



Overview

Welcome to Bristol & West Hockey Club and thank you for your interest in joining us!

Bristol & West is one of the largest and most welcoming clubs in the Bristol area. We run 6 men's teams, 4 women's teams, a growing mixed section, and a junior programme for children aged 8 to 16. We also enter Masters Club Championship sides at various age groups for both men and women.

League matches take place on Saturdays (late September – early April), while Summer League runs from May to August. Mixed fixtures are usually held on Sundays throughout the year.

We pride ourselves on being one of the friendliest clubs in Bristol, offering competitive hockey alongside a strong social community and a place for everyone - whatever your age or experience!



HOW TO JOIN



1. **Try a training session** – all those who are looking to join Bristol & West can come to two free taster training sessions
2. **Want to join as a Member following the taster sessions?**
Register on Spond (our communication platform) and pay the annual subscription to set up an account - [HERE](#)
3. **GMS** - Register/ request a transfer from your old club - [HERE](#)
4. **Going to play in matches?** Contact communications@bandwhc.org.uk with your shirt size to be allocated a shirt number.
5. Order your **new kit via our kit shop** - [HERE](#)
6. Read our **Club Constitution** - [HERE](#)
7. **Your team captain will then contact you** about what position you would like to play and adding you into the team WhatsApp chat (where applicable)
8. **Enjoy playing hockey at Bristol & West!**

Any issues? Contact communications@bandwhc.org.uk

USEFUL INFORMATION



Training Times

Men's Performance Squad (1s, 2s & 3s)	Tuesday	7:00 - 9:00pm
Women's	Wednesday	3s & 4s: 7:00 - 8:45pm 1s & 2s: 7:30 - 9:30pm
Club Training (Open to all adults)	Thursday	7:00 - 8:30pm

Training/Home Pitch Location

All training and home games are at [Mangotsfield School](#). Away games vary!

<u>Address</u>	<u>What Three Words</u>
Mangotsfield School, Rodway Hill, Mangotsfield, Bristol, BS16 9LH	School Entrance: ///global.pints.hammer
	Hockey Pitch: ///into.casino.legs

Annual Subs & Match Fees

We pride ourselves as being the most affordable hockey club in the area. We work hard to try and keep costs down and accessible to all.

	Annual Membership	Match Fee
Adults	£120	£12
Students/Unemployed	£80	£6
Summer only	£0	£10

Annual membership fee is halved when joining after 1 January 2027.

Key Links:

- Safe guarding and privacy policies - [HERE](#)
- Protective equipment policy - [HERE](#)

- Injury reporting policy - [HERE](#)
- Club Officers - [HERE](#)
- Role of Honor - [HERE](#)

Follow us on [Instagram](#) and [Facebook](#)

The Social Side

At Bristol & West, it isn't just about the hockey! Our club has a vibrant social scene, with events running throughout the year to help members get to know each other off the pitch. From pub quizzes, bowling nights and club-wide games evenings to our much anticipated end of season awards and formal dinner, there's always something to look forward to.

We also celebrate together throughout the calendar, including our festive Christmas social and our brilliantly themed Halloween night. Alongside the main club events, individual teams regularly organise their own socials - whether that's a casual trip to the pub, a team meal, or something a bit more adventurous.

Keep an eye out on Spond for the latest event announcements, sign ups and details. No matter how you like to get involved, there's a welcoming space for everyone to connect, have fun, and feel part of the Bristol & West family.

