



## Rondebosch Hockey Herald

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### Hockey Notice Board.

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#### *Apology and reason for late publication of this week's Hockey Herald*

This week's Hockey Herald was held back pending the finalisation of a rather complex forthcoming "double feature" hockey weekend and as the finalisation of "away" Fields and Fixture times has not been finalised, the Hockey Herald has now been published before the finalisation.

As soon as Rondebosch receives finalisation, an additional Hockey Herald will be circulated.

A grateful thanks to Mr. John Whitehead for keeping us informed.

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#### *Braai after matches at Paarl Boys*

On Saturday 24 July a Rondebosch braai will be hosted by Rondebosch Old Boys at Klein Joostenberg outside Stellenbosch. *This is a family event so all Rondebosch parents, staff and boys are welcome.* The newly formed Rhenish High Heritage club will also be there.

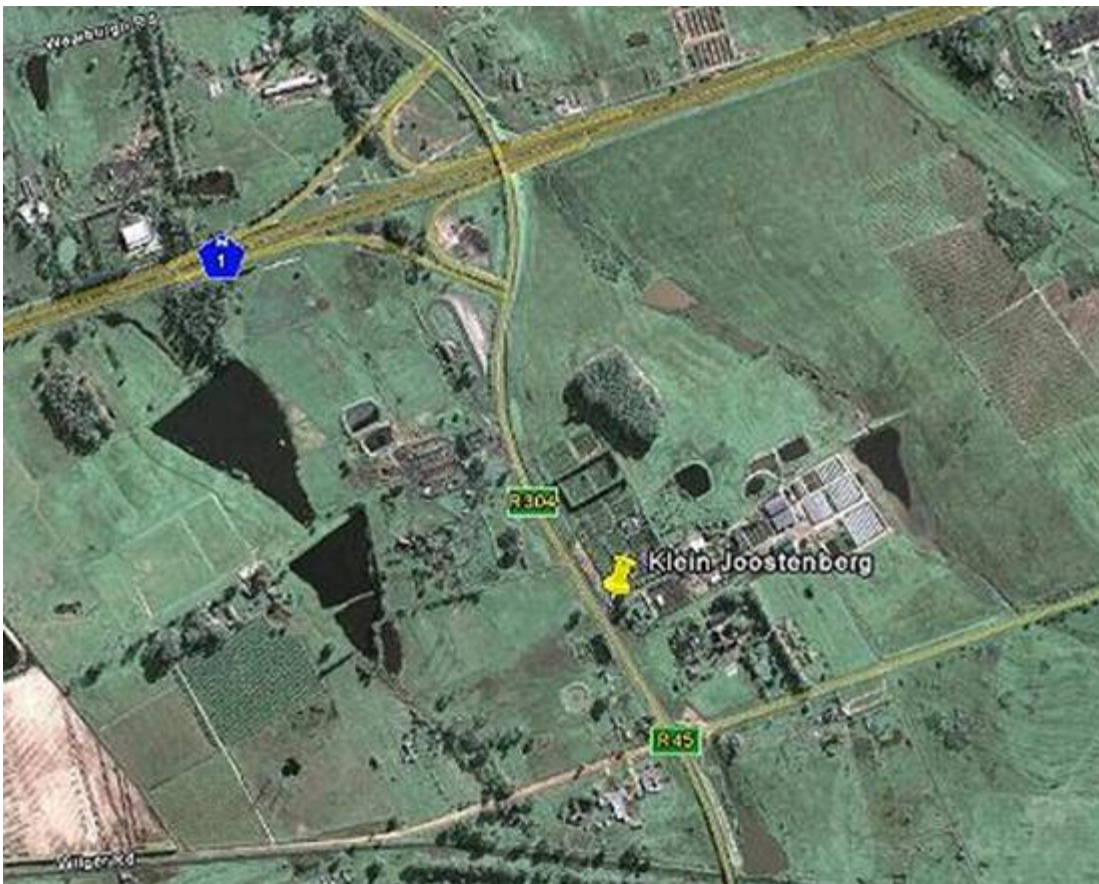
Music will be provided by the Rondebosch Jazz Band. The function is after Rondebosch has played hockey and rugby at Paarl Boys and will be held at the Klein Joostenberg function venue so indoor space will be available should it rain.

Klein Joostenberg is on the corner of the N1 and R304, (Stellenbosch/Klipheuwel exit), on the Stellenbosch side of the N1.

You can pack your own picnic or buy your meat and salads at the Joostenberg Deli. Braai fires will be ready by 14h00. There will also be a cash bar for soft drinks, beer and wine. Please bring your own cutlery, utensils and picnic blanket or tablecloth.

The cost for adults is R100 which includes a glass of wine on arrival and R50 for children which includes a boerewors roll. Proceeds go towards Rondebosch bursaries.

For more info contact Philip Myburgh at [philip@joostenberg.co.za](mailto:philip@joostenberg.co.za) or Nicky Myburgh at [nickymyb@xsinet.co.za](mailto:nickymyb@xsinet.co.za)



## Match Results

If there is no Match Report for your team, please speak to your Captain so that he can delegate someone to send in a Match report to the Hockey Herald Editor

by not later than 10:00 on the Monday morning following the match.

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Thursday 15 July

RBHS U16D vs Fairbairn Coll (B) - RBHS won 3 - 0

Friday 16 July

RBHS U19A vs Dean Close (UK) - RBHS won 4 - 0

RBHS U19B vs Dean Close (UK) - RBHS won 3 - 0

RBHS U19C vs Pinelands HS (B) - RBHS won 1 - 0

RBHS U16A vs Pinelands HS - RBHS won 6 - 0

RBHS U16C vs Pinelands HS (B) - RBHS won 7 - 0

RBHS U14A vs Pinelands HS - RBHS won 3 - 0

RBHS U14C vs Pinelands HS (B) - RBHS won 3 - 0

Saturday 17 July

RBHS U19A vs Pinelands HS - RBHS won 3 - 1

RBHS U19B vs Central HC - RBHS lost 1 - 2

RBHS U19D vs Central HC (B) - RBHS lost 0 - 3

RBHS U16B vs Central HC - RBHS won 4 - 2

RBHS U14B vs Central HC - RBHS won 3 - 0

*U19A v Dean Close (UK)*

After a good holiday we came back into the season with a match on Friday against Dean Close who are one of England's top rated hockey schools.

We did not know what to expect but felt fairly confident coming into the fixture. We found ourselves nowhere in the first ten minutes but we absorbed pressure well. Some good saves from Banderker kept us in the game. We came alive and scored a well taken short corner. We added two more before half time to go into the break 3-0 up.

We controlled the second half much better and scored one more to win the match 4-0. This is a good result against a strong team.

Kyle Meeser

## U19A v Pinelands H S

On Saturday the 17th of July, the 1st XI played Pinelands High School at the Hartleyvale astro.

Rondebosch wasn't looking that hot during the 1st half leading to Pinelands opening the scoring through a shortie.

Through an enthusiastic pep talk by the coach, Steve, the boys started the second half in a different frame of mind.

Even though Pinelands was one up, they continued to play attacking hockey.

After a few minutes of monopolising the ball, Rondebosch put one in the back of the net through a superb deflection by Michael Reid.

The game was now on.

Rondebosch's superiority and tactics were rewarded once again with a second goal by Michael Reid.

Pinelands tried to attack but Rondebosch's strong defences, together with good goalkeeping, held them at bay.

With Rondebosch's attack entering the "D", we had gotten a shortie.

Everyone was quiet until Michael Sparkman drag flicked the ball, with tremendous speed, into the top left corner of the goal, thus bringing the score to 3-1 in Rondebosch's favour.

It was a good league match to get everyone back into the swing of playing some good hockey again.

Well done boys!!

## Sufyaan Banderker

Our second fixture of the weekend was against Pinelands High School.

We controlled the first half but failed to capitalize on our various chances.

Pinelands scored a short corner against the run of play to leave us 1-0 down at half time.

We came out of the break firing and put three goals in the Pinelands net.

Well done to everyone on an impressive team effort that consisted of great composure and some awesome fluidity in the attacking third.

We look forward to the next round of fixtures.

Good luck to all the teams for this week coming.

## Kyle Meeser

## U19B v Dean Close (UK)

No match report received at time of publication.

## U19B v Central H C

No match report received at time of publication.

### U19C v Pinelands H S

No match report received at time of publication.

### U19D v Central H C

No match report received at time of publication.

### U16A v Pinelands H S

RBHS 6 Pinelands 0

On an extremely cold Friday afternoon the u 16A's played Pinelands at Oude Molen Astro and took most of the first half to warm up!

Eventually we awoke from holiday mode, strung together some good passing and with great team work managed to score our first goal after forcing a short corner.

With the ice broken we continued to play better as a team resulting in more goals with the final score being 6 - 0.

Goals were scored by Justin Prins (2), Dean Rutherford, Zubayr Hamza, Kay Skovgaard-Peterson and Damian Hewitt.

We should have scored many more goals but did not take our chances.

We will have to work hard at practice this week to up our game for a tough match against Paarl Boys High.

Jason Giger

### U16B v Central H C U16A

RBHS U16B played Central A at Vygieskraal Astro on Saturday, 17 July.

Right from the start of the game our defence had to be on full alert as Central looked dangerous every time they had possession. But, we played excellent positional hockey on Saturday and our first goal came from a perfectly executed short corner - we went into half time leading 1-0.

The second half produced 5 more goals: Central scored 2 goals from short corners and RBHS answered with 3 more goals. The score at the end of the game was 4-2 in our favour.

Well done to all the players - we played as a team on Saturday and were rewarded accordingly.

Goals were scored by:

Daniel Hellenberg

Justin Kraak

Nick Schonegeval

Riaz Sader

Caelan Curry

### U16C v Pinelands H S

No match report received at time of publication.

### U16D v Fairbairn College

No match report received at time of publication.

### U16E v Pinelands H S U16C

Wow! what can I say about our match.

We played so well that 10 minutes into the game we were leading 3-0.

We came back in the second half and the goals kept flowing. After 6-0, Pinelands pulled one back. 6-1.

We then rubbed salt in the wounds with another goal. Final Score: 7-1 to RBHS.

Well Done guys!

Goal scorers: Andrew Harris- 5 ,Thomas Hinson- 1, Nicholas Marais- 1.

Matthew Bramwell (U16E Captain)

### U14A v Pinelands H S

No match report received at time of publication.

### U14B v Central H C

No match report received at time of publication.

### U14C v Pinelands H S

No match report received at time of publication.

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### Rondebosch Kit collection and Coaching Sessions for Langa Hockey Club

Here are some Letters of appreciation which have been received from Langa Players after the Bosch coaching on Rondebosch fields.

Thanks to the Hockey players who donated their time and skills.

Dear: Rondebosch boys

First of all I just wanna thank about everything you've done for us Langa boys hockey club. I wanna thank about the people you sent for us to train us. I wanna say thank you to Michael, JP, Zubi, Kyle and Rees. I have nothing more to say but thank you. written by  
Kusumzi Shanks.

I want to thank you from behalf of Langa Boys thanking you for your support and everything you've done for us you've taught us a lot of basics in hockey you are everything to us you made us the best team that's all thank you Shap Shap **Zama**  
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Dear Rondebosch boys

I want to say thank you for your help. you taught other boys who didn't know basic skills. You taught us new things. Thank you guys.  
from: Bayanda Simela

Dear Rondebosch boys

I wanna thank you for everything and playing at Rondebosch boys is a good thing <sup>and</sup> I just want to thank you again and playing at Rondebosch is fun and once ~~of~~ again thank you for everything from:  
Minqali Matolong

take you for training make us **feather and strong**  
and perfect skill and make us **feather perfect**

Dear Rondebosch  
on behalf of Langsa Hockey Club  
We would love to say thank  
you for all the effort you've  
put in our club because now  
where we are is because of  
you - so thanks for everything  
YOUR SINCERELY: LUTHANDO P. P. P.

I want to thank you for the  
teached you done thinking you  
- Micheal, JP, Zubi, Ryl and reois  
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## Picture Gallery

*Please e-mail your Rondebosch Hockey digital pictures with a caption and we will endeavour to publish them.*

Next Week it could be your Team  
- just send in the digitals from your cell or camera



**Please try to include a Caption as well as  
Bosch Players' Names for publication.**



**RBHS U16E vs Pinelands H S U16C**



The Bosch U16E Team



Andrew Harris about to score his 4<sup>th</sup>



Nick Marais fighting for the ball.

*Pictures courtesy of Ray Harris*

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**RBHS U14A vs Pinelands H S U16C**





*Pictures courtesy of Christo Olivier*

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*RBHS U19A vs Pinelands H S*



The victors.



Bosch Shortie squad



Mickey scored 2 goals.



Pinelands despair after Bosch scored.



No Smoking on the stands but things were smoking on the Astro.  
The Bosch 1<sup>st</sup>'s support squad enjoying the Sun and the Hockey.

*Pictures courtesy of Dave Reid*

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