



A Blue

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C Black

C Blue

C Gold

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O/65 White

Masters Matters

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Covid-19 Strikes Again: Just when we were getting complacent the virus has returned to disrupt our Wednesday and Saturday hockey. As several experts have been telling us from day one we will not get this under control until the national vaccination program is much further advanced, which looks as though it might take a while. International travel is off the radar to most of us for a very long time and at this stage it appears improbable (*to me - Ed*) that our interstate tournament can be played this year. On which cheerful note may you all stay safe and Covid-free.

WHM AGM: As this edition of Masters Matters was closed off the AGM is still scheduled for the 28th July in the Eastman Room starting at 6:00 pm sharp. The required attendance for a quorum has now risen to 57 (we have more members) so please be there if you possibly can. Players who cannot get there (such as C Division players in the late game) can submit a proxy form no later than 24 hours before the meeting, which will be sent with the general notice to members. Also attached to this will be a meeting agenda and committee nomination form.

Change of Venue: Due to PHS originally being unavailable for the first two Wednesdays in July we have booked UWA for both days and all three Divisions will be playing there. The fixtures will stay the same with A and C Divisions on Turf 1 and B Division on Turf 2. Masks are required.

Charity Donation: Not all players may be aware that we recently made a donation of \$1,000 to the Foodbank charity. This facility is desperately needed by all too many people at the moment and the case put to the Committee by Bob Bowyer was a very strong one.

Dates For The Diary:

July 7th and July 14th: A, B and C Divisions at UWA. Fixture times are unchanged.
July 28th: Western Hockey Masters AGM. Eastman Room PHS starting at 6:00 pm.
July 23rd to August 8th: Tokyo Olympics.
October 9th to 16th: Australian Masters Games - Perth (hockey is included).

Mega Interstate Tournament:

Women: Newcastle September 23rd to October 2nd.

Men O35s to O45s: Newcastle September 24th to October 9th.

Men Division 1 O/50s to O/75s: Central Coast Hockey Park, Wyong.

Note: The starting dates shown on the WA Country website vary by age group:

O/50s: 29th September to 9th October.

O/55s: 30th September to 9th October.

O/60s: 27th September to 9th October.

O/65s: 27th September to 9th October.

O/70s: 27th September to 9th October.

O/75s: 27th September to 9th October.

I suggest that you should confirm these dates before booking flights.

Men Division 2 O/50s to O65/s: Maitland Hockey Turf September 29th to October 9th.

WHM Expansion: The 5 team A Division has now been in action for three Wednesdays. Coordinator George Bradbury has scheduled a full review after five playing dates. At the moment I am not certain that the teams are equally balanced, but as always, it depends on who is there. Possibly even more so, it depends on who is not there.

Some of us appear to be unimpressed with the number of two game breaks in the five team fixtures. It is not possible to schedule 10 matches on one field for five teams without two game breaks. The fixtures are designed so that the umpires and score board operator do not come from the teams which have just finished their match - to minimise delay during the current three minute gap between games. If you have alternative suggestions your team captain should be able to raise them during the competition review mentioned earlier.

On a long term basis, the three minute break may not be viable during summer. Possibly we may need a longer break half way through the matches to allow for watering the turf. I am certain that we can solve any problems and continue to make adjustments as necessary.

Registering With Revo Sport: Many of you will already have received WHM communications via this platform. At some time in the future all our general emails to members are to be done using this method so if you have not yet registered you may stop getting notifications from our office bearers. It is also possible that Masters Matters will switch to Revo Sports too, though there are quite a few details to be settled and problems to be solved first. When we have worked out how we can get all our non-players onto the system we will be replacing the various stores of email addresses held by our office bearers with one central data base accessible to all who need it. *(I hope - Ed.)*

WHM's Man In Tokyo: Readers with good memories may remember hearing from Kevin Dempster in Tokyo as he started preparations for the Olympics. The recent edition of the Hockey Bulletin has a story on Kevin's involvement with hockey at the Games as we near the opening ceremony and the link below will take you directly to the piece. All the best for the event from us all down here.

<https://hockeywa.org.au/news/local-wa-umpire-on-olympics-front-line/>

More State Teams Announced: The WA Masters web-site now has a few more State teams. Recently announced are some of the younger age groups. Congratulations to all WHM members who feature in the sides. I will not attempt to highlight them as I do not have access to our latest team listings.

O/50: Coach Allan Colthart, **Manager** Cameron Robinson.

Players: Allan Bewick, Peter Bewick, Allan Colthart, Steven Critchison, Chris Dawes, Paul Early, Mark Lyons, Scott Macdonald, Matthew Needham, Mark Oosterling, Cam Robinson (GK), Adrian Rutter, Gavin Scally, Stefan Willett.

O/55: Coach Brian Saxby, **Manager** Paula Dick.

Players: Ray Achemedie, David Albrecht, Robert Behets, Stuart Campbell, Peter Connolly (GK), Alan Dick, Michael Hallam, Andrew Johnston, Tony Jones, Chris Kennedy, Kevin Knapp, Russell Rieck, Brian Saxby, Nick Seddon, Bruce Taylor, Colin Tyler, Darren Wilson.

O/60: Coach Rob Lawson, **Manager** TBA.

Players: Andrew Barker, Shaun Bunn, Craig Burgess, Peter Crowe, David Elliot, Martin Ferrari (GK?), Keith Harper, Lyle Kenny, David Lockett, Norm Morrison, Stephen Pestana, John Pestana, Brian Robinson, Bede Rogers, Paul Scicluna, Jeremy Walsh, Russell Wood.

O/60 (2): Coach Michael Jenson, **Manager** Naomi Noble.

Players: Peter Barblett, Paul Cartwright, Trevor Cook, Ray Embry, Cameron Fairbrother, Marcus Frayne (GK), Michael Henderson, Michael Jenson, Brian Kelly, Damien McEvoy, John McGuckin, Steven Noble, Alan Oldfield, Geoff Reynolds, Tim Reynolds, Michael Sputore, David Tonkin.

In all cases I have taken the spelling from the Masters website. It also seemed logical to assume that Martin Ferrari is the goalkeeper for the O/60s Ed..

Department of Health: I heard that Barry Rutter's problems now include not only back trouble but also both shoulders. Unfortunately he will not be playing again this year. Commiserations Barry and best wishes for successful treatment. John Mercer is crippled by sciatica at the moment and will not be playing for the foreseeable future either. Following on from our last issue Jim Banks (cataracts) Bob Hotinski (Achilles) and Jim Wright (abdominal muscle strain) have all resumed playing again and seem to be doing quite well. Ken Walter has managed a couple of games, but the recent lockdown has interrupted his comeback somewhat. Simon Thomson has also resumed play following a muscle injury and apparently is taking it quietly playing full back in the dominant A Greens. This means that he only comes up as far as the 23 metre line in attack (most times). Best wishes to all who are currently suffering, which almost certainly includes a lot more players than those mentioned.

Department of Corrections: There were several problems in the June issue. The index included three references to a non-existent Page 12 which should have read Page 10. The dates for the interstate tournament were incorrect because they were changed as we closed. The new dates can be found on Page 2. There were errors in the A Division team lists - see Page 10 for the corrected version.

Player Birthdays: Only one response was received to the suggestion from Ricky Watts. Peter Fogels wrote as follows: "I think it would be a feature well worth including in MM but only if the year is also included. We are all sometimes amazed when we find out a person's actual age (*insert name here*) and it is a celebration of the ability of those who still enjoy their hockey."

As there were no negative opinions I have decided to publish the July birthdays, but only the day and month. Before including the year I would like at least one more vote in favour.

The C Division list is almost certain to be incomplete as I do not have access to all their birthdays. Please let me (and Colin Gee) know if there are any errors or misspellings. We stress again that there is no compunction to buy drinks for the bar on either a Wednesday or a Saturday.

Happy birthday to all the following:

A Division July Birthdays: 20th John Ree; 21st Neil Miller; 24th Peter Blockley, Jeff Kozak; 25th Peter Evans, Peter Willett; 28th Colin Benporath; 29th Jim Balding, Bob Claxton, 31st Bob Le Merle.

B Division July Birthdays: 18th Don Sanders; 19th Ron Mitchell; 27th Richard Osborne; 30th Glen Mihala; 31st Phil Hewton, Dan Hill.

C Division July Birthdays: 5th Adrian Rutter; 8th Gerald Tai; 17th Glenn Chistiasen; 21st Kalwant Singh; 23rd Russell Rieck.

Saturday Masters July Birthdays: 23rd John Halley. (*this will only include non-Wednesday members*)

If there is anybody out there who does not want their birthday included please contact the editor at the email address johnmerc@iinet.net.au.

More on Birthdays: MM's incorrigible limericist has his say, but doesn't really say very much. If we don't hear from anybody the birthday segment will continue; with the year of birth included also.

At times it is awkward to gauge

Just what is that good player's age

What colour's the hair?

Is any still there?

Should details appear on this page?

Letters To The Editor: Like May, June's MM generated very little response. Thanks to Peter Fogels for the birthday opinion in the previous story. Thanks also to Stan Balding and David Lester, who both courteously acknowledged their recent return to the MM distribution list.

If anybody ever hears a complaint from somebody saying that they are not on MM's mailing list then please contact the editor. I'm still unsure how the distribution list will be handled when we move to Revo Sport but strongly suggest that if we don't know about you we will not be able to include you in any migration of non-players to the new system.

'A' Division Blog: Another side has not been added to A Division since the first quarter of 2014 when the Red team made their debut. As usual in these situations it takes time for new team mates to become accustomed to one another. The results always vary depending on who is missing on any given day as a glance through the days below will show. As an example, on 16th June White scored six goals and conceded two. The next week (23rd June) they failed to score and conceded five goals. As I resumed play that day it looks as though retirement beckons.

June 2nd: All sides managed to win at least once on the last day of our four team competition. The match results did not always reflect the possession and territory, as the Red and Gold game was even midfield and a blowout on the scoreboard. The numbers were good again in the fine weather. The three goalkeepers (Graeme, John and Tony) were busy all day and all made several excellent saves. The judges had another difficult task to select the goal of the day and decided that they could not separate Neil Miller's deflection and Rod Spencer's team goal after excellent lead up work from both Rod himself and Jim Malcolm. The day's results were:

Blue 1 White 1; Red 3 Gold 0; Red 0 White 1; Gold 1 Blue 0; Red 0 Blue 1; Gold 3 White 1.

Goal Scorers: **Blue:** Chip Challenor, Neil Miller. **Gold:** Jim Malcolm, Rod Spencer (3). **Red:** Bob Bowyer, Bob Maley, Steve McEntee. **White:** Ray Domingo (2), Brian Soares. Team numbers at maximum were: Blue (13), White (13), Red (12), Gold (13). 12 goals were scored.

June 9th: Despite the poor weather numbers were quite good as all of us appeared to be curious about our new five team competition. The rain held off and a competitive day of hockey ensued. The two goalkeepers (John Burt and Graeme Sansom) were just about the best players for the entire day, playing every match and making many fine saves, some of which bordered on the miraculous. In this they were aided by forwards whose fingers seemed to be affected by the chilly temperature and many golden opportunities went begging. After the first eight matches there had been no less than six 0-0 draws (and two 1-0 wins). The floodgates opened in the last two games with two 2-0 blowouts. After much consideration the judges gave the goal of the day award to Steve McEntee's tomahawk, with honourable mentions to Scott Blackwell's solo run for the first of the day, plus Ken Beer and Bob Hotinski's strikes for Red. The day's results were:

Blue 0 Gold 0; Green 0 Blue 0; Red 0 Gold 0; White 1 Green 0; Blue 0 Red 0; Gold 0 Green 1; White 0 Blue 0; Green 0 Red 0; Gold 0 White 2; Red 2 White 0.

Scorers: **Blue:** None. **Gold:** None. **Green:** Steve McEntee. **Red:** Ken Beer, Bob Hotinski. **White:** Scott Blackwell, Ray Domingo (2). At maximum the numbers (not including goalkeepers) were: Blue (11), Gold (8), Green (9), Red (10), White (11). Only 6 goals were scored.

June 16th: The teams are starting to settle into their new combination with Green's defence keeping a clean sheet while four goals gave them three wins. White put it together in two games and lost it for the other two. Red, Blue and Gold only scored once, which in each case was enough to win. Player numbers were good except for Green and after Robin Bailey and Peter Blockley transferred from White all teams had full sides. Goalkeepers John Burt and Graeme Sansom were kind enough to play all six matches, but were not quite as prominent as the previous week. A lot more scoring opportunities were created and not all were missed. Goal of the day has to go to Simon Williams for his reverse stick chip over the keeper. Jim Banks and Gordon Jeffery were back and both seemed to have got through without harm. The results were:

Red 0 Blue 1; Gold 0 Red 0; White 3 Blue 0; Green 0 Gold 0; Red 1 White 0; Blue 0 Gold 1; Green 2 Red 0; Gold 0 White 3; Blue 0 Green 1; White 0 Green 1.

Scorers: **Blue:** John Ree. **Gold:** Angelo Strano. **Green:** Peter Andrews (2), Jim Banks, Simon Williams. **Red:** Ron Venables. **White:** Ken Beer, Dudley Burress, Ham D'Souza, Roy Grant, Peter Wallis (2). Team numbers were Blue (10), Gold (10), Green (8), Red (11), White (12). 13 goals were scored. /6

Quotable Quote 1: "Perhaps I am a bear, or some hibernating animal underneath, for the instinct to remain half asleep all winter is so strong in me." *Ann Morrow Lindbergh (1906 - 2001). American author, aviator and wife of Charles Lindbergh. The older I get I agree with her more each winter.*

From Saturday Masters:

The games are much more enjoyable for almost all of us when the play is relatively even. When some of us book in late or not at all, or book in, don't arrive, and don't apologise the hard work of the duty selector in carefully choosing balanced sides can be set to naught. The suggestion has been made that the duty selector appointments could be modified to give these players an immediate exposure to the problems caused by such lack of notification. One for the Committee to consider.

While I'm having a bit of a whinge there is another development causing me some concern. This is the tendency to ignore some of our players when passing the ball, even when they are wide open. As I know from personal experience (on Wednesdays) this results in them going cold, and when the ball does next come your way you miss it altogether.

This winter season two of our members have done the nibbles catering but declined to accept any reimbursement. Many thanks to Len Walker and Mike Harris.

We remind members that we are now collecting our own empties this winter season - when the bar is open. Please make sure that your bottles go into our personal container bin.

Talking of empties there were none on the weekend of July 3rd. Yet another dry day caused by the pandemic. It appears that we will be running our own bar next Saturday (10th July) and rumour has it that a couple of birthday celebrants are going to provide the drinks.

Hopefully Howie Herbert has completed the move successfully and is now getting established in his and Pam's new residence. We may see him back at hockey this month.

Talking of moving Jim and Beth Wright have sold their old home. The settlement date is around the middle of August and they are likely to be rather busy until then. And in all likelihood it will be more of the same after the move getting through the process of settling in.

The rest of the Saturday Committee hope that this outbreak of house moving is not anywhere as infectious as the Delta strain of Covid-19. MM's limericist comments:

When doing a dwelling downsize
 It's great if you can organise
 But don't be too bold
 Just do what you're told
 Like a long married man who is wise.
This may explain why our limericist has no wife.

'A' Division Blog (continued):

June 23rd: The only side short of numbers was Green and after Mal Jackaman transferred from Gold for the day the numbers were fine. As expected by some knowledgeable judges the Greens are starting to dominate the competition and were having a field day until Gold managed to blunt their attack and breach the hitherto solid defence to inflict an unexpected loss. Just before this match Red had a two goal win over Gold due to some excellent defence and some good finishing. White had an awful day, and did not look likely to score. Ricky Watts (rocket-like corner conversion) and Ken Beer (fine deflection in the second last match) put in claims for goal of the day, but Angelo Strano took the award for his solo run goal against Green in the last. Three goalkeepers were good to have as Colin joined Graeme and John and all of them played very well, despite the hat tricks to Angelo and Lance Woods. The day's results were:

**White 0 Red 1; Blue 0 White 0; Green 0 Red 0; Gold 1 Blue 0; White 0 Green 3; Red 0 Blue 1;
 Gold 1 White 0; Blue 0 Green 2; Red 2 Gold 0; Green 1 Gold 2.**

Scorers: **Blue:** Ricky Watts. **Gold:** Rod Spencer, Angelo Strano (3). **Green:** Jim Banks, Ken Watt, Simon Williams, Lance Woods (3). **Red:** Ken Beer, Bob Hotinski. Player numbers based on original sides were: Blue (10), Gold (11), Green (9), Red (11), White (11). 14 goals were scored.

June 30th: Due to the pandemic lockdown all community sport was cancelled.

Balinese Bulletin No 63:

For many of you down there with a memory of Bali from past visits, I regret to say that the Bali you remember is no longer. We used to love just sitting in a small cafe style eatery, sipping on a cold Bintang & just "people watch" the very many tourists make their way around the busy Bali streets. Those days are gone along with the steady streams of Bali taxis looking for a fare.

Another sign of the Bali sadness is the wide number of former shops with closed shuttered doors that have become victims of the "night artists" displaying their particular graffiti skills.

Almost all Hotels are either closed or just empty with many of them for sale. The closure of these businesses, shops & restaurants has naturally resulted in countless Balinese living now without any income.

I know this reads as tragic for the local Balinese but you would be surprised to learn that the Bali people continue to greet you with that same quick smile.

As far as the BVT (bastard virus thing) is concerned, Indonesia & Bali are now showing increased numbers of this Virus & a rising incidence of the Delta Variant.

We continue to live in home lockdown & have done so now for some 18 months. We are fortunate to have so many lovely local people who assist with shopping needs, including fresh seafood delivered to our door.

I know all of this reads as pretty depressing but know that Erin & I along with millions of Balinese are confident that this BVT will pass & the former Bali will return.

Peter Hammond

Thanks very much Peter. We all share your hopes for the return of the former Bali, and the sooner the better. That does not necessarily mean the one full of drunken Australians. Ed.



Punology One: Did you hear about the sad state Dr Watson was reduced to when Sherlock went on holiday. The poor man was left Holmesless.

'B' Division June 2021:

June started off as another good month for B Division and unfortunately ended with the final Wednesday's play cancelled due to a Covid lockdown. Hopefully as time goes by there will be less lockdowns as the number of people vaccinated increases. (So all you guys go and get vaccinated!!) Looking on the positive side the week off does allow players to get over minor injuries, aches and pains so that the competition returns stronger and more vibrant than ever.

In early June 2 more players were promoted to A Division continuing the natural evolution of our club. Both Frank Williams and Dudley Burress made the move and will strengthen A Division. We wish them well.

Another unfortunate affect from the disruption of a lockdown is we do not have a player profile for this month. Hopefully next month we can resume this popular feature.

Dudley Evans

Thanks Dudley. Unfortunately MM has no player profiles in reserve. One day I would like to read the Dudley Evans story - any chance you might start work on it Dudley and have it ready for the next time that you find you need one in a hurry. My own hockey story would take up a maximum of two lines, and demonstrate that it is possible to be boring in a two line paragraph. Ed.

WHM Fixtures: Thank you to Dan Hill, who has managed to locate the latest fixtures for our three different Divisions and load them to the WA Masters website where we currently keep our online files. The period covered is from July onwards. In future it is probable that they will move to the Revo Sports platform. So might the current version of this newsletter, plus the archived editions.

Shakespeare Said It: "True it is that we have seen better days." As You Like It Act II, Scene VII. *For some unknown reason our hockey at Perry Lakes on June 12th was terrible.*

"Things that are past are done with me." Antony and Cleopatra Act I, Scene II. *There seems to be a trend lately to carry on about umpiring decisions after the game. It's history, just let it go.*

"Therefore each one betake him to his rest; tomorrow all for speeding do their best." Pericles, Prince of Tyre Act II, Scene III. *Tournament coach exhorts his team to have an early night.*

Wine Raffle: The Masters Matters editor usually wins a few times every year, but 2021 had so far been totally dry. So the cunning plan revealed in the June issue of MM was to complain about it in the newsletter. It worked and normal service resumed again on 16th June.

Well Dones for June: Wednesday's 'A' Division umpires were: Rob Ainsworth, Jim Balding, Jim Banks, Len Blyth, Bob Bowyer, George Bradbury, Dudley Burress, Bob Claxton, Peter Eastlake, Peter Evans, Colin Gee, Bob Hotinski, John Jeffreys, Gordon Jeffery, Jeff Kozak, Steve McEntee, Bob Le Merle, Neil Scaddan, Brian Soares, Greg Street, Les Waldon, Ken Watt, Ricky Watts, Frank Williams, Ivan Wilson. Saturday's umpires were: Rob Ainsworth, Eric Alcock, Bob Bowyer, George Bradbury, Dudley Burress, Colin Gee, Paul Huisman, Peter Jones, Murray Matthews, Bruce Mercer, Coin Murray-Smith, Neil Scaddan, Don Smart, Greg Street, Ron Venables, Les Waldon, Len Walker, Ken Watt, Ivan Wilson. The sausage sizzle was not held due to the pandemic. Thank you and very well done to all.

Past Players, Non Players and Injured Players June: Noted at PHS: Peter Andrews, Robin Bailey, Gordon Jeffery, John Mercer, Simon Thomson, Ken Walter, Ricky Watts, Simon Williams, Jim Wright. And at Perry Lakes: Eric Alcock, David Lester, John Mercer, John Milner, Neil Scaddan, Rod Spencer, Peter Stevens, Len Walker, Ken Walter, Jim Wright.

Grumpy Old Men and Women One: "As one grows older, one becomes wiser and more foolish." *Francois de la Rochefoucauld (1613 - 1680).As shown at times in our Wednesday A Division hockey.*

Test Your Hockey Knowledge With John Sanders:**June's** question was:

Which statement about these four Australian players, May Campbell HA #77, June Wynne HA#123, Morna Hyde HA# 145 and Carolyn Ash HA# 111, is FALSE?

- They are sisters!
- They grew up in the tiny Wheatbelt town of Moulyinning, Western Australia!
- They all played only for Western Australia!
- Three of them toured New Zealand together in 1948!

May Campbell (nee Pearce) <ul style="list-style-type: none">• 1936 to 1948• HA # 77• Western Australia/NSW	June Wynne (nee Pearce) <ul style="list-style-type: none">• 1948 to 1953• HA # 123• Western Australia
Morna Hyde (nee Pearce) <ul style="list-style-type: none">• 1953 to 1956• HA # 145• Western Australia	Caroline Ash (nee Pearce) <ul style="list-style-type: none">• 1948• HA # 111• Western Australia

Nobody attempted an answer. The correct response is c. They all played only for Western Australia! May Campbell coached, and played for, New South Wales for a short time after WWII. During her many years as Western Australian captain, the state failed to win the national title only twice.

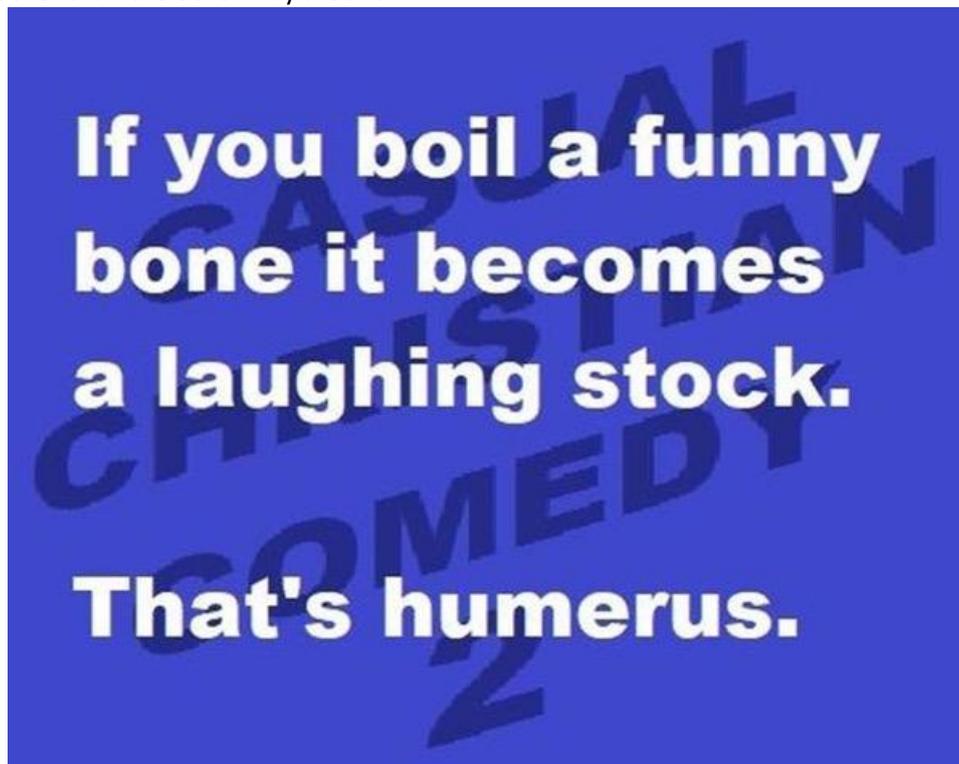
July's question is:

Which of these great players played the most hockey internationals for Australia?

- Ray Evans
- Julian Pearce
- Pat Nilan
- Don Smart.

Answer next issue.

Punology Two: Peter Brien contributed this one. It's a more a case of hot water getting into Masters Matters rather than the other way around.



Orthopaedic Challenge Goes National? We included this possibility in the June edition, but I am told by Coordinator Bob Bowyer that the current situation of the pandemic has put an end to any chance of conducting such an event this year. Bob will now start preparations for our local match, which is still due to go ahead at the normal time of the year.

Corrected A Division Team Lists: In the June edition of Masters Matters I attempted to include the redrawn sides in our oldest age group. I failed to realise what the NR against a player's name meant and the table below shows the teams as they are now - until the review takes place after five weeks. My apologies to those players who were left out last time.

Blue	Gold	Green	Red	White
Stan Balding	R Ainsworth	Jim Banks	Kenneth Beer	Robin Bailey
G Challenor	James Balding	Len Blyth	Bob Bowyer	Scott Blackwell
Peter Eastlake	Nevelle Brown	Mark Faithfull	Bob Claxton	Peter Blockley
Ian Hill	H D'Rozario	Peter Jones	Howard Herbert	G Bradbury
Jeff Kozak	David Evans	Jim Malcolm	Mal Horrigan	Dudley Burress
Robert Maley	Mal Jackaman	S McEntee	Bob Hotinski	Ham D'Souza
Neil Patterson	Gordon Jeffery	Neil Miller	John Jeffreys	Ray Domingo
John Ree	Philip Metcalf	S Thomson	Keith Kessell	Peter Evans
Colin Sanders	Terry Murray	Leigh Watt	Peter Murray	Terry Gaston
Peter Trend	S/dev Pandher	F Williams	C Murray-Smith	Roy Grant
Rick Watts	Rod Spencer	S Williams	Brian Soares	Bob Le Merle
Ivan Wilson	Angelo Strano	Lance Woods	Ronald Venables	John Mercer
N Scaddan (c)	Peter Willett	Ken Walter	Les Waldon	Gregory Street
	Colin Gee (c)	P Andrews (c)	Jim Wright (c)	Peter Wallis
				D Horsley (c)

Late News: Harvey Davies has not been very well in recent weeks and made contact from Hollywood Hospital during June. The day I paid him a visit it was ended by the arrival of his oncologist who had some bad news. His cancer has spread to the liver and the prognosis is not good.

He is due to return home early this week and will be making arrangements for in house care. Scott Blackwell conveyed this news to us last Saturday and the group was dismayed to hear it.

If you would like a lift over to Perry Lakes (and back whenever is convenient for you) one of these days Harvey just let me know. It seems highly unlikely that I'll be playing again in the next few weeks and possibly for longer than that. Meantime, just let us know if there is anything we can do and if it is possible to visit you at home.

Grumpy Old Men and Women Two: "When a man tells you that he got rich through hard work, ask him: 'Whose?' " *Don Marquis (1878 - 1937). Us humorist and author of 'Archie and Mehitabel.'*

Quotable Quote Two: "Science is organised knowledge. Wisdom is organised life." *Immanuel Kant (1724 - 1804). German philosopher.*

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