



# CHELMSFORD CLUB LTD.



Dear Esteemed Members,

I am grateful to you all for giving us the opportunity to serve the club and take it to new heights. With your blessings and support, our team won both the 2022 & 2023 elections for the post of the President & Members of the Managing Committee. As we reflect on the past 18 months under the stewardship of the management team, it brings me immense joy to share the remarkable journey of growth and transformation that we have embarked upon together with a deep commitment to enhance the club experience for everyone. We have successfully overcome the challenges that were presented before us, that to bring back the **past glories** of our club in the shortest period possible.

It is indeed an honour to reconnect through this **newsletter** with you after a long gap, this is the first newsletter from the present Managing Committee and the President of the Club. We will now make the newsletter a regular communication letter.

With our motto of **"MEMBERS FIRST"** we are thrilled to highlight some of the key achievements and initiatives that have shaped our collective journey.

- New revamped **swimming pool**, upgraded **seating area** and **changing rooms**.
- New refurbished **flood lit tennis courts & squash courts**.
- Upgraded **badminton court, washrooms** and **changing area**.
- New beautiful well-lit **card room**.
- New compact **library**.
- Refurbished furniture in the **coffee shop** and renovated **waiting lounge**.
- Carved out a new and big lawn '**rose garden**', this added another venue for the members for holding their functions, parties and club functions.
- Improvement of all the open areas in the club, including lawns by installing flood and decorative lights to improve aesthetics.
- Installation of new large screen TV sets in bar, bar lounge, dining area and coffee shop. All the TVs were contributed by the Managing Committee members without any cost to the club.
- **Rationalised the prices** of F&B by reducing the prices/ rates charged by the club. The prices of alcoholic beverages and food etc. are now much lower than other clubs in the vicinity.

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- **Improvement** in the quality and service of food served by the club.
- Introduction of a **food tray** for accompanying assistants / care takers/ drivers with Hon'ble members at a nominal cost of **Rs. 100 only**.
- **Replacement of the old bar stools** with new modern and comfortable bar stool in the **bar lounge**.
- Renovation and improvement of **Dhupia Lounge**, which was inaugurated by Shri Manjeet Singh Dhupia Ji son of Late Sardar Meharban Singh Dhupia. Sardar Meharban Singh Dhupia Ji had worked tirelessly for the club and in his memory his portrait has been affixed in the Dhupia Lounge.
- Facilities, such as new guard cabins, waiting area for drivers and staff toilets have recently been added.
- The management has also invested in technology by installing wireless food ordering machines and touch screen in all F&B outlets and upgraded the software.
- We are pleased to inform that the club has added **173 new members** during past 18 months:
  - 17 Permanent members under Dependent members category
  - 19 Permanent members
  - 12 Widow members
  - 01 Corporate member
  - 124 Permanent members under amnesty scheme
- We brought amended amnesty scheme to make dependents of the members as permanent members who missed the opportunity earlier due to various reasons. I am glad to share that a total of **124 (eligible dependent members)** took advantage of the scheme.
- Your management also brought a **"settlement scheme"** for clearing the old outstanding dues.
- We are proud to share that, in a short span your team has repaid all the loans and have maintained healthy bank balances.

We are relentless in organising events on a regular basis for the members of the club. During past 18 months your team has organised the following events –

- **New improved Tambola event every week**
- **Musical evenings twice every week**
- **Ladies Night**

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- **Baisakhi celebration in 2023**- The event was part of G20 celebrations by the government of India. The guest of honour for the function was **Mrs. Meenakshi Lekhi**, Minister of State, External Affairs & Culture of India. The function was attended by the dignitaries from several countries.

- **Gurpurab Celebration**- Guru Nanak Dev Ji's birthday was celebrated on 3<sup>rd</sup> December 2023 and it was well attended by the members of the Club and scholar such as **Sardar Tarlochan Singh Ji**, Padma Bhushan Awardee, former member of Rajya Sabha & Chairman Minority Commission and **Dr. Sardar Vikramjeet Singh Sahney**, Padma Shri Awardee & Member of Rajya Sabha.

- **Baisakhi celebration 2024**

- **Musical Night at pool opening**

- **Members Day celebrations**

- **Christmas Day celebration**

- **New Year Eve celebration**

- **DJ Night**

- **Sufi Night**

- **Special screening on large LCD screens of World Cup & IPL matches**

We endeavour to organise more & more such events on a regular basis for the delight of our members.

I take this opportunity to thank my fellow colleagues for their significant contributions & hard work during the period –

Shri Dinesh Verma	Special Advisor
Shri Sunil Sareen	Chairman, Social & Cultural
Shri Pramod Sahani	Chairman, Sports
Shri Sushil Kumar Dwivedi	Member, Social & Cultural

I also take the opportunity to place word of appreciation for the Administration personnel of the Club, with special mention for -

Shri Puneet Bhasin	Secretary & CEO
Shri Vikas Chaturvedi	Assistant Secretary

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Also a word of appreciation for Shri Rajan Gupta, F&B Manager and Shri Nirmal Jha, Accounts Officer.

These achievements and initiatives are a testament to our shared vision of creating a dynamic, inclusive and vibrant club experience that enriches the experience of our members and strengthens our sense of community and belonging.

As we continue on this journey of progress and innovation, and on behalf of the entire Managing Committee once again extend our heartfelt gratitude to each and every member for their invaluable support, feedback and partnership. Your enthusiasm and engagement inspire us to strive for excellence each day and we remain fully committed to serving you with dedication, integrity and passion.

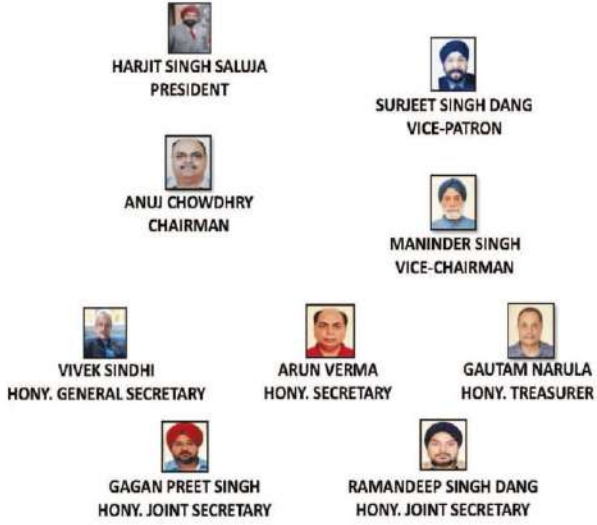
Wishing many more years of shared success and memorable moments to our beloved Club.

Warm regards,

**Harjit Singh Saluja**  
President

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**MANAGEMENT OF THE CLUB 2022 - 23**



**MEMBERS MANAGING COMMITTEE**



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**MANAGEMENT OF THE CLUB 2023 - 24**



**MEMBERS MANAGING COMMITTEE**



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**100th ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING 21<sup>ST</sup> JAN 2023**



**BAISAKHI FESTIVAL 10<sup>TH</sup> APRIL 2023**



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**CARD ROOM INAUGURATION 24<sup>TH</sup> APRIL 2023**



**SWIMMING POOL OPENING 17<sup>TH</sup> MAY 2023**



**LADIES NIGHT 08<sup>TH</sup> JUNE 2023**



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**SQUASH COURT INAUGURATION 02<sup>ND</sup> NOV 2023**



**MEMBERS DAY CELEBRATION 04<sup>TH</sup> NOV 2023**



**DHUPIA HALL INAUGURATION 04<sup>TH</sup> NOV 2023**



**GURPURAB CELEBRATION 3<sup>RD</sup> DEC 2023**



**X'MAS CELEBRATION 25<sup>TH</sup> DEC 2023**



**NEW YEAR CELEBRATION 31<sup>ST</sup> DEC 2023**



**ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING 27<sup>TH</sup> DEC 2023**



**BAISAKHI FESTIVAL 19<sup>TH</sup> APRIL 2024**



**SUFI NIGHT 01<sup>ST</sup> JUNE 2024**



**TAMBOLA NIGHT**



**T20 WORLD CUP 2024**

