

Lady Golf Captain's Blog – 23rd March

Competitions

Last week we had the Summer Eclectic Opener Stableford with some great results.

Silver Division

1st Therese Swanson	35 Points
2nd Emma Angood	34 Points

Bronze Division

1st Caroline Leslie	35 Points
2nd Lydia Roper	35 Points
3rd Caroline Dewar	34 Points

If you would like to see the current standings for the eclectic competitions, you can go to Ongoing Competitions on Intelligent Golf and click on [Ladies Summer Eclectic 2023 or click here](#). I just did and I could see that Astrid Drayson is currently on top both in the net and the gross. Well done!

If you have not yet entered and wish to take part, [please do so by clicking here](#). The entry fee is just £5 and it goes to Age UK Wandsworth. We have lots more competitions that will count and you can always send in additional scores to Louis or Matt if you copy in your playing partner.

Australian Spoons

This week the Australian Spoons Competition took place. Well done to all the winners.

1st	Emma Angood and Therese Swanson*	36 Points
2nd	Bridget Barton and Rosemary Paterson	36 Points
3rd	Caroline Leslie and Anna Tingle	34 Points

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**Emma and Therese currently lead the England Golf Australian Spoons Competition for Roehampton Club. However, players are allowed to enter multiple cards for this competition before Sunday 28th May.*

Players taking part must have an up-to-date Handicap Index between 15.0 - 54.0. Players can also swap partners in an attempt to qualify.

Please email either myself or Louis if you intend to put in a qualifying score for the Australian Spoons Competition. Each partner will have to pay £3 each per qualifying round.

The pair who qualify will go into a Regional Final at The Drift Golf Club on Wednesday 14th June. If you win the Regional Final, you will go into the National Final at Woodhall Spa Golf Club on Friday 18th August.

Ladies' Weekend Stableford –26th March

On Sunday we have a Ladies' Stableford and there are still open slots if you would like to play. [Sign up here.](#)

Club Day – 28th March

I am looking forward to seeing you at Ladies' Club Day. The day will commence with a Shotgun at 9.30am and the format is Greensomes. The golf will be followed by lunch and prizegiving for Club Day and winter knockouts. The chef has come up with a new buffet with hot and cold food which looks scrumptious. If you have not yet signed up for lunch, please do so at Club Reception.

If you are out of golf for any reason you are still very welcome to join us for lunch.

The following week we have our Annual Stableford.



Interclub Golf

The Derry team has played their home match against West Hill in the Helme Shield and came away with a very good 2/1 win. They play the away match on the 22nd.

Centenary Bowl had their home match against Hindhead cancelled due to snow and sleet! The amended date is Thursday 23rd.

The Hicks team is through their preliminary round by beating Foxhills both home and away by 3/2. They now await the draw for next opponents.

The Wallis played Wimbledon Common and won with a convincing 4/1. Home match is booked for March 23rd.

The Pearson team played Surbiton away on the 20th and had a great win 5/2. Home match is on the 30th.



Well done to all teams and best of luck for the next matches! My goodness are we not doing well! Roehampton Club Ladies – you rock!

Daily Mail Foursomes

Well done to Caroline Dewar and Tessa Ringrose who are representing Roehampton Club in the Daily Mail Foursomes and have beaten Wimbledon Common in the first round.

London Foursomes

Best of luck to Jo Thesiger and Jenna Archer who will represent Roehampton Club at the London Foursomes at Burnham Beeches this coming weekend.

The Gold Cup – 1st April

Roehampton Club are hosting the 94th Ladies' Open Gold Challenge Cup again on Saturday 1st April. In order to prepare the course for the tournament, the course will be closed on Friday 31st March. The course will be closed on Saturday 1st April for the tournament.

If you have the chance do come along and watch some of Britain's leading female amateur and professional golfers, you are very welcome, I find it very inspiring to watch the pros in action on our home course.

Hello from Mami Urano and Japan

Your Lady Captain has had the pleasure of spending some time in Japan visiting her daughter, enjoying the cherry blossom season, the Japanese slopes and even played a round of golf. My daughter Clara and I were invited to play with Roehampton Club Member Mami Urano who sends her best regards to all her Roehampton Club friends.

It was a full day since the Japanese tradition is to have a full lunch hour between the two nines! We had a wonderful day. We enjoyed the practicality of a fully automated golf buggy that we could either travel in or leave to its own devices. It was like a tram following a track. Very Japanese! It will be hard work to come back and have to push my own trolley!

Enjoy your golf!

Charlotta Lyckéus
Ladies' Golf Captain

