

Communications Group (On behalf of the Management Committee and Club Members)

March 2020

DID YOU KNOW THAT YOU CAN GET £120 OFF YOUR FEES?

If you introduce a new playing member to the Club, you would be entitled to a £120 reduction in your fee the following year, providing that new member renews their membership.



WHY DO WE NEED TO RECRUIT NEW MEMBERS

- Each year some members leave, for a variety of reasons. This results in a loss of income.
- Reasons for leaving include moving away from the area, not able to play golf through injury or for family reasons.
- We therefore want to attract new members.
- You can help by introducing new members to the Club whilst receiving a reduction in your fees.
- Income also increases, if we all support the Club's social functions.



NEW SOCIAL FUNCTIONS

IS IT THE END OF QUIZ NIGHTS -

Throughout the winter, there has been a monthly quiz night. These events will come to an end in March. BUT BY POPULAR DEMAND-

We are introducing –

THEME NIGHTS – Once a month, there will be a meal and a table quiz. The first event will be on Thursday 2nd April and will be a Curry Night.

ALSO

We are reintroducing the Bank Holiday competitions. ROLL UP ON EASTER MONDAY AND ENJOY GOLF WITH FAMILY AND FRIENDS. For more information, see the in house information.



Have you seen the publicity in the club house?





WE WANT YOUR HELP!

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CENTENARY CALENDAR 2020



Make sure you sign up at the beginning of April for the following events

- Wednesday 17th June Captains' Invitation Day (11.00-2.00)
 - Every Captain, Gents and Ladies, from every Golf Club in Nottinghamshire, and other clubs outside Notts where we play friendly matches, will be invited for a Betterball Stableford event.
- Tuesday 23rd June Greenkeeper's Revenge (2.30 shotgun)

A pairs competition, betterball Stableford, entry £10 per pair. Pins will be in some unusual, and even cruel, positions – hence the name of the competition! Members will have first option in entering this event. We will also have the England v Czech Republic football match on the big screen at 8.00pm, and from 7.00pm, hot pork rolls at £4 each.

- Wednesday 24th June Ladies Open
- Thursday 25th June Gents Seniors Open
- Friday 26th June Hickory Event (3.00 Shotgun)

One of our highlight events. Members will have the chance to play 18 holes using genuine 100 year old hickory clubs, supplied by Timewarp Golf. Teams of 4, playing a Texas Scramble format. There will be a pie and peas supper after, and a prizes presentation at about 8.30pm. Entry £60 per four ball team. Unearth those plus fours to look the part!

- Saturday 27th June Social Pro-Am (Tee times 2.00-5.00)
 - A very friendly event, with pairs playing a "back nine" of holes 1, 11 to 18. One player and one putter in each team, with families, young and less young, welcome, and a small prizes table.
 - After the golf there will be a curry meal and entertainment by live bands, going on into the evening. Entry £25 per pair, for golf, prizes and food and entertainment.
- Sunday 28th June Centenary Championship (Tee times 6.00-1.30)

This is a one-off Competition, for Members only. Format is an Individual Stableford, with separate Trophies for Ladies and Gents. Entry is £5 per player There will be a Presentation in the evening, after the Trick-shot Show.

• <u>Sunday 28th June Trick Shot Show (6.30) followed by Championship Presentation</u> David Edwards, former World Trick Shot Champion, will put on a show.



WHAT HAVE THE GREEN STAFF BEEN DOING THIS PAST MONTH?

In spite of all the heavy rains and winds, with a storm or two for good measure, our greens staff have continued to keep the course open for play, so all the more credit for the work done.

WORK COMPLETED

- Turfing around the bunkers, tees and worn areas and mown as necessary
- GUR has facilitated the drying out of the 15th and 18th fairways
- Tree thinning on the 12th and 17th, encouraging the spread of heather
- Trees have been lifted on 1^{st,} 12TH and 18th.
- Areas for wildflower planting have been prepared.
- Vertidraining has been carried out on approaches and greens, as necessary
- The new tee markers have been finished
- · All tee paths and bunkers have been edged
- New fencing installed along the left hand side of the 2nd green
- Health and safety work nearly completed.

UPCOMING WORK

- Microtine greens
- Complete path work
- Review machinery inventory/replacement programme

OTHER CLUB NEWS



Congratulations to Craig

Seen here receiving his Testimonial cheque for £5000, from Past Captain, Dave Stirling. Many thanks to all the members and friends who contributed and helped to organize events that raised such a great total.

WANTED

Do you have any golf clubs that you no longer use? Craig and James plan to introduce some 'taster' sessions for potential new members. In order to take participants out onto the course, they will need a range of clubs. Please let Craig know if you can help.



COMPETITION RESULTS

To view all competition results, Gents and Ladies, please visit the Club's website.