



## Membership Initiative

We are now pushing a membership drive on social media using a new digital brochure, which we have developed, and alongside that as always, we will have the "Member brings Member" initiative. Members who introduce a new member will receive a £50 bar credit on their membership card. Do YOU know any prospective golfers? Then help promote our great club.

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## Golf

Welcome back to the fairways for those members who have not been able to play very much because of the weather conditions, particularly those who need to use buggies or are unable to carry. The traffic light system aims to keep the course open so that members who can play in the prevailing conditions can get out on the course, rather than having it shut for everyone. I have only played twice under Black conditions and twice under Red this season but for my most recent game I have been impressed with the quality of the greens and the fairways now we are back to regular grass cutting. You may have noticed that the greens and fringes are back to being cut with hand mowers providing a better cleaner surface. So many thanks to all of us who have renewed our membership despite the above, your support is very much appreciated.

**Our club competitions and open events** are all live on IG so make this the year where you get involved and maybe win some prizes.

## Changing of the guard

On behalf of all the membership I say a great big thank you to Dean and Anne for all they have achieved in their Captains' year, from many fun golf competitions, which were innovative & enjoyed, to the many projects that were completed such as the starters hut re-vamp. The pair really did throw themselves into everything and in the process raised £6493 for the Cancer Research charity.

Welcome to the new Team at the top Tim & Nikki Holdcroft, once again a husband & wife combination who have both been very active in the social event for some time as well as their Vice captain role over the past year. Tim & Nikki have instigated a social committee to develop a new program of events so if you are willing to get involved then please contact them soon.



Your new Junior Captain is Oliver Carpenter who has been a junior member of the club for some years developing through the Shervill golf pathway. You can meet all of them at the Captains' Drive in on Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> March.

**Captains Drive in** The Kitchen will be open from 08.30 for the Breakfast Bap with a Tea/Coffee Deal

Please assemble in the Clubhouse no later than 09.45 to check which hole you are going from, and for the jacket presentation at 10.00.

Please buy your lollypop sticks from the pro-shop (all monies go to our charities) and place them out where you think our drives will go. I suggest deep in the trees for mine!! (Tim)

Captains Drive off at approx. 10.30.

Shotgun start for the comp at 11.00.

The Cabin will open with hot and cold drinks and savoury snacks.

## Litter on the course

We have received quite a few reports from members of litter on the course in the form of biscuit wrappers, sweet packets etc which these members collected and disposed of in the litter bins provided. Please try not to leave litter on the course and keep it in your bag until you reach a bin on the next tee, as it looks unsightly and we try our utmost to present the course well.

## Robotics

Robots are currently operating in four areas, the practice ground and the first, second and 18<sup>th</sup> fairways. The remainder of the robots are in the process of being reprogrammed as their systems have been upgraded and will be brought online progressively over a few weeks. In the meantime the greens staff will be cutting the fairways and rough using traditional mowers.

As we progress to the robots it would be very helpful if members committed to picking up any rouge sticks they come across, more probable in windy conditions, as they do impede the robots.

## View our Social Media Posts Below

