Around the Green

Scotland

News

West – Something I forgot to mention was the recent accident involving Gary Divers’s son Christopher who was over in the states at university, unfortunately he was involved in an accident and passed away in hospital. The section would like to pass on our thoughts and condolences during this time.

West – John Cheadle at Paisley Bishes GC suffered some severe damage to a few greens in recent months, we hope this will be the last of it and would wish him the best of luck trying to get things back to normal. Derek Duthie informs us that he is celebrating 25 years service with Attenors Seedman, Derek as everybody knows is the sale representative for the west of Scotland, originally he started as an apprentice at Cardross, and moved on the Head Greenkeeper at Cantushaig before shifting path onto the sales route, it’s nice to see he has made a full recovery from his car accident a couple of years ago.

Central – Over 25 people came along to Elmwood on 23 July to hear John Kaminski of Penn State give us the inside story of the recent US Open at Merion which given our own Open had just passed made for an interesting comparison. The pairs competition is progressing well with a couple of teams close to securing their places in the semi-finals. Please remember to email or text me your results as soon as possible.

Welcome New Scotland Members

Robert Galkaowy, Greenkeeper, Turnberry Hotel & Golf Course, Ayrshire
David Reck, Student, STRUC (Elmwood), Central
Robert Frazer, Assistant Greenkeeper, Castle Stuart Golf Links, North
John Bambury, Course Manager, Trump Golf Club, Scotland, North

Welcome New Northern Members

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Robert O’Hare, Groundsman, Maghull Town Council, North
Howard Lythgoe, Affiliate Member, Ashton & Les Golf Club, North
Andrew Gilligan, Greenkeeper, Wilsnak Golf Club, North
Liam Bashford, Greenkeeper, Driffield Golf Club, Northern
Charlie Pasco, Assistant Greenkeeper, Saltburn Golf Club, Cleveland
Nicholas Nicholls, Groundsman, Roundwood Golf Club, Sheffield
Stephen Washbrook, Assistant Greenkeeper, Aberdovey Golf Club, North

Events Coming Up

West - The Norrie Whytock annual challenge will be taking place at Auchenthean with the qualifiers Gordon Sangster, Stuart Taylor, David McBride and John Barr, all winners of their classes at the spring outing. We hope they can achieve a victory as it’s been a while since the West section has come near.

West - The Autumn outing is scheduled for 19 September at Percy Wood Golf & Country Club, this will be a stableford, entry fee £10 to members and £15 to non members. Included in a boxed roll before play followed by buffet meal after, along with prize giving. Entries must be made by 14 August. Tee times between 1pm – 3pm.

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NEWS

North East – The recent match with the Cleveland section was a win to the Cleveland lads. Played at Durham City which by all accounts was in superb condition so credit must go to Stan and his team. Jost let the section know that myself Glen Baxten is now writing the news for the section as the committee feel I was best equipped to gather any news from your rounds when visiting you all.

Cleveland - Congratulations to Olly Sharpard and his good lady who have had twins and Roger Mackerell and his good lady also celebrating the birth of a little bundle of joy. Unfortunately the Cleveland bongo drums didn’t tell me if they were boys or girls. Anyway congratulations all round.

Northern

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Events Coming Up

North East - Brand new summer comp which will become an annual event will be held on 21 August at Percy Wood Golf & Country Club, this will be a stableford, entry fee £10 to members and £15 to non members. Included in a boxed roll before play followed by buffet meal after, along with prize giving. Entries must be made by 14 August. Tee times between 1pm – 3pm.

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North West - We thank Bathgate Leisure in the form of Nick Gray for sponsoring the cricket evening at Ashley cricket club.

Blackwell Grange GC with Dougie Avey becoming Course Manager. Good luck in the new role.

Northern - Presidents day at Scarthingwell GC - a huge thank you to Ben and his staff for a very welcoming venue and also to John Waite and the boys for setting up a fantastic course, all the guys thoroughly enjoyed themselves and it was reflected in the scores! Results below.

North West - I’m sorry to report the passing of larger than life global hygiene rep, Alan Sargent who died in July and it is also my sad duty to report the passing of another part of sales history in our area as Graham Walker ex of Walker Brothers, St Martins also died in July our heartfelt wishes go to family and friends of both.

Movers And Shakars

North East - Jon Watson has recently taken up the role of course manager at Parklands Golf Club so we wish him well in his new role.

RESULTS


Northern - Presidents Day. Winners: Div 1 1 D Gonyay; 2 R Harnir; 3 A Auterson, Div 2: 1 R Walker 2 B Gomersal 3 J Waite, Div 3 1 Armitage 2 R Smith 3 B Jackson Trade 1 G Baxten 2 Y Fernandes nearest the pin 1st Frew 2nd R Blast, president prize R Walker

Sheffield - A very good day was had and was well attended at Dore & Totley, the course is in good condition and it was reflected in the scoring! Results below.

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Northern

Northern
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Liam Bashford, Groundsmen, Driffield Golf Club, Northern Ireland
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Events Coming Up


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Results from the Summer Golf Day at Penn Golf Club on 10 October (no I wasn’t wearing my Halloween mask, this is also our AGM so please think up some questions/suggestions to put to the committee. Or if you are interested in helping on the committee then put yourself forward for selection.

Events Coming Up East Midlands - Having had our trip to Kedleston Park at the beginning of August our next event is at Lutterworth Golf Club on 31 October (no 1 won’t be wearing my Halloween mask), this is also our AGM so please think up some questions/suggestions to put to the committee. Or if you are interested in helping on the committee then put yourself forward for selection.

News East Midlands - Nailcote Hall in Coventry on Wednesday 3 July played host to our annual par 3 competition. This year the committee decided to sponsor the event and we had a well supported day on a beautiful sunny afternoon. The course was, as ever, excellent. Results below

There is a suggestion within the section to get a five-a-Side football running event.

Movers & Shakers East Midlands - We would like to welcome Ken Harding to the Leicestershire area. Ken has taken on the role at Willesley Park Golf Club for what looks like an exciting time for one of the county’s most prestigious courses. Ken has immediately been involved in the section playing in Carl Chamberlain’s Rigby Taylor team at Nailcote Hall.

Sponsors East Midlands - Our thanks to the sponsors for our last golf day at Penn on 10 July. The main prize table for the day was sponsored by Farmura. The 4 nearest the pin prizes were donated by Whiteman, Sherriiff Amenity. Countrywide and our President, John Hammonds. Thanks also to Farols for the halfway house and all those who brought raffle prizes.

This month’s calendar page is sponsored by Sherriiff Amenity. Please consider them for your fertiliser, chemical, seed and dressing needs. Email: nigeltaylor@agrovista.co.uk. Tel: 07989 548058

East of England - Thank you to John Hewson and his staff at Market Rasen for providing us with a course in excellent condition. Also to all the clubhouse staff for making us welcome and providing an excellent meal afterwards. Thanks also go to our sponsors on the day, LMS Lincoln Ltd for the main prizes, and T.A.S for the nearest the pin. T.A.S is the new business venture of Garry Pode, formerly Course Manager at Belton Park. His number is 07701 034100.

Welcome New Midland Members

Lyam King, Assistant Greenkeeper, Oakmere Park Golf Club, East Midlands
Joshua Rimington, Assistant Greenkeeper, Manor (Laceby) Golf Club, East Midlands
Taylor Fox, Assistant Greenkeeper, Vale Golf and Country Club (The), Midlands
David Harding, Greenkeeper, Marriott Forest of Arden, Midlands
Mark Cleverley, Greenkeeper, Marriott Forest of Arden, Midlands
Adam Williams, Greenkeeper, Marriott Forest of Arden, Midlands
Stewart Welby, Greenkeeper 21 yrs & over, Royal Ashdown Forest Golf Club, East of England
Steven Basball, Assistant Greenkeeper, Claire’s Court School, BIBAO
Paul Summan, Greenkeeper, Berkhamsted Golf Club, Mid Anglia
Jack Moxon, Greenkeeper, Berkhamsted Golf Club, Mid Anglia
Jordan Evans, Greenkeeper, Trent Park Golf Club, Mid Anglia
Sain BIGGS, Assistant Greenkeeper, Trent Park Golf Club, Mid Anglia

4 Karl Williams 21pts, Rhye-Thomas 31pts. Nearest the pins were A Jones, Andy Brougham, L Swann & J Fox.

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Across
2 Follow closely (3)
7 Insects in passive development stage (5)
8 Alopec Iapogus - mammal of icy northern regions (6,3)
10 Dart player known as The Crafty Cockney (4,7)
11 Trade name of herbal submachine-gun (3)
12 1859 mystery novel by Wilkie Collins (5,5,2,6)
14 Deduce a person’s words (4)
15 Seasoned cuts of smoked beef (10,5)
16 Traditional French puppet (also Grand – 1,7)
18 Bathroom device which uses pauses at intervals (10,5)
19 Emergency procedure used in e.g. cardiac arrest (3)
21 Is this an improved or renewed state (11)
22 Eponymous hero of 1876 renewed state (11)
23 Of a mobile phone, used in e.g. cardiac arrest (10,5)
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25 Interactive videotext service introduced in 1979 (7)
26 1876 mystery novel by Wilkie Collins (5,5,2,6)
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30 Central characters in a sitcom written by James Corden and Ruth Jones (5,3,6)
31 Name the two amateurs who made the cut.
32 Plant also known as stinging cranefly (4,6)
33 Goddess of witches and on certain trade licences (6)
34 Interactive videotext service introduced in 1979 (7)
35 Do it in the easiest or cheapest way (7,7)
36 Of a mobile phone, used in e.g. cardiac arrest (10,5)
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38 Goddess of witches referred to by Shakespeare and other writers (6)
39 Pertaining to non-eclectic people (6)
40 A mobile phone, to operate on a different network when abroad (4)

Down
1 Surname of American educational assessment (3)
2 To operate on a different network when abroad (4)
3 National Curriculum and on certain trade licences (6)
4 Name the two players who shot a 67 on the final day.
5 Name the runner-up.
6 Name the two players who shot a 67 on the final day.
7 How many over par did Rory McIlroy finish for his two rounds?
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This month’s quiz simply has to focus on the Open Championship of 2013:

1) At Muirfield, which luckless Scot was in the hunt for the Claret Jug before hitting a quadruple bogy nine during his third round?
2) Which former Open champion missed Muirfield because of shoulder surgery?
3) Name the two amateurs who made the cut.
4) Name the Scottish player who drove home to Aberdeen thinking he had missed the cut only to receive a text telling him he had made it?
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9) Which South African player smashed his club on the 15th?
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and will now take place in late August/early September. Our next golf
arrange an evening with Murray Long and Matt Plested for all you young
at Channels.

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and will now take place in late August/early September. Our next golf
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Events Coming Up

Surrey

Essex - Next golf day Thursday 15 August at Channels Golf Club. Bacon
roll and coffee from 11.00am, 18 hole Stableford this event is the
National Qualifier, two places up for grabs, plus a BBQ afterwards.
£20 members/sponsors, £30 guests, cheques made payable to “BIGGA
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- A full field attended our sections away day to the fine links of
Littlestone Golf Club over the border in darkest Kent. Some members brought
their passports and where surprised that these weren’t needed to cross
the Kent marshes.

- A super day was had by all in the sunny and very warm conditions,
so much so that some were seen wearing large sombreros to keep the
sun off, and which also saw one forgetful greenkeeper cover
himself in sun lotion, and then try and play the next few shots
with sun lotion on his hands and grips.

There was also a near emergency call out when John
Shepard ventured into the long rough to retrieve a ball, only
to find the rough taller than him and thus lose his way back
to his team!

The course was in fine condition and a heartfelt thanks
go to Malcolm and all of his team for allowing the sections to
play their prestigious course and for the condition in which
it was presented, well done all.

I am sure that you will all join with me in wishing Neil
Durant, Head Greenkeeper at Dale Hill Golf Club a speedy
recovery following a serious illness that had left him
hospitalised for some time.

Surrey - Seminars over the winter period are in the
planning process, Date TBA, intention to have 5 or 6
educational events at Meritt Wood College.

Results

Surrey - Away day: Longest drive, John Hill. Nearest
the pin, John Shepard. Nearest the pin in two was Matt
Hutchinson.

Nearest the pin in 3 was Graham White. In the team
competition 3 The “Seasded boys” with 86pts. 2 “Team
Mitchell” with 88. 1 the “Toftbliss” with an incredible 97
with a blob! Once again thanks to all attendees for
supporting the section on this away day.

Surrey - Results from Worpleson GC: 1 Alan Crittendon
76 Gross Nett 69 2 Phill Beney Nett 72
3 Robin Cheney Nett 72
Best Gross Jason Hunt 7;
Nearest Pin Gavin Kyle, Long Drive Mark Davies.
Alan Crittenden and Mark Davies qualify for the National
Tournament at Frilford Heath.

Thanks To Sponsors

Surrey - Thanks to away day sponsors Mitchells
Groundcare and Pete Smith for organising.

Kent - Many thanks to Lister Wilder who have offered to
join our very welcome group of kind sponsors.

We have just learned that one of our section’s friends and
most loyal sponsors has been taken ill with quite a serious
medical condition.

On behalf of everyone in our group I would like to wish
Stewart Clayton of Greenman Ltd a full a speedy recovery
and look forward to seeing you again soon.

Welcome New South East Members

Danny Perkins, Greenkeeper, Wentworth Club (The),
Surrey
Mark Ogden, Course Manager, Drift Golf Club, Surrey
Neil Highgate, Assistant Greenkeeper, Cotswormore Golf
Club, Surrey
Sean Bithy, Greenkeeper, Goodwood Club Ltd (The),
Sussex
Simon Berry, Greenkeeper, Goodwood Club Ltd (The),
Sussex
Christopher Ahier, Greenkeeper, Hassocks Golf Club,
Sussex
Jamie Chapman, Assistant Greenkeeper, Hendon Golf
Club, London
Leslie Dunn-Allen, Assistant Greenkeeper, Hendon Golf
Club, London

This year’s BIGGA National Championship, sponsored
by Charterhouse and Kubota, is at the superb Frilford
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£500 worth of vouchers

BIGGA National Championship 2013, Frilford Heath Golf Club, October 7-8 • Entry Form

Please select the relevant category:
❑ Full Member
❑ Affiliate Member

The entry fee of £90 includes all golf fees, lunch both days and dinner on Monday
evening. Please note that there is no accom-
mmodation provided.

Name: ____________________________
Address: __________________________
Mobile: ___________________________
E-mail: ___________________________
Signature: _________________________

Payment method (please tick)
❑ I enclose my cheque made payable to
"BIGGA Ltd" value £90
❑ Please debit my Mastercard / Switch / Visa / Delta card with the fee of £90

Card number: ______________________
Start Date ................... Expiry Date ...............
Issue No. (Switch/Delta only) .............

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Deadline for entry is 6th September 2013.

The main tournament for the Challenge Trophy will be played over 36 holes, medal
play, with the best overall gross score
producing the BIGGA National Champion,
who must be a greenkeeper member. The
greenkeeper player with the lowest nett score
will be presented with the BIGGA Challenge
Cup.

There will be prizes for the first five over 36
holes in the gross category. The top three
in the nett competition will also receive
prizes. After each day of 18 holes there will
be prizes for winners of handicap divisions.
The BIGGA Regional Team Cup and prize
will be calculated from the 8 best nett scores
over the first day of play. There will also be
various nearest the pin and longest drive
competitions, featuring prizes.

Ensure you receive confirmation of entry by
return email.

Date: ___________________________
Membership No. ___________________
Handicap _______________________
BIGGA Section: _____________________
Golf Club ________________________

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South West - Our AGM will now be held at Machynys Peninsula Golf Club on Wednesday, 16 October and not Haverfordwest as first noted. We have a team match v the South West at Chipping Sodbury 16 August 1pm tee off to be announced. The match v the North is to be rearranged for a suitable date in September. South West - SW Section v South Wales at Chipping Sodbury GC 15 August. SW Section v South Coast at N Wilts GC 26 September. Enquiries to Wayne Vincent (07958 630590).

News

South West - I would just like to say that the standard of the work of the greenkeepers in the South Wales Section is outstanding! Keep it going guys you’re doing a great job.

South West - A strong delegation from the SW was in attendance at Muirfield as part of the BIGGA Open Support Team. A fantastic week was had by all involved and a huge thank you must go out to everyone at HQ for the seamless organisation.

The annual match between SW Section and The Secretaries at The Manor House GC ended in a 4½ - 5½ victory to the Secretaries. Well done to Adam and Paul for taking on the opposition single-handedly.

Congratulations to Lee Whyte of Bowood GC and Paul Davies has Left Cradoc GC After 35 years of loyal service, when he said to me he started in 1979 I said that was the year I was born! Good luck both.

South West - Special thanks to all of our Section Patrons for their ongoing support: Ecobèl, Greensman, Irritech, Headland Amenity, Countryside and Farmura.

South Coast - Thanks to our Summer Comp sponsors Tacit and Mark Day for presenting the prizes.

Welcome New South West & Wales Members

James Carasah, Assistant Greenkeeper, Cricklade Hotel Golf Club, South West
George Bigga, Assistant Greenkeeper, Brokenhurst Manor Golf Club, South Coast
Thomas Cunningham, Greenkeeper 21 yrs & over, Corhampton Golf Club, South Coast
Daniel Jeffries, Assistant Greenkeeper, Alresford Golf Club, South Coast

Welcome New International Members

David Colley, Rossendale Golf Club, International, Republic of Ireland
Sergio Baselgia, Golfpark Nuolen AG, Switzerland

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