

Many different types of groups & organizations have held successful and enjoyable events at Bury Croquet Club, including singles group, Guide associations, Round Table, Rotary, Lions and company team bonding, or simply groups of friends.



Bury Croquet Club operates two venues, the larger one shown above is **Whitehead Park** close to Bolton Road and a few minutes from Bury Town Centre.

The club house has excellent facilities with a large function room and well equipped kitchen for function catering. Other facilities include a full size boules court and an indoor croquet lawn.

Our other facility is at **Coronation Park** just a few minutes from the Radcliffe town centre. This is ideal for smaller groups or functions. Set in tranquil settings of the park.

Both venues have car parking facilities.

Arranging your event:

To discuss and arrange your event please contact the Club Secretary on
07856 348706

Or email enq@burycroquet.com
Still not sure?

Please visit either of the club's facilities to see how they will meet your specific requirements, you will be greeted by a club member and be made most welcome.

Costs vary on the type of event required are calculated on a per head basis starting from as little as £6 per head.

Subject to availability. The club reserves the right to postpone events in the event of weather conditions rendering lawns unplayable or unsafe..



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And

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Croquet Event Q & A's



CROQUET—“really!”



Q Do I need to be able to play croquet?

A. No—most people attending functions have never tried croquet, but they very quickly pick up technique.

All playing equipment with instruction is included with event packages

Q Will we be shown what to do and how to play?

A. Yes, club members will be on hand to explain the rudiments of the game, and provide full assistance.

Q. Is equipment provided and do I need to wear special clothing?

A. Yes all necessary equipment is provided to play croquet, mallets, balls hoops etc. There is no need to wear special clothing, just whatever you feel comfortable in and trainers or flat shoes. (For health & safety reasons we do not recommend open toe footwear, and in order to prevent damage to playing surfaces we ask that heels are not worn).

Q. Is it a complicated game?

A. There are several forms of croquet. During events we usually play a short form of the game which is less time consuming.

Any more questions—please email:

enq@burycroquet.com

ABOUT YOUR EVENT:

Croquet events can be tailored to the specific requirements of the client, however a typical format consists of:

1. An initial welcome and explanation of the format of the event.
2. Players select a suitable size mallet provided by the club and then given basic instruction about hitting the balls and an overview of the rules of the game. Teams or playing partners are selected.
3. Competitive play commences under guidance and mentoring of club members who also act as referees. Depending on time and/or client requirements there may be semi finals and a final.
4. Company events can be tailored to include team bonding tournaments on an all play all format, which encourages inter departmental interchange.
5. Upon completion of play there may be a prize presentation. All judging and results coordination are undertaken by club members.
6. Catering facilities are available which can vary from buffets, pie & peas or BBQ. Alcohol can be brought in by clients.
7. A tea & biscuit inclusive package is available for small groups if preferred.

Some of our guests admit to us that when a game of croquet was initially suggested they were not sure what to expect.

“It’s a game for posh people” or just hitting balls through hoops.

Indeed a few have admitted that initially they didn’t really fancy attending—particularly when a company function.

However on the day we find grown men jumping up & down with excitement when clearing an opponents ball, or “high fiving” colleagues when running a hoop,

There is also a lot of fun, laughter and joviality on the day. Croquet is an extremely sociable sport.

**WHITEHEAD PARK CLUB HOUSE
FUNCTION ROOM**

Ideal venue for

- Business Meetings
- Club events
- Seminars
- Presentations
- Family events
- Socials

Please ask for details

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Unfortunately the room is not suitable for childrens parties

