



1949 Autumn Cup Champions here next Thursday

Midweek ice hockey returns to the Empire Pool, next Thursday, 26th October, when last season's Autumn Cup winners, Harringay Racers, pay their first visit of the season to Wembley.

The Racers have made several changes from the 1949-50 team, but nevertheless, still present a star-studded line-up. The retained men include the fast-moving defenceman, Milton Swindlehurst, and Wyn Cook, a forward last season, who has now dropped back to defence. Ray Dinardo, who played for Greyhounds two seasons ago, and who spent last winter in Scotland, and Johnny Callanan, former player-coach to Amherst Ramblers, complete the Racers' back division.

The first line of attack looks formidable. Fast-skating right winger Bill Glennie and Joe Shack, the new Harringay skipper, who has switched from centre to left wing, flank new centreman, Kenny Campbell from Streatham.

Racers' second line includes two newcomers—Bud McEachern, the former Rangers and Streatham star and Johnny Sherban, one of the lightest men in hockey—on either side of the blonde flash, Ken Kennedy.

These two star-spangled lines can be very dangerous round the nets, and with both sets of Harringay forwards now blending into useful combinations, the Lions' rearguard will have to be in top gear for the whole sixty minutes to withstand the visitors' onslaughts. Lions and Racers have met once this season—at Harringay—when a thrill-packed, fast-moving game ended in a 5-5 draw.

TIGERS HERE NEXT SATURDAY

Next Saturday, 28th October, Brighton Tigers, who are making a staunch bid for Autumn Cup honours, pay their second visit of the season to Wembley. The Lions can be considered unfortunate to have narrowly lost the first encounter 2-4, for a little more steadiness around the net might have turned the result the other way.

The Lions will be determined to avenge that defeat next Saturday, and with Tigers fighting to maintain their position, an exciting match seems in store.

AN APOLOGY

We much regret that while the difficulties in the Printing Trade continue it is not possible for us to produce our usual 12-page Programme. We offer sincere apologies to our patrons and give the assurance that we shall resume our usual style of programme just as soon as conditions permit.

MEET THE LIONS (2) . . .

One of the first boys to skate at the Empire Pool, way back in 1934, was 12-year-old **ARTHUR GREEN**, and when the Wembley junior teams were formed, young Arthur was in there with the rest of the youngsters, chasing the puck round the rink.

Green showed great promise and in the 1937-38 season was appointed captain of the Wembley Wolves who, that season, won the A. J. Elvin Trophy. The following season, at the age of 16, Arthur Green was chosen to play for Britain in the World Championships at Zurich and so became the youngest player to appear for any country in the World competition.

Arthur served with the R.A.F. during the war, attaining the rank of sergeant. He joined the Lions on demob in 1946, and after two seasons established another record by being the first English-born and bred player to captain an English league side. That year, 1948, he played in the Olympic Games at St. Moritz.

Now, after a couple of seasons with Rangers, he is back home again with the Lions.

Arthur is quite a useful soccer player, and has the distinction of having played on the famous Wembley turf—at the Empire Stadium "across the way"—and scoring two goals—as outside left for Alport in the 1940 Wembley Youth Cup Final. During the summer he works in an insurance office and also helps his father with his cycle shop.



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Twenty-nine-year-old "**LEFTY**" **WILMOT**, as his nickname suggests, is a lefthander who plays on the left wing. He came to England from Montreal with the Royal Canadian Army and played ice hockey at Brighton and Purley.

Perhaps his best season before coming here was at centre-ice for Rosemount Rangers, who won the Quebec Outdoor Junior Championship. That year, he was chosen for the Quebec Junior All-Stars.

His first post-war appointment was with Brighton Tigers, whom he helped to win the "Triple Crown"—Autumn Cup, National Tournament and National League. The following season he was again on the Tigers' team which won the Autumn Cup. He returned to Canada at the end of that season.

Two seasons ago, however, Brighton recalled him to help them in their National League bid.

While with the Canadian army here during the war, "Lefty" went over to France on D. Day plus 12, but came back after five weeks because a steel bar, which had been put in his shoulder in 1944, had to be removed.

Next Week

Frank Boucher and Sonny Rost

AUTUMN CUP TABLE

(up to and including Wednesday, 18th Oct.)

	P	W	D	L	F	A	P
Harringey Racers	6	3	2	1	34	27	8
Brighton Tigers	4	3	1	0	21	10	7
Streatham	7	3	1	3	25	26	7
Earle Court Rangers	6	2	1	3	23	28	5
WEMBLEY LIONS	6	1	1	4	17	29	3
Nottingham Panthers	3	1	0	2	14	16	2

Supporters' Club



Thursday price reductions for Supporters

Thursday ice hockey matches at the Empire Pool begin next Thursday, 26th October, and we take this opportunity to remind our patrons that members of the Wembley Lions Ice Hockey Supporters' Club qualify for special price concessions for these Thursday matches. The special reductions available for Supporters are: 2/6 seats for 2/-; 4/6 seats for 4/-; 6/- seats for 5/-; and 10/6 seats for 7/6. These concessions apply to all Thursday matches, except Internationals and other special occasions.

It costs 3/- to become a member of the Wembley Ice Hockey Supporters' Club—1/- membership fee, plus 2/- for the Club Badge. Application forms are to be found at the Supporters' Club Centre, under the West Terrace. Members of the 1949/50 season can rejoin for 1/- and can exchange their Monarchs' or combined badge, if desired, free of charge.

"Spot the Badge" Competition

The three Supporters "spotted" wearing their badges, or flying pennants on their motor-cycle or car this week are: Miss A. Norris, 54 Purcell Street, N.1, Mr. D. Gunn, 98 Tokyngton Avenue, Wembley, and Mr. R. Hawkeswood, 10 Dunster Drive, Wembley. Each will receive two free tickets for a forthcoming ice hockey match at Wembley. So always wear your badge, or fly your pennant, and you too, may win two free seats.



FIND THE PUCK! All the desperate efforts of Streatham defenceman, Don Callaghan and goal-minder Johnny Craig, could not prevent this shot from Neil Langill (left) entering the Streatham net last Saturday. Neil, normally a centreman with a left-hand shot, is settling down nicely on the Lion's right wing. He played a big part in the Lions' exciting 5-4 victory over the South Londoners last Saturday when he scored three goals and assisted with a fourth.

PROGRAMME OF 4th MEETING (12th Season) Saturday, 21st October, at 7.45 p.m., Wembley Lions v. Nottingham Panthers

WEMBLEY STADIUM LIMITED. Chairman and Managing Director: SIR ARTHUR J. ELVIN, M.B.E.

Empire Pool Manager: PAUL W. A. HERBERT

1. ICE HOCKEY AUTUMN CUP MATCH—
First Period (20 mins. actual play, with time out for stoppages)

I N T E R V A L

(Empire Pool Orchestra under the direction of Bertram Willis)

2. MISS LEENA PIETILA — Free Skating
(Amateur Figure Skating Champion of Finland)
3. GORDON HOLLOWAY — "Atom Flash"

4. ICE HOCKEY AUTUMN CUP MATCH—
Second Period (20 mins. actual play with time out for stoppages)

I N T E R V A L

5. JIRINA NEKOLOVA — "Harlequin"
6. OLIVE ROBINSON and BERNARD SPENCER —
"Rhapsody"
7. ICE HOCKEY AUTUMN CUP MATCH—
Final Period (20 mins. actual play, with time out for stoppages)

GENERAL SKATING FOLLOWS

All Matches are played under the Rules of the British Ice Hockey Association

WEMBLEY LIONS (Red)

No.	Name	Position	Goals	Assists	Penalties
1.	Stubby Mason - -	- Goal			
2.	Frank Boucher (Captain) - -	- Defence			
3.	Sonny Rost - -	- Defence			
4.	Joe MacIntosh - -	- Defence			
5.	Arthur Green - -	- Defence			
6.	Malcolm Davidson - -	- Forward			
7.	Lefty Wilnot - -	- Forward			
8.	Don Mann - -	- Forward			
9.	George Beach - -	- Forward			
10.	Neil Langill - -	- Forward			
11.	Dave Maguire - -	- Forward			
12.	Stan Petrow - -	- Forward			

Trainer: Tommy Barnett

NOTTINGHAM PANTHERS (Black and White)

No.	Name	Position	Goals	Assists	Penalties
1.	Ken Johnson - -	- Goal			
2.	Bud James - -	- Defence			
3.	Bill McDonald - -	- Defence			
4.	Bill Allen (Alt. Captain) - -	- Defence			
5.	Pete Moulden - -	- Defence			
6.	Gerry Watson - -	- Forward			
7.	Pat Casey - -	- Forward			
8.	Les Strongman (Captain) - -	- Forward			
9.	Johnny Pyyhora - -	- Forward			
10.	Chick Zamick (Alt. Captain) - -	- Forward			
11.	Bill Ringer - -	- Forward			
12.	Gyle 'Woody' Woods - -	- Forward			

Team Coach: Archie Stinchcombe

Trainer: Charles Cragg

Referees: E. Leacock and E. Klein

First Period—Wembley Lions..... Nottingham Panthers.....

Second Period—Wembley Lions..... Nottingham Panthers.....

Final Period—Wembley Lions..... Nottingham Panthers.....



Forthcoming Ice Hockey Matches

Autumn Cup and Internationals

Thursday, 26th October	Wembley Lions v Harringay Racers
Saturday, 28th October	Wembley Lions v Brighton Tigers
Thursday, 2nd November	Wembley Lions v Earls Court Rangers
Saturday, 4th November	Wembley Lions v Stratford
Thursday, 9th November	Wembley Lions v Harringay Racers
Saturday, 11th November	To be arranged
Thursday, 16th November	Wembley Lions v Earls Court Rangers
Saturday, 18th November	Wembley Lions v Nottingham Panthers
THURSDAY, 23rd NOVEMBER	ENGLAND v SWITZERLAND
Saturday, 25th November	Wembley Lions v Brighton Tigers
Thursday, 30th November	Wembley Lions v Earls Court Rangers
Saturday, 2nd December	ENGLISH TABLE TENNIS CHAMPIONSHIPS
THURSDAY, 7th DECEMBER	ENGLAND v SWEDEN
Saturday, 9th December	Wembley Lions v Nottingham Panthers

Public Skating Sessions Admission 2/6

MORNINGS	AFTERNOONS*	EVENINGS
10 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. (Sats. and Suns.)	2.30 p.m. to 5.30 p.m. (Daily)	7.30 p.m. to 10.0 p.m. (or after Ice Hockey)

*From 6th November onwards there will be no week-day afternoon sessions (Monday to Friday) as the ice will be required for rehearsals of "Dick Whittington on Ice".

Popular Sessions (Wednesdays and Thursday Afternoons and Friday evenings) 2/-. Children at Morning and Afternoon Sessions, 1/6 (except Saturday Afternoon and Sundays). Spectators, 1/6 (except Sundays).

Hire of Boots and Skates, 1/6 per session.

SAVE MONEY — BUY BOOKS OF SKATING TICKETS

Ten Tickets in each book, Adults 20/-, Schoolchildren 10/-.
On sale at the Box Office.

Supporters' Club (Enrol under West Terrace)

Members of the Wembley Ice Hockey Supporters' Club obtain reduced prices for Thursday matches. Membership fee is 3/- which covers cost of Club Badge. The Fee for re-joining the Club is 1/-. (Monarchs and combined badges will be exchanged for a Lions' Badge, without extra charge, if so desired.)

Ice Skating Instructional Staff

In attendance at all sessions

Muriel Roberts, 6/- for 20 minutes.
N.S.A. Gold Dance Medallist. Former British Professional Ice Dance Champion.

Floor Manager
Roy Brookes, 5/- for 20 minutes.
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Autumn Cup Matches

Next Thursday, 26th October, at 7.45 p.m.

WEMBLEY LIONS v. HARRINGAY RACERS

Next Saturday, 28th October, at 7.45 p.m.

WEMBLEY LIONS v. BRIGHTON TIGERS

EVERY THURSDAY AND SATURDAY AT 7.45 p.m.

Seats bookable in advance, 2/6; 4/6; 6/-; 10/6; 21/-. Or pay at doors.
Seats in Rinkside Restaurant, exclusive of dinner, 7/6 (Thurs.), 10/6 (Sats.).
To reserve a table telephone Wembley 1234.

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