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NEWSLETTER FOR FEBRUARY 1976

A.G.M.

The Annual General Meeting will be held in the theatre on 24 February commencing at 5:30 PM. Please put this date in your diary as we encourage all members to attend.

CLUB NEWS

COMMITTEE MEETINGS

The Committee will meet on the following dates in February.

Tuesday 3rd February at 5:30 PM.

Tuesday 17th February at 5:45 PM.

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NEW MEMBERS NIGHT - FEBRUARY, 1976

The New Members Night will be held on Tuesday 17th. The members of the General Committee will be in the Dining Room from 5:15 to 5:45 PM.

Closing date for applications - Tuesday 3rd.

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NEW MEMBERS

The following new members joined the Club in January.

D.A. Raiswell

L. Prinsen

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SUB-SECTION REPORTS

The Chairman is getting anxious about the Club sub-sections report of activities for inclusion in his report. Those who have not sent their reports in yet, kindly do so as quickly as possible.

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CLIMBING FRAMES

As a result of misuse and consequent damage, a child was hurt on the climbing frames recently. Members are advised to warn children not to use the frames.

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SQUASH PRIZES

There are still some prizes for the Ninth League held in the Office. Will the winners please collect them from the Manager as soon as possible.

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SWIMMING

Lady De la Mare Trophy

The 1st time in the annual event's 5 yrs. history the British Club won the trophy against the Bangkok Aquatic Club. Final Scores were British Club 788.5 and Bangkok Aquatic Club 587.5 points. Pool records were broken by Julianne Mc Gawan (B.A.C.) in the 13-14 yrs. old girl's 100 metres freestyle and Michael Reid (B.C.B.) broke 4 pool records in 5 races in the 6 yrs. & under boy's section. Ann Gibson & Tony Aylward, both won all 5 races in their age groups.

Thank you to Mrs. Richard Taylor, wife of the New Zealand Ambassador for presenting the Lady De la Mare trophy to the winning team.

February Gala

The next Gala will be held on Sunday 1st of February at 11:30 AM. This is the 1st Gala of 1976 & the beginning of the High Points Score for the year. Strokes will be Diving, Freestyle & Backstroke.

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GOLF

FUTURE FIXTURES

<u>March</u>	6th-7th	Societies' Tournament	<u>Hua Hin</u>	7-8:00 AM.
	21st	Dunlop Trophy Final and Better Ball Stableford	<u>Hua Mark</u>	8:30 AM.
<u>April</u>	3rd	Sat. Match vs. Shell	Venue/Time to be confirmed	
	6th	Tues. Kitchen Sink (Brutes vs. Ladies)	<u>Rose Garden</u>	8:00 AM.
	18th	Sun. Captain's Prize and Medal	<u>Rose Garden</u>	6:30 AM.

DUNLOP TROPHY

This tournament got off to an exciting start at the Rose Garden on 11th January. Initial round results were:

I'Anson	+ Byars	beat	Robertson + Lenaghan	by	3 and 1
Watson (R)	+ Davidson	"	Mumby + Jowett	"	5 and 3
Eldred	+ Shackleford	"	Farquharson + Lapping	"	1 up
Long	+ Dickerson	"	Neville + Burrows	"	7 and 5
Sprott	+ Robinson	"	Reid + McLean	"	2 and 1
Calvert	+ Gibson	"	Phillips + Moran	"	3 and 1
Watson (J)	+ Jamieson	"	Madar + Vanderwatt	"	3 and 2
Howell	+ Pott	"	Marshall + Douglas	"	9 and 7
Huey	+ Stewart	halved with	Moore + Bucknall		

GOLF (CONT.)

Subsequently Watson (R) and Davidson disposed of Howell and Pott by the Score of 2 and 1 in an interesting match at Hua Mark.

Would all Dunlop "survivors" note that the Committee has fixed the following dates by which matches must be completed:

2nd Round	-	8th February
3rd "	-	1st March
Semi Final	-	20th March

It is incumbent on the players whose names appear above their opponents to organise the match. Failure to organise the match after three attempts should be reported to the Committee.

4 B.B.B. Concurrent with the opening matches of the Dunlop Trophy was play a Four Ball Better Ball competition. The all-Irish pair of Huey and Stewart took first prize with a net score of 64. Runners-up with 65 net were Ray Watson and James Davidson edging out Tom Moran and Arthur Phillips, who also returned a 65, on the count-back. Moran and Phillips did however manage to win the count-back against the Mumby (Juniors) combination and take the front nine prize with 32 net. Back nine winners with 31 net were Frank Calvert and John Gibson.

Bogey The last competition of 1975 was a Bogey held at Don Muang on December 21st. The winner (easily) was the Course aided no doubt by the ravages of Xmas Cheer. Of 33 participants only two beat par - John Dickerson and Amongst the ladies supporters' contingent, Anne Duggan - both returning plus 2. John played consistently steady golf to take first prize with +1 Out, +1 In, Total +2. Anne playing perhaps under less pressure had a remarkable +6 Out which was followed by a partial collapse -4 coming in.

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BRIDGE

The Bridge Section has had mixed playing fortunes, but consistently good fun in 1975, and although attendance flagged in the last quarter, the Annual Dinner was well patronised in January 1976. Let this be a good omen for the year.

A survey of opinions taken of active members showed the following majority view :

- a) Wednesday night play should be retained
- b) One evening a month should be duplicate, the others should be rubber
- c) A relaxed social atmosphere should prevail
- d) Prize money increased from 20 to 25 Baht per couple.

TENNIS

ROUTINE

During the week at least two courts will be prepared each evening. On Thursdays from 4 to 6 P.M. it is hoped to have four courts available. Weather and court condition permitting it is planned that all four courts will be open at the weekend.

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TENNIS LADDER

A tennis ladder has been prepared. There are seventeen men and nineteen lady starters but others are welcome to join at any time. Details of participants are on the Tennis notice board and the rules are summarized next page.

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TENNIS (CONT.)

TENNIS LADDER RULES

1. There will be two ladders, one for Womens singles and one for Mens singles.
2. The initial ranking is not necessarily in order of strength.
3. Anybody wishing to join the ladder can challenge anyone, in any position, first challenge. If you win take your opponents place and then he and all players below him have to be moved down one place. If you lose put your name at the bottom of the ladder.
4. Anyone already listed may also challenge any other player, in any position, first challenge only. In this case however if you lose you stay where you are.
5. After the first challenge, you are allowed to challenge players three or less positions, above you only, e.g. player in fifth position can challenge players 4, 3 & 2 but not 1.
6. For a trial period games will be decided by playing one long set, first to reach 8 games, e.g. score of 8 - 7 decides the winner.

TENNIS (CONT.)

A home match has been arranged against the Australian Embassy for 14 March. Those interested in playing for the Club are asked to put their names on the Tennis notice board.

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CLUB CHAMPIONSHIPS

These are due to be held soon. Watch the notice board for details and get your practise in now!

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