant some new faces on either team, giving this historical fixture plenty of freshness. Apart from a couple of flights, neither side giving or receiving too many shots from each other, with high/low pairings being the order of the day.

Fortunately, the 'soft' T3 signal had

come down to a T1 overnight, so we were good to go. Normal traffic into Sai Kung meant that some of us arrived earlier than expected, allowing for a full monty breakfast and plenty of valuable preparation time on the range. The August slot and the tail of the typhoon meant it was our most humid Dragon Golf Challenge, albeit with a steady breeze offering some consolation. Given lots of recent rain, local ruling of lift, clean and place on the fairways was agreed by both Captains.

Our lead pair of **Phil Head and Kien Ng** were taking on their Captain and ex-golf professional Kingsley Kelly and Kenny Wong. Playing against a Plus 1 golfer, Phil and Kien knew they had little room for error. A few early mistakes by HKFC were clawed back to 1 down after 13 holes. Our Chairman then won the 14th and 16th holes, with an up and down half on the 15th hole, for our pair to take a slender lead 1 up. Kien chipped to within 4 feet on the 17th hole, but Phil was not to be usurped by sinking his 10 foot putt for the win (sneaky), a fighting 2 and 1 victory.

That was followed by a 2 and 1 defeat by our Captain **Andrew Wood and Marco Jorge**. Americans Eric Selner and Neal Goldman could both clearly play being 10 handicappers, but Eric's

drive and 4-iron into the 1st green (Par 5) to win the hole with an easy birdie, was a stark warning to the HKFC pair. The front 9 holes was a grind to hang onto their coat tails, but a decent back 9 holes by the Sports Road pair took the game to the 17th hole, where the match concluded. Between our opponents they had 5 birdies and Eric, who was playing the East course for the first time, was gross 1 over for the round. A really good and high quality match.

**Bill King** partnered **Taylor Hui** in their match against Jeremy Platts and Matt Davies. Taylor started very well and the HKFC pair took the lead. Unfortunately, Bill's dreaded shanks returned at just the wrong moment, which like a virus was transmitted to Taylor. So, within a blink of an eye, a lead turned to a deficit, with the 17th hole again proving decisive in this 2 and 1 loss.

Our next pairing of **Tom McColl and JP Cuvelier** looked a good bet on paper to bring home a point to square the match against John Briscoe and Ryan Voon. Clearly the HKFC pair were living up to their billing as they raced to Dormie 6. Then a slight wobble with the finishing line in sight, but not to be outdone closing out the match 5 and 3. Overall match position now 2-2. HKFC still needed at least 1½ points from the last two flights to bring the trophy back to Happy Valley for the first time in 4 years. Game on.

**Jonny Brock and Justin Faulkner** were feeling confident in their match against Tim Mann and Tim Chillington. Word out at the 19th hole was that the 'Two Tim's' were often seen in the drop zones, so hopes were high for HKFC to regain the lead. Clearly this 'intelligence' provided misplaced confidence, as it was looking all rather serious on the 18th green. Following Jonny's opening hole birdie,





our pair had missed a few 15-20 foot putts, so Justin's 20 footer for a closing birdie to win the match was no guarantee. That said, this Aussie is a real fighter and not for the first time this year, proved what a great clutch putter he is by nonchalantly knocking it into the cup for a narrow but sweet 1 up victory. Now 3-2 overall.

The anchor and pivotal match brought together the old and the young in **Terry Wright** and debutant **Harry Hui**, both single figure handicappers. The former a rugby legend and the latter a 14-year old HKGA National Junior Development Player with a big potential. Probably slightly nervous and not having played the course much, young Harry lost balls on the first couple of holes. It was a slow start for the HKFC pair. So slow that Harry was more interested in texting

his friends ahead of a farewell party for schoolmates later on! Around the turn, Terry started to click as a birdie fest arrived, although it was Harry who parred the 17th hole to finish off the match 2 and 1 to the good guys! HKFC winning the contest 4-2.

Most stayed on for a cheeky beer and a bite in the clubhouse, with Kien puffing away on his cigar following what was 'a good day at the office'. It was great to see the cricketers again, always a close and fun match - and weren't we lucky with the weather, because as soon as we were done, the hooter went to close the course due to thunderstorms and lightning.

The quite beautiful Dragon Golf Challenge Shield then returned to Sports Road where the champagne flowed and we

look forward to defending it against our old enemies next year, which will be the 19th Anniversary.

**Andrew Wood**  
**Captain, Golf Society**

**NEAREST TO THE PIN**

- Hole 3 **Marco Jorge**
- Hole 5 **Matt Davies**
- Hole 8 **Justin Faulkner**
- Hole 13 **Kingsley Kelly**
- Hole 15 **Jonny Brock**

**LONGEST DRIVE**

- Hole 17 **Kingsley Kelly**

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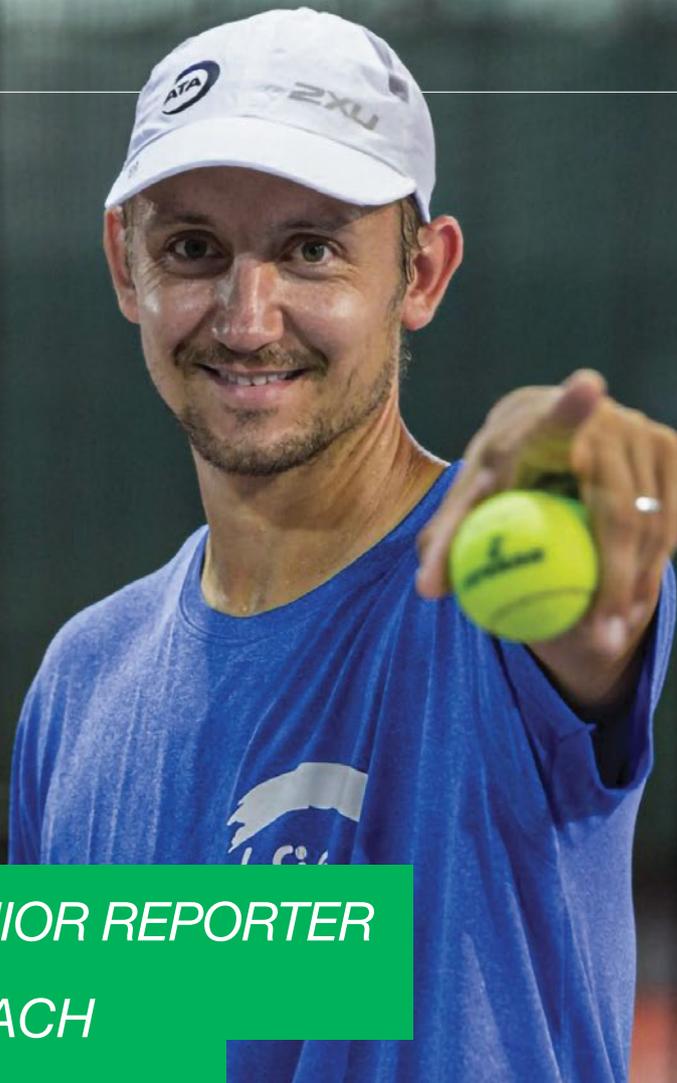
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Tennis Society Junior Reporter



## TENNIS SOCIETY JUNIOR REPORTER INTERVIEW WITH ATA HKFC HEAD COACH

# TOBY CLARK

This month I decided to interview Toby Clark. Coming all the way from the UK, Coach Toby has been coaching with ATA for 12 years. Find out about his intriguing stories and experiences.

### When did you start playing tennis?

"I started when I was 5 years old, playing short tennis with a plastic racquet and sponge balls - the equivalent of mini tennis that is played now."

### What influenced you to play tennis?

"My parents were a big influence and very supportive of my brothers and I trying lots of different sports. My mum, who played county level tennis in the UK, introduced me to the game and my first coach at our local club. It wasn't long before I was dragging her down to the courts to play every day possible."

### When did you first become a coach?

"I first worked as a 'hitter' with various players at the academy where I trained. When I was 16 years old, I started obtaining coaching qualifications, so I could assist with classes around my training to earn money to fund my tournaments."

### What is your biggest strength as a tennis player?

"My serve and my forehand. It used to be my movement too, but with an older body and a few injuries later, that isn't the case anymore!"

### What are your weaknesses as a tennis player?

"I'm not telling anyone... they will have to work it out themselves on the court 😊"

### What is the most difficult moment during your tennis journey that you have overcome?

"Injuries are always tough to overcome; I had a few injuries before a big National or International tournament as a junior. I've also had to come off court for long periods of time during my coaching career from operations due to a snake bite in Africa, or a couple of years ago a hip resurfacing."

### Do you have any superstitions?

"Not really. I try not to walk on lines between points but that, along with playing with strings, is more about keeping focused and staying present."

### What is your routine before you serve?

"Step to baseline, 2 bounces of ball, exhale, plan my serve and first shot then execute."

### What is a piece of advice that you wish you got before you started playing matches?

"I have been lucky to be surrounded by supportive parents and great coaches and have always been given good advice. For those that compete, I would say 'play with a plan', whether that's a couple of technical goals that help you with your level of play in matches or specific tactics to help you try and beat your opponent. Always be positive, keep trying to find solutions, and above all enjoy yourself!"

### Lastly, who is your all-time favourite tennis player?

"Roger Federer - I was lucky enough to meet him when I worked at Wimbledon after his first win at SW19. He is a true class act, both on and off court!"

# TENNIS TIP

## BY HKFC ATA COACH DOM GIRONES

Your ability as a player to use the time between points to problem solve, stay focused, and create a plan moving forward is key to your success when competing.

Craig O'Shannessy, former member of Novak Djokovic's coaching team, illustrates this very well through proposing players go through this valuable 5-step routine:

### 1 Review Last Point

You must understand what just happened. The first thing is typically not to react emotionally, especially with disappointment that you lost the point. React mentally, and rationally, and seek to understand why you just won or lost the point.

### 2 Go To Your Strings

This is a position of focus for tennis players. Your eyes will lead you into trouble and distraction. Look obsessively at your strings between points and think of it as your notepad to log what is happening in the match.

### 3 Determination

Show strength in your body language. Your eyes, facial expressions, how you carry your shoulders and especially your walk are all important to communicate strength to your opponent.

### 4 Relaxation

Take a lot of time-outs between the points. It's hard, if not impossible, to concentrate for hours on end. Take these little time outs constantly to stay fresh and to also let off a little steam instead of bottling it up for a major explosion later on.

### 5 Plan Next Point

Think about what you want to achieve in the very next point. Start with serves and returns and how you would like the point to end. If you plan for it, you instantly have a much better chance of achieving it.

So try implementing these 5 steps when next out on court to help you maximise your performance.



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Happy Cheng



Coraline Lo with Society Team Coach John Leung



Marcus Ip

SPORTS PREFERRED AND JUNIOR ASSOCIATED MEMBERS REPORT

BANK OF CHINA HONG KONG ANNUAL YOUTH GAMES 2021

Congratulations to our JAM and Junior performance players who participated with excellent results:

Coraline Lo (JAM), Quarterfinalist in girl's singles and bronze medallist in doubles (U14)

Happy Cheng, Current national team representative, she participated in her last junior tournament and won the singles championship (U19)

Marcus Ip, our performance junior finished second-runner up in the BOC Youth Tournament 2021 doubles event, as well as reaching the last 16 in the singles event

Thomas Lee (right) and Kenneth Chau (left), our junior performance players in action during a doubles game. They reached round 2 of the tournament



Thomas Lee and Kenneth Chau

TOURNAMENT REPORT

**PRESIDENT CUP**

The HKFC team comprising SPAMs, JAMs and performance junior players participated in their first President Cup 2021 intermediate level men's doubles competition against Dream Team on 28th August 2021. They overcame their opponents to win by 3 games to 2.



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- 1 HKFC team ready for the first match of the President Cup 2021 men's doubles intermediate level
- 2 SPAM Leo in his singles match
- 3 Performance junior players Gaius Ip (right) and Hyman Cheung (left) in their doubles match

UPCOMING CALENDAR

**LADDER SERIES CHAMPIONSHIP  
OCTOBER 2021**

We will hold the first finals championship evening for our Ladder Series Competition in October 2021. The top four doubles and singles players in each category will compete in the final - more details to come!

*Stuffed*  
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Throughout the month of October

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# HIGHLIGHTS IN OCTOBER



## Oktoberfest and the 2nd Annual Obstacle Course

The world's largest Volkfest returns to Sportsman's Bar with a smorgasbord of feast, drink and fun.

- Weekend cooking station at the Front Patio
- Daily special featuring Oktoberfest signature items
- German beer Erdinger special offer
- Sign up for the 2nd annual Obstacle Course with big prizes sponsored by Erdinger on Wednesday, 27th October.



FROM 9AM ON MONDAY,  
11TH OCTOBER

## Christmas Brochure is Ready!

Enjoy a wide range of activities for the entire month of December. This year, the Hong Kong Pipe Band will entertain us with a live performance on Boxing Day.

The brochure will be sent to your home directly. Festive reservations in all food and beverage outlets begin from noon on Monday, 11th October 2021.



## In the Coffee Shop

FROM FRIDAY, 1ST OCTOBER

Friday and Saturday in October and November

## Taiwan Night Market Themed Buffet Dinner

Throughout this October and November, the Coffee Shop will bring you signature dishes including deep-fried pork belly with red bean sauce, braised minced pork sauce with steamed rice, beef noodle soup, and lots more.



## In the Restaurant

FROM TUESDAY, 5TH OCTOBER

## La Caccia

Hunting season in Tuscany starts in October. Enjoy wild game and fowl dishes throughout the month in the Restaurant.



## In the Chairman's Bar

FROM MONDAY, 4TH OCTOBER

## i Ir de tapas !

From pre-19th century Andalusian taverns, tapas have evolved into tasty Spanish snacks that are perfect for sharing and go along with your drinks.

## WINE EVENTS

In the Restaurant

WEDNESDAY, 13TH OCTOBER

### Glenfiddich Whisky Dinner

The World's most awarded single malt Scotch whisky

THURSDAY, 21ST OCTOBER

### Armagnac Masterclass

Learn all about Cognac's curious cousin. It's all down to a matter of distillation

In the Happy Valley Suites

FRIDAY, 29TH OCTOBER

### Exploring the famous Chateau Musar's Back and new vintages

In the Lockhart Room

SATURDAY, 30TH OCTOBER

SUNDAY, 31TH OCTOBER

### Acknowledging the Autumn Equinox

Stock up on heartier varietals for these cooler months ahead

In the Coffee Shop

Monthly Special: **Chinese Clay Pot Dishes**

Drinks Promotion: **Cold Brew Tea**

Special Activities: **Halloween Kids Cup Cake Decoration**

In the Sportsman's Bar

Daily Specials: **Oktoberfest Specials**

Beverage Promotion: **Erdinger**



In the Chairman's Bar

Set Tea: **"Tour of Europe" Set Tea**

Food Promotion: **Ah Shucks!**

Beverage Promotion: **Bitters Laboratory**

In the Captain's Bar

### Stuffed Potatoes

Outlet take over with **Vitasoy**

In the Family Lounge

### Halloween Cup Cakes and Special Drinks

In the Kiosk

### Clearance Sales Items

## PREVIEW IN NOVEMBER



### Thanksgiving Celebration

*Set Dinner* at the Restaurant on Thanksgiving Night

*Thanksgiving platter* at the Coffee Shop

*Thanksgiving takeaway* form available from 1st till 25th November

## WINE EVENTS

In the Restaurant

FRIDAY, 12TH NOVEMBER

### Veuve Clicquot Ponsardin Themed Dinner

THURSDAY, 18TH NOVEMBER

### Billecart-Salmon Champagne

In the Happy Valley Suites

FRIDAY, 26TH NOVEMBER

### Wine Dinner with White Truffle

In the Lockhart Room

SATURDAY, 27TH NOVEMBER

SUNDAY, 28TH NOVEMBER

### Stock Up Your Bar Wine Fair

In the Coffee Shop

Weekend Themed Buffet: **Taiwan Night Market**

Monthly Special: **Chinese Double-Boiled Soup**

Beverage promotion: **Winter Hot Drinks**

In the Restaurant

### White Truffle

In the Sportsman's Bar

### BBQ Market

In the Chairman's Bar

### Raclette and Fondue

### Pierogies

In the Captain's Bar

### Razilla The Sequel

In the Family Lounge

### Apple Pie, and Tart and Crumble

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## FOOD AND BEVERAGE

# LEARNING, GROWING, GETTING INSPIRATION

## WITH THE FOOD AND BEVERAGE DEPARTMENT



You can never stop learning and discovering new inspiration throughout your career, if not your entire life. The managers and leaders of the Food and Beverage Department recently conducted a 2-day strategic planning retreat to ready themselves for getting out of the pandemic saga, back to some sort of normalcy, to take care of our much beloved Club members and Guests. Some of the study discussion topics covered the 2022 promotional calendar, to come up with new and interesting food and beverage offers,

a planning for all of the menu updates, reviewing the organizational charts of our team, deciding new talent and expertise needed, studying the Club's Bye-laws, researching new types of glassware, plate ware, and cutlery for the outlets, brainstorming the upcoming refreshment of the Sportsman's Bar and many, many more. At the same time, it was a time to bond, appreciate each other's abilities and we even had time for some team building and a great dinner out together.



Another source of great learning was found in the halls of the Hong Kong Convention and Exhibition Centre, visiting the annual HOFEX, Asia's Leading Food and Hospitality Tradeshow. Our team gathering again on Wednesday, 8th September to visit 100s of stalls featuring every product related to food and beverages, from operating equipment to kitchen equipment to computerised systems. Another feature of HOFEX is

its full schedule of demonstrations and competitions on various stages. These range from demonstrating techniques or operating equipment to competing in live cooking, dessert sculptures, cake making and of course, bartending.

We were proud to be at one of these competition stages to cheer on our very own colleague **Patrick Jr.** as he was competing in cocktail mixology. As you may be aware, last year Patrick Jr won the **Champion in Young Talent Mixologist Challenge** with his Moon Hug cocktail which was made with Chinese wolfberry infused gin, Japanese Shiso liqueur, homemade Osmanthus syrup and yuzu bitters. This year, Patrick Jr. took the brave step up to the professional bartender's talent level and we were proud to hear that he was able to get a place among the top 32 talent in all of Hong Kong. He was asked to compete in the first round and have his cocktail judged and then from there, the final 6 would compete again for the final grand placing. Patrick Jr. delivered Titanic Ocean a creation of his own,

made with spiced rum, jackfruit infused vodka, jackfruit-cinnamon-cloves syrup, blue curacao with a touch of rhubarb bitters. Inspired by the pandemic, with the fact that none of us could get away for holidays, Patrick Jr. wanted to give you some holiday cheer by drinking this cocktail. We're proud and grateful to have Patrick Jr as our Club's Mixologist, even though he didn't make it through to the final round. As Patrick said, "I can never stop challenging myself, making myself better, learning, growing and getting inspiration. It's my life's passion." Well, we couldn't agree more.



DECEMBER 2021 HKFC

# Festive Calendar



WEDNESDAY

1<sup>st</sup>

**CHRISTMAS HAMPERS AND GOODIES AVAILABLE AT KIOSK**

*Festive Hampers and Wine Delivery* available from mid of November till end of the Year.

MONDAY

6<sup>th</sup>

**CHRISTMAS CAROLS**  
BY THE HONG KONG WELSH MALE VOICE CHOIR

Mulled wine and mince pies available after the choir to share their joy!

To be environmentally friendly, this year, only a few printed song sheets will be available.

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Wine  
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FRIDAY  
3<sup>rd</sup>

*Make sure you place your festive reservations*

THURSDAY

9<sup>th</sup>



**CHRISTMAS QUIZ NIGHT AT THE SPORTSMAN'S BAR**

With opening performance by the Hong Kong Pipe Band. Team up now!

SATURDAY

11<sup>th</sup>

SUNDAY

12<sup>th</sup>



**CHRISTMAS WINE FAIR**

Time to stock up your bar with some champagne and fine wine. Let's plan ahead for your home party!

Venue: Lockhart Room, 2/F

Time: 1:30pm – 6:30pm daily

TUESDAY

14<sup>th</sup>

**PLACE YOUR FESTIVE TAKEAWAY ORDER**

Order forms are available at the **eShop** on the Club's website, after you log-in to your membership account.



MONDAY  
**20<sup>th</sup>**

**FESTIVE LUNCH AND DINNER BUFFET BEGIN**

Available at the **Coffee Shop**.  
Place your reservation in advance to avoid disappointment.



FRIDAY  
**24<sup>th</sup>**      SATURDAY  
**25<sup>th</sup>**

**CHRISTMAS TIME!**

*Christmas Set Dinner* available at the **Restaurant**.

*Buffet Dinner* available at the **Coffee Shop**.

*Christmas Brunch* available at the **Happy Valley Suites**.



FRIDAY  
**31<sup>th</sup>**      **FAREWELL TO 2021 AND WELCOME 2022!**

Join us at the foyer on the 2nd floor at 7:30pm to kick off your *New Year's Eve Dinner* with entertainment.

During your dinner in the **Restaurant** and the **Happy Valley Suites**, there will be "live" music to help you see out the old and bring in the new.

Finally, you can rejoin us at the 2/F foyer as the big band helps you count down to the new year.

Standing room only!

SUNDAY  
**26<sup>th</sup>**

**CHRISTMAS PERFORMANCE**  
BY THE HONG KONG PIPE BAND

Two sessions will be arranged after lunch and before dinner. Come early to the Club to enjoy!

*With photo opportunities.*

2021 *Festive Brochure* IS READY!

The Brochure will be sent to your home directly.

Festive reservations in all food and beverage outlets begin from Monday, 11th October after noon time. Please contact the Food and Beverage outlets directly.





# THE MCCUBBIN MYSTERY

Staff picture taken at Taikoo Sugar Refinery in 1906. John McCubbin – the newly-arrived Chief Sugar Boiler – is eighth from left, second row from the back. Also in the photo, somewhere, is his superior William Nicholson, who was the first HKFC Vice-President in 1919, the year the post was created.

Oh, the perils of research! They are exemplified by the presence in Hong Kong for twenty years of two men with the same name – not a John Smith, Jones or Brown, but John McCubbin – one of whom played a role in Club's history and one who did not, except by marriage.

## WRONG JOHN MCCUBBIN

On Tuesday, 7th September 1920, the Club Soccer Captain, James Stewart, a Scot who worked at Taikoo Dockyard, was waiting at the altar end of the aisle of the Union Church on Kennedy Road. Beside him was his best man and workmate, George Gerrard, a fellow Scot and the HKFC Honorary Secretary. Stepping blushing towards them in a bridal gown of white silk georgette, a satin train embroidered with silver and a tulle veil was Miss Mary McCubbin – on the arm of her father John, local manager of the Gas Co. He had worked for the company since he landed in Hong Kong in 1901 with his young family, and would carry on doing so until his retirement in the mid-1920s. In writing him into a Towngas history in the 1980s, Robin Hutcheon, ex-chief editor of the South China Morning Post and an experienced corporate historian,

stated that in addition to being a fine engineer and long-term manager, John McCubbin had 'distinguished himself as a soccer player and an able sports administrator'. This, however, was the wrong John McCubbin. Considering all the football and Club coincidences that went with his daughter's wedding, the research trap was well camouflaged.

There was another John McCubbin in Hong Kong, and this one did indeed play football – nineteen years of it – and administer sports, most ably, too.

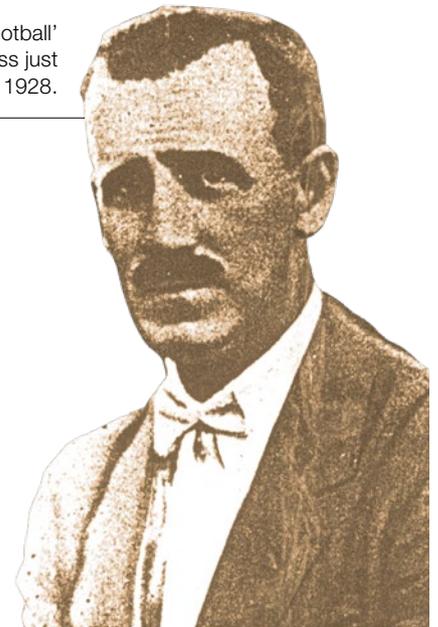
He arrived in Hong Kong five years after the Towngas John McCubbin and stayed until 1928, so for twenty years, the directories any historian would delve into during research show not one but two 'J. McCubbins' in the List of Foreign Residents – not the common sort of name that might be expected to maintain a presence in duplicate for so long.



**CHIEF SUGAR BOILER**

The right John McCubbin hailed from Greenock near Glasgow and arrived in Hong Kong on 9th March 1906 to take up the post of Chief Sugar Boiler at the Taikoo Sugar Refinery in Quarry Bay. "When I first came to Hong Kong," he would later recall, "Chinese spectators at a football match were a rarity, whilst the only Chinese who played the game were youngsters who used stones or coats for goalposts." He started playing soccer for YMCA, then joined HKFC where he performed as a solid defender well into the 1920s. He was Soccer Captain in 1917-18 and subsequently a member of Stewart's 1st XI. He (and Stewart) played in three Challenge Shield-winning teams, in 1916, 1919 and 1922 – the last of HKFC's five successes in the knock-out soccer competition that the Club had created in the mid-1890s.

John (Jock) McCubbin (called 'Grandfather of Football' by Chinese fans) – as he appeared in the press just before his departure from Hong Kong in October 1928.



In 1918, he was elected to the Club Committee, on which he served for ten years, being Chairman from 1922 to 1927, then Vice-President in his final year. He presided at several Club meetings at which historical subjects were on the agenda, such as the AGM in 1926 after the Rugby Section had broken away in protest at the condition of the HKFC pitch to form a separate club at King's Park, for one season only. McCubbin it was, at an EGM in July 1928, who announced that HKFC had finally been given permission to do away with its rickety mat-shed pavilion and replace it with its first permanent Club House. His was the voice that calmed the 'heated' AGM that followed, at which the rugby and soccer sections were at each other's throats when six nominees for four positions on the new Committee were counted as four: two in soccer's favour. "What if all four soccer members are elected?" a rugby voice demanded. "Let the two rugby names go forward and vote on the soccer four only," growled McCubbin. "Be sportsmen! Don't quibble!" The following year, the constitution was changed to ensure equality.

**'GRANDFATHER'**

Club's John ('Jock') McCubbin sailed home on the P&O steamship *Moren* a few weeks before the opening of the Club House he had done so much to see built. He had remained in charge of the boiling of the sugar at Taikoo for 22 years, a marathon stint that was not the best therapy for his worried look and permanently beetled brow. Through the twenties, he had also served on the committee of the Hong Kong Football Association. His farewell dinner in the Lane Crawford Restaurant on Des Voeux Road on Wednesday, 10th October 1928 was attended by a who's who of local football. Amid the speeches delivered in his honour, the representative of both South China Athletic Association and the Chinese AA presented him with a 'handsomely engraved' casket as a mark of esteem and respect with which (he), affectionately known as "Grandfather" amongst the Chinese, was regarded by them. The 'players tribute' that night was 'voiced' by James Stewart – son-in-law of the non-soccer John McCubbin who, by then, had sadly passed away at his home in England near, ironically, the town of Rugby.

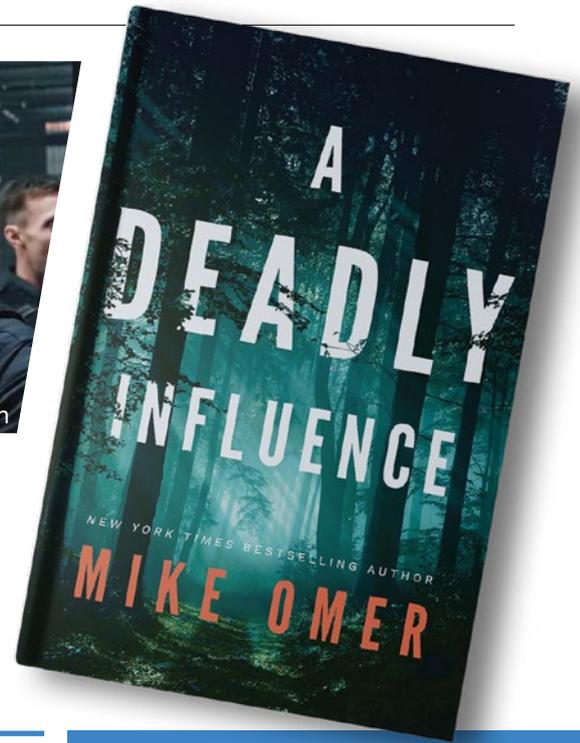
**By Denis Way**



The Club Soccer squad 1917-18 – McCubbin (centre front row) was Captain; James Stewart (centre, middle row) would take over the captaincy the following season. The man with the moustache, second from left in the middle row, is R.J. Wilton, Hongkong Tramways chief engineer and the first HKFC Chairman in 1919.



Wrath of Man



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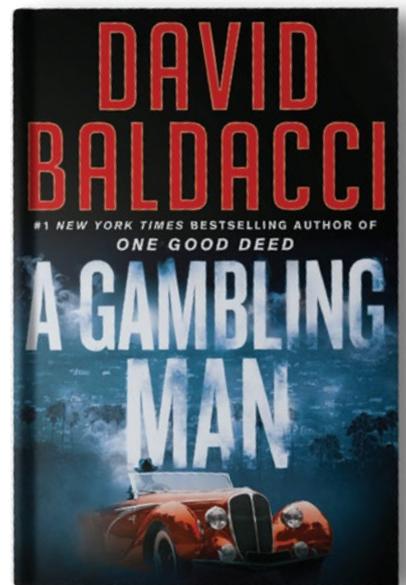
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