



GLENCORSE GOLF CLUB

Christmas Newsletter 2018

A word from the Club Captain, Stuart Clark



2018 has been a great year for Glencorse Golf Club, and I'm proud to be Captain of such a friendly and welcoming club. This has been demonstrated through the support that everyone has provided to the Ladies Get Into Golf Programme, which we're extremely pleased to report that it got a mention at the Scottish Golf National Conference this year! Huge thanks to everyone who's been involved in this year's initiative and a warm welcome to all the new members who joined following their summer tuition.

Our membership numbers have increased throughout 2018, and I'd like to say a massive thanks to everyone for recommending Glencorse Golf Club. We're very aware that our members are our biggest asset to the club and we thank you for being such strong promoters of our club.

Our focus for 2019 is our Junior Programme, and making sure we support the development of junior players in Midlothian. Please make sure that you come along to our Junior Planning Meeting on the 17th January to find out more.

Finally, I wish you all a great Christmas and we look forward to seeing you all in 2019!

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The Ladies Section, Caroline Kinnaird - Lady Captain



2018 is coming to a close after a very good year for the Ladies Section. Our immediate past Ladies Captain, Lesley Campbell's hard work with the ladies get into golf proved very successful, with our playing membership increasing greatly. Some of our new ladies have already gained their handicaps and we look forward to seeing them all improving in 2019.

Our Annual Christmas Dinner was held on Friday 15th December and 25 of our members attended. It was a great success with everyone enjoying themselves. Many thanks go to David, Jo, Billy and all their team for a lovely meal.

In 2019 there are numerous competitions to play in. We have a few fun competitions where all ladies with or without a handicap can play. All ladies should soon receive their fixture list with all the dates.

Jane Browitt has taken over as Ladies handicap Secretary from me and will be looking after competitions and handicaps and will help with any queries.

Our Ladies Committee for 2019 consists of;

Captain : Caroline Kinnaird
Vice Captain : Helen Taylor
Secretary : Kay Field
Treasurer : Katy Gillies
Handicap Secretary : Jane Browitt
Sara-Jayne Reid and Phyl Early

The Ladies Committee wish you all a very happy Christmas and Best Wishes for 2019 on and of the Golf Course.

Member Survey - Our Commitment to Quick Wins!



Our Member Survey feedback has been well received by the committee. We've analysed it and separated it all into specific themes for us to work through 2019. Some of the quick wins that will be in place before the 2019 season kicks off are;

- Monthly Newsletter resurrected – starting with this one!
- All committee meeting minutes & Greenkeepers reports will be published on Club V1
- Introduction of visitor booking/payment online & open events booking/payment online
- Competition booking online for all club fixtures in 2019

The winners of the member survey draw were;

- Adult Member Survey – Eliot Gray
- Junior Member Survey – Robbie Shanks

2019 Fixtures



The 2019 fixtures have now been added to the Club V1 schedule.

Printed copies will be available in the new year – we will let you know when these are available for collection.

2019 Dates for Your Diary...



17th January Junior Programme – Planning Meeting
19th January Cabaret Night – Rod Stewart Tribute
21st January Tickets on sale @ 7pm for Hogmanay 2019
26th January Burns Night Ceilidh
16th February Valentine Disco
19th February Golf Rules Night
31st January All proposals for the AGM to be submitted
28th February Annual General Meeting
9th March Ladies Annual Dinner

Merry Christmas to all our Members

Today's Christmas Party was a huge success, thanks to all our helpers!

Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year from all the committee.

Stuart Clark, Dougie Audsley, Ian Bell, John Breckenridge, Kay Field, Alex Hunter, Sara-Jayne Reid, Alistair Stewart & Des Young

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