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DATES TO ADD TO YOUR CALENDAR

- **Wednesday 22 June 6.30pm:** Junior Pizza Night
- **Monday 27 June:** No Junior games due to school holidays
- **Sunday 26 June from 4.30pm:** Club Night
- **Wednesday 29 June:** No Junior and Senior training due to school holidays
- **Friday 2 July:** No U10 game due to school holidays
- **Sunday 3 July:** No Senior games due to school holidays
- **Monday 4 July:** No Junior games due to school holidays
- **Wednesday 6 July:** No Junior training due to school holidays. Seniors will still be training.
- **Friday 9 July:** No U10 game due to school holidays
- **Sunday 7 August 11.30am-1.30pm:** Club BBQ

FACILITY ISSUES

There have been some issues reported about how the facility is being looked after by patrons. On several occasions the following has been reported:

- Club cage locks have been removed and thrown in bins or down the toilets.
- Toilets have been blocked with various items causing plumbing alarms: one toilet was clogged with clothing, one toilet with a roll of duct tape, and another with a 3/4 full toilet roll in it.



- Heaters in the changerooms had been turned on at 31 degrees and left on
- Taps had been turned on and left running.
- A full hand wash dispenser had been tipped out into a sink, resulting in bubbles coming up through a drain.

The cost of running water, gas water heating, reverse cycle heating, the plumber call out plus the challenge of trying find the missing club locks may cost HCV (and therefore our clubs) added costs to running our facility.

It is suspected that these activities have been undertaken by children that are bored and seeking ways to keep themselves busy. If you are a parent that is playing or training and your kids are left to their own devices, please have them stay out of the changerooms/club cages area. They are more than welcome to use the Foxtel on the big TV in the social space.

Also, alarmingly two live rounds of .22 calibre hollow point bullets were discovered on the West Pitch viewing platform. These were disarmed and discarded. The discovery was reported to the police and they have investigated. Whilst no one was harmed, the discovery is quite concerning!

I ask that we all be vigilant in caring for our facility. If you see something or someone doing something that isn't right, please raise it.

CLUB FEES

Club fee information can be found in our Information Book on our website. Our Treasurer Bridget Green has been sending out invoices for club fees and uniforms. **We ask that all fees to be paid by 31 July 2022** as we have invoices to pay for turf hire, umpiring, insurance, etc. Family discounts are available. Should any Bendigo Senjuns Hockey club members have any problems paying fees, please speak to Bridget and she can arrange a payment plan to help you out. If you have a plan, please ensure you abide by it.

CLUB NIGHTS

Get down to The Lake View Hotel when you can for drinks, meal and a chat with your hockey community mates.

<https://www.lakeviewhotelbendigo.com.au/>. Club Nights have been planned and are now listed on our website ('Events' page:

<https://www.revolutionise.com.au/bjhc/events/list/>). The next one is on **Sunday 26 June at 4.30pm.**



INFORMATION BOOK

The updated Information Book for the 2022 winter season has been updated and is now online! This will have a lot of information about our club that should be able to answer any of your questions. Link:

<https://www.revolutionise.com.au/bjhc/information-book/>.



TRAINING

Training is on Wednesdays: 5.30pm for Juniors, 6.30pm for Seniors. Let your coach know if you cannot attend.

FIXTURES

Fixtures for games are listed online here:

<https://www.revolutionise.com.au/bjhc/fixtures/>.

CLUB EVENTS

Our club events are listed on this page: <https://www.revolutionise.com.au/bjhc/events/calendar/>. Please check regularly to see what is coming up. Events are also discussed or added to Facebook.

Upcoming events to add to your calendar:



Senior BBQ: We will be holding a Club BBQ at the Bendigo Hockey Facility on **Sunday 7 August** 11.30am – 1.30pm. The B Women play at 10.15am and the Open Men play at 11.30am, so come down and grab a snag and drink, and watch the games!

UNIFORMS

Janette Rosedale is the person to see to arrange your uniform. Uniforms can be collected at training sessions from Janette. Junior uniforms are loaned for the year, Senior uniforms are to be purchased and you will be invoiced for them. Janette: rosedaletje@gmail.com.

CLUB COMMUNICATION

Our club communicates primarily via website, Facebook and email. Please follow our Facebook page to keep up to date with updates and other information: <https://www.facebook.com/SenjunsHockeyClub/>. Our website address is: <https://www.revolutionise.com.au/bjhc/home/>.



MERCHANDISE

We have new merchandise ready to order! These items will be available throughout the year for you to order at your request.

How to order the merchandise:

1. Call or visit the friendly staff at Hip Pocket Work Wear: 03 5443 8470, Unit 1 / 78 Hattam Street, Golden Gully. Let them know you are coming from Senjuns – they will know the items that we have available for our members and the costs.
2. Choose the item and size. You can try sizes on in the store or choose based on the information in the links on the attached document
3. Decide if you want your name on the front (polo) / back (jumper/vest) - extra cost.
4. Place the order.
5. Pick up the item when it is ready (around 2 weeks) and pay upon pick up.



SENIOR COUNTRY CHAMPIONSHIPS (SCC): 11 JUNE 2022 – 13 JUNE 2022

Congrats to Senjuns players who played in the 2022 Grassports Senior Country Championships: *Mark Albrecht, Michael McDermott, Alyssa Boyd, Flynn Boyd, Jemma Colliver, Brodi Gavin, Chelsea Giorlando, Sam Giorlando, Shelby Giorlando, Tyler Green, Zoe Green*



JUNIOR STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS (JSC): 30 JUNE 2022 – 3 JULY 2022

The teams lists are out! Congratulations to the following Bendigo Senjuns players on making it into the North West Lightning JSC teams: Jack Tamblyn (U13 boys), Xavier Watson (U13 boys), Sienna Hartney (U13 girls), Byron Bullock (U15 boys), Luke Boyd (U15 boys), Madeline Watson (U15 girls), Flynn Boyd (U18 boys), Tyler Green (U18 boys), Shelby Giorlando (U18 girls), Chelsea Giorlando (U18 girls), Alyssa Boyd (U18 girls).

Also, congrats to Georgia De Salis for her selection as co-Head Coach and Dale Boyd for his selection as Assistant Coach of the U13 girls team.

The event will run from Thursday 30 June – Sunday 3 July, alternating between the Melbourne Sports Centres - Parkville (State Hockey Centre) & Footscray Hockey Centre. I am hoping all Bendigo Senjuns members will come and support the players!

CANTEEN DUTY

Thanks to all those people who have already put their names down for canteen duty. Reminder: it is our club policy that ALL players (or a delegate for them) need to help in the canteen at least once in the year. Responsible young people are able to assist in the canteen with adult supervision, but must be 15yrs+ to use coffee machine/serve hot food.

Please add your name/number in the vacant blue boxes in this document: https://docs.google.com/file/d/1kr60bY-vsFI0UHKiBu7qSYHDL36tRmDk/edit?usp=docslist_api&filetype=msexcel.



Feel free to plan in advance and put your name down for other dates in the future now. Let Harry know if you have any issues accessing this sheet.

Please consider applying to obtain your Responsible of Service of Alcohol (RSA) so you will be able to sell alcohol when this is for sale in the canteen.



COMMITTEE

We are still looking for someone to take up the **Membership Officer** role on the Committee. The role of Membership Officer is to focus on Club experience for members and develop ways to increase Club participation and membership. If you are interested, please email the club.

We are also looking for a **Treasurer for the 2023 season**. If you have any experience with finances, please reach out!!

HOCKEY CLUB MELBOURNE TERM 2 HOLIDAY CAMP

[Hockey Club Melbourne](#) Term 2 Holiday Camp registrations are open!

Located across 2 venues, Hawthorn (Skills) and [Footscray Hockey Club](#) (Participation), you can experience the best of HC Melbourne. The participation program is aimed at participants 6-10 years, while our skills program is aimed at participants 11-16 years!

Each participant receives a HC Melbourne Holiday camp pack. Additionally, signing up puts you in the draw to have your camp fees refunded!

Sign up now! Registrations close Monday 4 July! Follow here: bit.ly/3NIXfFD

CHILD SAFE STANDARDS

All organisations in Victoria that provide services or facilities for children are required to comply with Child Safe Standards, to ensure that the safety of children is promoted, child abuse is prevented, and allegations of child abuse are properly responded to.

The [Child Safe Standards](#) are minimum compulsory standards for all organisations that interact with children and young people. The Standards aim to prevent abuse through a focus on cultural change and help to protect children from the risks of abuse.

New Child Safe Standards are coming to better protect children and young people from abuse. The new Standards will **commence on 1 July 2022**. The eleven new Standards will replace Victoria's current seven standards and principles.

Key changes include new requirements:

- To involve families and communities in organisations' efforts to keep children and young people safe
- For a greater focus on safety for Aboriginal children and young people
- To manage the risk of child abuse in online environments
- For greater clarity on the governance, systems and processes to keep children and young people safe.

Changes have been made to support greater national consistency, reflecting the National Principles for a Child Safe Organisation developed following the Royal Commission into Institutional Responses to Child Sexual Abuse.

An overview of the new Standards is provided below:

1. Organisations establish a culturally safe environment in which the diverse and unique identities and experiences of Aboriginal children and young people are respected and valued
2. Child safety and wellbeing is embedded in organisational leadership, governance and culture
3. Children and young people are empowered about their rights, participate in decisions affecting them and are taken seriously
4. Families and communities are informed, and involved in promoting child safety and wellbeing
5. Equity is upheld and diverse needs respected in policy and practice
6. People working with children and young people are suitable and supported to reflect child safety and wellbeing values in practice
7. Processes for complaints and concerns are child focused
8. Staff and volunteers are equipped with the knowledge, skills and awareness to keep children and young people safe through ongoing education and training
9. Physical and online environments promote safety and wellbeing while minimising the opportunity for children and young people to be harmed
10. Implementation of the Child Safe Standards is regularly reviewed and improved
11. Policies and procedures document how the organisation is safe for children and young people.

Resources:

The overview below and the resources on the [Vicsport site](#) focus on the Victorian standards.

The following resources from the Commission for Children and Young People (CCYP) provide further information and details about the incoming changes:

- Victoria's new [Child Safe Standards](#)

- What's New? – [An overview of the Child Safe Standards](#)
- What's Changing? – [A comparison of current and new Child Safe Standards](#)
- [Further information from CCYP](#)
- The Safe Hockey Hub is Hockey Australia's comprehensive and accessible resource hub designed to give all members of the hockey community the information they need to help us fulfil this commitment.: <https://www.hockey.org.au/integrity/safe-hockey/>

What next?

The Bendigo Senjuns Hockey Club Committee of Management will be discussing the new Standards in their meetings. Committee members will be asked to familiarise themselves with the resources. Links to the above sites will be added to our website.



**ANNIE IS COMING
SUNDAY 19TH JUNE**



from 10am until last
match ends