

## Croquet is.....

An enjoyable game for the whole family.

A game of tactics and skill.

Play at a club or in your own garden.

Join a club and play with others.

All you need is a pair of flat-soled shoes.

The club will supply the rest of the equipment.

Later on you may want to buy your own mallet.

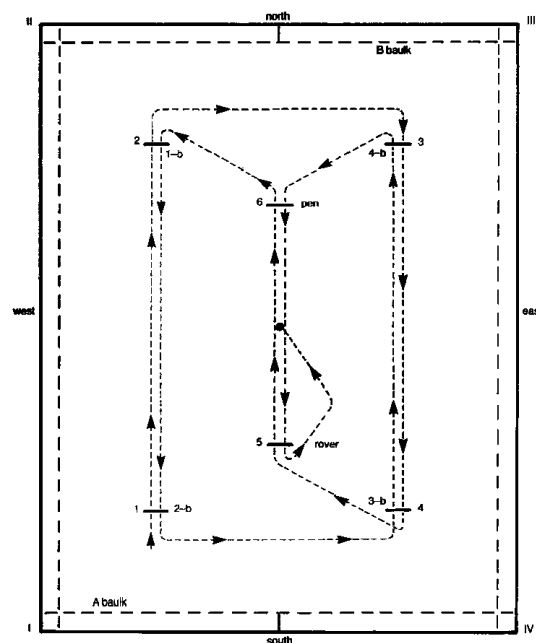
Competitions for individuals and clubs throughout the summer.

National and international competitions.

Supported by the Sports Council

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An enjoyable game for the whole family. It is a combination of skill and tactics. In Association Croquet the objective is to play a succession of shots to get your ball through as many hoops as possible in a continuous break. In Golf Croquet each player in turn tries to get his ball through the hoop with a single shot before all moving on to the next hoop. The handicapping system allows players of all abilities to compete on equal terms.



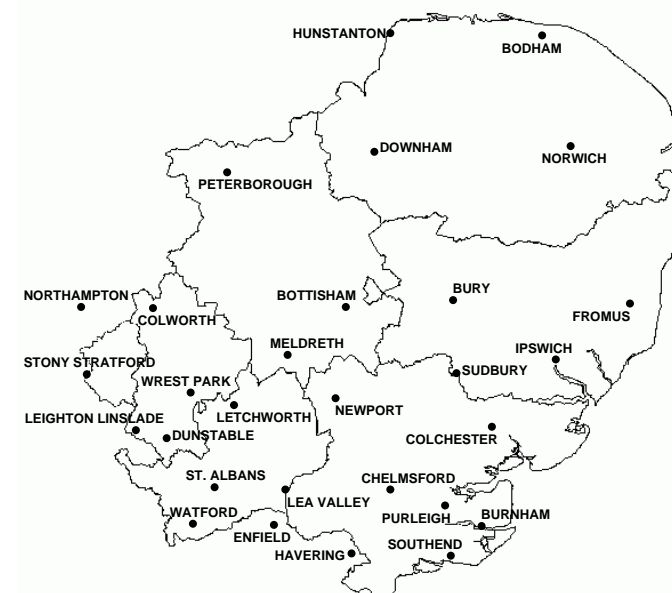
## Where to see it played

Croquet is played regularly at most clubs listed in this leaflet. Competitions can be seen, mainly at weekends, particularly at the major clubs, Colchester, Hunstanton, Ipswich, Newport, Watford and Wrest Park. The dates and times can be obtained by contacting the clubs concerned.

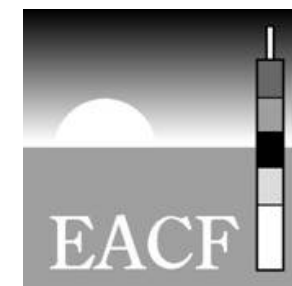
# CROQUET

## In East Anglia

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**East Anglian  
Croquet  
Federation**



## The East Anglian Croquet Federation

The Federation is the association of croquet clubs in East Anglia. It encourages the formation of new clubs, provides loan equipment and organises competitions within the area, including indoor tournaments during the winter season and events in association with National Trust properties.

For further information contact the Secretary  
Terrey Sparks 01553 770390  
tds3elm@aol.com

or visit the Federation's website at  
www.angliacroquet.co.uk

## The Croquet Association

The Croquet Association is the national organisation for croquet. It publishes the Rules of the game which are accepted throughout the world. Under its auspices, national and international competitions take place regularly.

There are about 120 croquet clubs in Britain registered with the Croquet Association. They run over 70 croquet tournaments every summer, open to anyone, in conjunction with the Croquet Association.. The clubs also run competitions and provide coaching for their own members.

For more information contact  
The Secretary of the Croquet Association,  
c/o Cheltenham Croquet Club, Old Bath Road,  
Cheltenham, Gloucs. GL53 7DF  
Tel: 01242 242318  
email: caoffice@croquet.org.uk  
website: www.croquet.org.uk

## The Croquet Association Shop

Stocks equipment, books and videos:  
Ted Isaac 01242 242318  
sales@croquet.org.uk

or visit the website www.croquet.org.uk/shop

## Where we play

The locations and contact details for clubs affiliated to the East Anglian Croquet Federation are listed here:  
(GC = Golf Croquet contact)

### Bodham

Sec: Harry Bruford 01263 588122  
Hbruford@aol.com

### Bottisham

Sec: Mrs. Jean Horton 01223 811147  
jean@horties.plus.com

### Burnham-on-Crouch

Club: Dengie Hundred Sports Centre, Milfields, Burnham-on-Crouch, CM0 8HS  
Sec: Mrs. Claire White 01621 782901  
claire@legendyachting.com

### Bury St. Edmunds

Club: Victory Sports Ground, Nowton Road, Bury St. Edmunds, IP33 2BT  
Website: www.burycroquetclub.co.uk  
Sec: Mrs. Mollie Crawford mollied@dscrybe.com  
GC: Chris Howell 01284 787728  
cmhowell@waitrose.com

### Chelmsford & Bentley

Club: Writtle College Sports Ground, Foxburrows Lane, Chelmsford, CM1 3SS  
Website: www.essexinfo.net/chelmsford-bentley-croquet-club  
Sec: David Bateson 01245 442291  
david.bateson@btinternet.com  
GC: Mrs. Judith Hand 01702 294798  
judithhand@hotmail.co.uk

### Colchester

Club: 16 Elianore Road, Colchester, CO3 3RX  
Sec: Jane Collier 01206 577005  
jane.collier@btinternet.com  
GC: Mrs. Ann Brookes 01206 501895  
brookekad@ntlworld.com

### Colworth

Club: Unilever Research Labs, Colworth House, Sharnbrook, MK44 1LQ  
Sec: Kathey Towler 01234 222279  
kathey.towler@unilever.com

### Downham Market

Club: Stow Hall, Stow Bardolph, Downham Market, PE34 3HU  
Website: www.downhamcroquetclub.co.uk  
Sec: Jonathan Toye 01366 382280  
jonathantoye@hotmail.com

### Dunstable

Club: Priory Lawns, 33 High Street South, Dunstable, LU6 3RZ  
Sec: Veronica Richardson 01525 220600  
postmaster@richardson3703.plus.com

### Enfield

Club: Bush Hill Park, Southbury Road, Enfield, EN1 1PS  
Website: www.enfieldcroquet.org  
Sec: Alan Foott 0208 866 4431  
maureenfoott@hotmail.co.uk

### Fromus

Club: c/o Benhall Club, School Lane, Benhall, Saxmundham, IP17 1HE  
Sec: Geoff Day 01728 688466  
geoff@gday.org.uk

### Havering

Club: Upminster Court, Upminster, RM14 1AL  
Sec: Mrs. B. Carter 01708 554771

### Hunstanton

Club: The Recreation Ground, Kings Lynn Road, Hunstanton, PE36 6AT  
Website: www.northcoastal.co.uk/hunst\_croquet\_club.htm  
Sec: Mrs. Myfanwy Dunford 01485 532264  
myfanwy.dunford@hotmail.co.uk

### Ipswich

Club: Lower Arboretum, Christchurch Park, Ipswich, IP1 3JJ  
Website: www.ipswichcroquetclub.com  
Sec: Peter Allnutt 01473 221204  
peter.allnutt@ntlworld.com

### Lea Valley U3A

Club: Broxbourne Sports Ground, Mill Lane Close, Broxbourne, EN10 7BA  
Sec: Donald Wratten 01992 443091  
donald.wratten1@ntlworld.com

### Leighton Linlade

Club: Pages Park, Billington Road, Leighton Buzzard, LU7 4TN  
Sec: Roger Stroud 01525 873793  
rogerstroud302@hotmail.com  
GC: L.J. Buckingham 01525 221079  
delboyle@tiscali.co.uk

### Letchworth

Club: Muddy lane, Letchworth, SG6 3TB  
Website: www.letchworthcroquetclub.co.uk  
Sec: Colin R. Gregory 01707 330835  
crg5907@waitrose.com  
GC: David Russell 01462 683275  
davidrussellcroquet@hotmail.co.uk

### Meldreth

Club: The British Queen Public House, High Street, Meldreth, SG8 6LB  
Sec: Alec Osborne 01223 833278  
alwen.osborne@tiscali.co.uk

### Newport

Club: Frambury Lane, Newport, CB11 3PU  
Website: www.newportcroquet.org.uk  
Sec: Bernard Yallop 01799 584262  
bernardyallop@tiscali.co.uk  
GC: Pat Marks 01799 502316  
aandp.marks@ntlworld.com

### Northampton

Club: St. Andrews Hospital, Billing Road, Northampton, NN1 5DG  
Website: mysite.wanadoo-members.co.uk/NorthamptonCroquet/Html/  
Sec: Nick Evans 01604 633431  
n.evans777@btinternet.com  
GC: Owen Bryce 01604 858192  
owen-iris@bryceo.fsnet.co.uk

### Norwich

Club: Eaton Park, South Park Avenue, Norwich, NR4 7AU  
Website: www.norwichcroquetclub.talktalk.net  
Sec: Jeremy Kitchener 01603 610708  
q6@ntlworld.com  
GC: Mrs. Betty King 01603 431046  
betty2710@tiscali.co.uk

### Peterborough

Club: Central Park, Park Crescent, Peterborough, PE1 4DX  
Sec: Tony Parry 01733 268179  
anthony-parry2@ntlworld.com

### Purleigh

Club: Wells Pavilion, Purleigh, Chelmsford, CM3 6PA  
Sec: Dorothy Oliver 01621 828433  
BOAssocs@aol.com  
League: Georgie Clarke 01621 828708  
georgieclarke@hotmail.com  
GC: Pam Hopper 01621 858586  
pam.hopper@tiscali.co.uk

### Southchurch Park (Southend)

Club: Wellstead Gardens, Westcliff-on-Sea, Southend, SS0 0AY  
Sec: June Sweeney 01702 303957  
j.m.sweeney@blueyonder.co.uk

### St. Albans

Club: Clarence Park, Clarence Road, St. Albans, AL1 4NG  
Sec: David Kitson 01727 857479  
d.mkitson@tiscali.co.uk

### Stony Stratford

Club: Ansell Sports Ground, Ostlers Lane, Stony Stratford, MK11 1AR  
Sec: Rex Gower 01908 315068

### Unity (Sudbury)

Club: 2 Cheyne Court, Quay Lane, Sudbury, CO10 2GA  
Sec: Mrs. Adrienne Strover 01206 262594  
adriennestrover@hotmail.co.uk  
GC: Geoffrey Willcocks 01449 740262

### Watford (Cassibury)

Club: Cassibury Park, Cassibury Park Avenue, Watford, WD18 7HY  
Website: watfordcroquet.org.uk  
Sec: Janet Lewis 01923 896900  
secretary@watfordcroquet.org.uk

### Wrest Park

Club: Wrest Park, Silsoe, MK45 4HR  
Website: www.wrestparkcroquet.org.uk  
Sec: John Bevington 01908 614493  
jbevin1251@aol.com