

The MacRobertson International Croquet Shield is the premier croquet teams event in the world, the equivalent of the football World Cup. It is competed for by Australia, Great Britain, New Zealand and the United States, and known affectionately as the MacRob. The test series is played in rotation between the competing countries every three or four years — in August this year it is to be Great Britain's turn.

Two clubs in your area, Roehampton Club and Surbiton Croquet Club, have been selected to host matches: Roehampton will be the venue for an exciting meeting between Australia and the USA, and Surbiton will host the climax of the competition, the finals between Australia and GB, and New Zealand and USA.

Both clubs are easily accessible and have excellent facilities and catering. Spectators are guaranteed a warm welcome and first-class entertainment.

COME ALONG AND SUPPORT YOUR NATION

Details of times and dates are given below. We look forward to seeing you.



Visit www.macrobertsonshield2010.org

12-16 AUGUST 2010

Test match: Australia vs United States of America Competition starts daily at 1000 Refreshments are available 0930-2200



Roehampton Lane London SW15 5LR

For further details, contact Tristan McIllroy on 0208 4804201 or visit website www.roehamptonclub.co.uk

Directions: By Car: the Club is located just off the South Circular Road – parking is limited and public transport is advisable. By Bus: frequent buses from Hammersmith, Putney and Richmond. By Train: the nearest station is Barnes, served either via Clapham Junction or Richmond. On leaving the station, follow signs to the university and the Club is the first turning right as you walk up Roehampton Lane. (Approximately 5 minutes walk from the station)

18-22 AUGUST 2010

Test match finals: Australia vs Great Britain
New Zealand vs United States of America
Competition starts daily at 1000
Refreshments are available 0930-2200



Alexandra Drive Surbiton KT5 9AA

For further details, contact Kitty Carruthers on 0208 3997736 or visit website www.surbitoncroquet.org.uk Please also contact Kitty in advance if you are bringing a large party, and need catering for.

Directions: By Car: the Club is located just off the Tolworth interchange of the A3 – parking is limited to adjacent roads, & public transport is advisable. By Bus: frequent buses from Kingston, Surbiton Station & Putney. By Train: the nearest station, approx. 1 mile, is Surbiton (Waterloo line). Exit the south side (back); go up South Bank to Ewell Road (A240); turn right and head south for about 800m until just before the junction at the foot of the hill; turn left into Hollyfield Road, then cross King Charles Road into Alexandra Drive. The Club is 250m further, on the right.