

Croquet in the North

There are three regional Federations in the North of England:

- Croquet North Federation
- North West Federation
- Yorkshire Federation

These three regional Federations operate under the auspices of the Croquet Association by co-ordinating the development of the sport in the North of England. They work locally to promote new clubs, to stimulate interest in the sport, run croquet leagues and make available equipment and coaching facilities to groups with potential for new clubs.

The Croquet Association

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North West Federation Leagues

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North West Handicap League

Teams: Birkdale, Bowdon Firs, Bowdon St.Mary's, Bury Caesars,
Bury Peelers, Chester, Crake Valley, Fylde, Pendle & Craven.

North West Advanced League

Teams: Bowdon Canons, Bowdon Saints, Bury, Chester, Fylde,
Pendle & Craven, Southport, Crake Valley.

North West Short Croquet League

Teams: Bowdon, Bury, Chester, Fylde, Llanfairfechan,
Pendle & Craven, Southport.

North West Golf Croquet League

Teams: Bowdon, Bury North, Bury South, Chester, Culcheth, Fylde,
Llanfairfechan, Pendle & Craven, Southport, Westmorland.

North West Midweek Handicap League

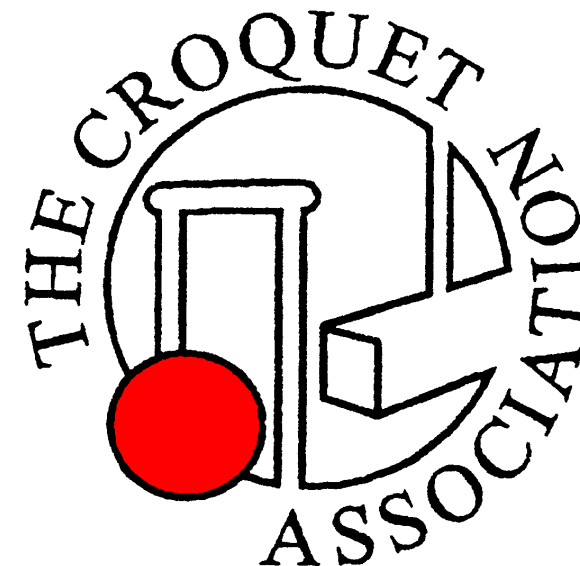
Teams: Bowdon Earls, Bowdon Griffins, Bury, Chester, Fylde,
Pendle & Craven, Southport, Westmorland.



Northern Croquet Events 2012

Mar.	3	NW Federation Spring Meeting, Culcheth
	31-1 Apr	12 th Lancs. International Golf Croquet, Heaton Park
April	6-9	John Beech Handicap Tournament, Pendle & Craven
	14	AC Laws Course, Huddersfield
	14-15	Advanced Weekend, Southport
	15	CA Silver Course, Bowdon
	21	One-ball Tournament, Middlesbrough
	21	Intermediate Golf Course, Chester
	21-22	NW Federation Millennium Advanced, Heaton Park
	29	Short Lawn Millennium Trophy Tournament, Beverley
	29	CA Bronze Course, Westmorland
May	5-6	AC Handicap Weekend, Middlesbrough
	5-7	Handicap Tournament, Bowdon
	12	NW Federation Millennium Golf, Heaton Park
	12	NW Federation Millennium Short, Fylde
	19-20	NW Federation Millennium Handicap, Chester
	19-20	B-Level Advanced Weekend, Pendle & Craven
	19-20	CN v. SCA (B), Tyneside
	26-27	Advanced Weekend, Bowdon
	26-27	Handicap Weekend, Southport
June	5-7	Midweek AC Handicap Tournament, Tyneside
	9-10	Advanced Weekend, Crake Valley
	16-17	Home Internationals, Southport
	16-17	Advanced Weekend, Pendle & Craven
	24	Pennine Cup, Pendle & Craven
	30-1 Jul	NW Federation Festival of Croquet, Southport
	30-1 Jul	B-Level Advanced Weekend, Middlesbrough
July	3-6	Midweek Tournament, Pendle & Craven
	4-5	CA v. Swiss CA, Bowdon
	4-5	Advanced Weekend, Tyneside
	7-8	Advanced Weekend, Heaton Park
	8	Yorkshire Federation Golf Croquet Tournament, Huddersfield
	14-19	Northern Week, Bowdon
	21-22	Super-B and B-Level Advanced Weekend, Southport
	28-29	Handicap Weekend, Fylde
Aug.	4-5	AC Advanced Weekend, Tyneside
	18-19	Advanced Weekend, Crake Valley
	24-27	North of England Championship, Bowdon
	25-27	Handicap Weekend, Pendle & Craven
Sept.	1-2	Area Final of All England Handicap, Southport
	1-2	CA v. SCA, Middlesbrough
	1-2	Yorkshire Federation Full Lawn Tournament, York
	15-16	Open Advanced Weekend, Southport
	22-23	Handicap Weekend, Heaton Park
	22-23	B-Level Advanced Weekend, Bowdon
Nov.	3	NW Federation AGM, Culcheth
2013 Jan.	27	Yorkshire Federation AGM, York

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