

## Lady Golf Captain's Blog – 9th February

### Competitions

Last week we played a Waltz in lovely conditions and the winning team came in with a fantastic score.

- 1st Ali Jacobs, Polly Lewis and Astrid Woloszczuk – 83 Points
- 2nd Vivien Harris, Emma Angood and Pippa Walker – 71 Points
- 3rd Jane Peel, Keh Smith and Inger Grath – 68 Points

Well done to all the winners!



This week we were meant to play a yellow ball competition, but the weather gods were not with us. The course was closed until after midday due to heavy fog. We all enjoyed seeing each other over a coffee, waiting and hoping that the course would open. The Bridge Room also got some visitors which was nice. Fingers crossed this is the last competition to be cancelled for a while!

Next week on Valentine's Day we have a fun foursomes competition which is followed by a Charity Bridge afternoon. Anyone can however play in the golf, no need to play any bridge. We have space both for more golfers and for more bridge players. Do sign up if you have not yet done so! Or buy some raffle tickets, there are lots of lovely prizes and if you are not at the Club on the day we will still make sure you get your prize if you win.

[Click here to purchase your raffle tickets](#)

The following week on Tuesday 21st February we have a Stableford competition, whether it will be qualifying or not will depend on how many temporary greens we still have. Whatever happens it will be good practice for some more serious golf coming up later in the spring.

### Interclub Golf

The Derry team has played their away match at Woodcote Park and came away with a good 2/1 win. Well played and good luck for your home match.

Centenary Bowl matches has just been drawn and our first opponent is Hindhead. Go Captain Angie and team!

The first Hicks match of the season is also drawn. Roehampton will play Foxhills. Go Captain Lorna and team!

### **Captain and Pro matches**

Oscar and I have played our first Captain and Pro match together. He proved to be a brilliant, steady partner and we managed a win against Louise Tierney and Lucinda Cormack. Thank you very much to Louise and Lucinda for playing and for supporting Age UK Wandsworth.

We have new dates for more matches on the sheet in the ladies changing room. Please sign up for a fun afternoon with a pro and support a good cause.

### **SLCGA Surrey Ladies County Golf Association**

Claire Martin won her match in the SLCGA Autumn Match play and is now in the semi final. Good luck Claire!

Please find a link to the latest newsletter from SLCGA.

<https://www.slcga.org/news>

And do not forget to sign up for this year's SLCGA knock outs.

[https://www.slcga.org/individual\\_kos](https://www.slcga.org/individual_kos)

### **Internal Knockouts**

Sign up for the Summer Knockouts are now open. We have added a silver division knockout and are also reintroducing a joint plate competition if you lose in the first round of either the Salmon Cup or the Summer Goblet. There is also a Mid-Week Mixed Knockout where we will all play off the yellow tees. That will be interesting, but we should get a shot or two more!

Please sign up on IntelligentGolf. These knockouts are all a fantastic way of meeting more fellow Members and being part of competitive golf at our Club.

PS. But please look at dates and make sure that you will not be away on any extended holidays during the competition.

### **Ladies Away Day – Thursday 15th June**



Please mark your diaries for this year's Ladies' Away Day which will be held at Surrey National Golf Club on Thursday 15th June. Our Vice Captain Caroline Dewar is promising an exciting day. Set between two valleys, this is an undulating parkland golf course, incorporating a couple of lakes to present some additional challenges! Booking will be via Intelligent Golf in due course.

### **New Lady Golfers**

Ricky has scheduled new one-hour clinics for non-handicap ladies. These are a great way of improving your golf. You will be in a group of maximum five people and the cost is £20.

Book now at: <https://roehamptonclub.as.me/Ladiesnonhandicapclinics>

### **Golf Psychology Talk and Fun Golf Quiz**



Last Thursday we had a great evening with a talk from Karl Morris. The main thing I took away from the evening was to ask the right questions on the golf course. Ask for example 'what does a good shot look like here?' rather than 'what trouble can I see here?' Easier said than done though!

After a very nice curry we were competing by tables in a golf quiz. Golf rules, general golf knowledge and Roehampton Club specific questions. I am still trying to figure out who made the quiz since one of the questions was how Charlotta should be penalised after breaking her club in anger on the course!

Well done to Simon Butler and his table for winning, thank you to the organisers Louis, Matt and Simon Baker and of course the Catering and Events Team.

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