Lilleshall Hall Golf Club - Dress Code

Introduction

The aim of the dress code is to ensure that members, guests and visitors feel welcome and relaxed when at the club. Our dress code seeks to recognise the traditional values of a private members' golf club and to instil a sense of professionalism and respectability whilst acknowledging the changing requirements of today's golfer.

Members and playing visitors are required to observe the club's dress code, which requires a standard of smart, contemporary golf and casual clothes, both on the course and in the clubhouse. We define the course as the 18 holes and the practice putting green.

A more relaxed dress code may be adopted on the practice ground, though when using the course, practice putting green or clubhouse before or afterwards, the dress code for these areas will need to be adhered to.

Changing shoes in the car park is permitted.

On the course

- All golfers must wear clothing that is smart and readily recognisable as golfing attire.
- Golf shoes, with spikes or soft studs/stipples, must be worn at all times.
- Sports socks must be worn at all times when wearing shorts.
- Caps must be worn with the peak forward, unless there is a medical reason not to do so.

In the clubhouse

We recognise that our clubhouse is used by both members, visitors and guests in the bar and restaurant area. A single policy that covers all these types of use is needed to ensure it can be followed by all.

We aim to provide a relaxed and sociable ambience in the clubhouse and welcome smart casual wear. However, there are a number of items that we do not find acceptable. These include:

- Golf shoes brought into the lounge or bar area before playing or that have been worn on the course, whether soiled or not
- Hats, caps or other head-coverings, other than for medical or religious reasons



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- During inclement weather, wet and muddy clothing (wet clothing to be changed in the changing rooms and hung on the clothes hanger provided by the trophy cabinet). Wet clothing should not be hung on the back of chairs in the bar or restaurant.
- Beachwear, open-toed footwear for men, non-golfing hoodies, joggers or tracksuits, athletic non-golf attire (football or rugby shirts etc), cargo trousers or shorts and ripped or distressed trousers or shorts are not acceptable wear in the clubhouse.

Sports training shoes and smart casual denim jeans are acceptable in the clubhouse.

Other considerations

Club functions and organised events may require specific standards of dress. Where appropriate, these will be outlined in the arrangements for an event.

Members bringing guests to the club for functions or to dine in the restaurant are asked to make their guests aware of the dress code.

The club recognises that there are specific circumstances when it may not be possible for the dress code to be fully applied. Examples would include clients from the Battle Back Centre at Lilleshall Hall and the Crossbar Foundation, both of whom work with our professional staff, use the practice putting green and the practice facilities and may be in the clubhouse. We will work with Battle Back, Crossbar and our professional staff to ensure that their best endeavours are used to ensure that their clients are aware of our dress code and comply with it as best they reasonably can.

It is the responsibility of all club members to adhere to and support the club dress code.

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