



THE CRYSTAL COMPETITION

Journey's end! This is the sixth and final part of the Crystal Competition sponsored by Rigby Taylor, producers of the Mascot range of turf-care products.

Over the past five issues you have been posed a total of twenty-five questions about golf and greenkeeping, this month the last five questions are printed to make-up the total of thirty.

All thirty questions are listed below with spaces for your answers.

There are three prizes and the winner of the first prize of a magnificent cut glass decanter and matching lead crystal glasses will be the first correct entry drawn out of the hat after the closing date of **30th November 1985**.

The competition is open to all readers of
Golf Greenkeeping.

Cut out the 'golf ball' tokens from the previous issues and attach them to your entry. Anyone missing a previous token may obtain one by writing to the Editor.

The Editor's decision is final and no correspondence will be entered into. You know the rules so go to it!

And there is a bonus prize. The Editor will award a mystery bottle of whisky in a draw to the entrant who answers just one section of five questions correctly.

Which section we are not telling - that's the mystery. But it does give every competitor a chance to pick up a prize even if you cannot submit an all correct score.



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1. An Australian golfer is a close relative of a famous cricketer, Who is he?
2. Who are the three men presented with the 'Old Tom Morris Award'?
3. Who designed the Lincolnshire course of Woodhall Spa?
4. What are 'Whins'?
5. Where is the first Jack Nicklaus designed course in the U.K?
6. Club golfers play for a Monthly Medal. Where did the 'Medal' round originate?
7. The early 'gutta' ball was made from what?
8. What part of the world did the material come from?
9. What type of wood was used for the wooden shaft club before hickory was brought in from America?
10. What is measured with a Stimpmeter?
11. What was the name of the forerunner to the Sports Turf Research Institute?
12. Which course staged the first 'Open Golf Championship'?
13. The first trophy was 'the Challenge Belt' to be retained by the first competitor to win it three years in succession. Who was that competitor?
14. Whose responsibility is the allocation of a Standard Scratch Score to the golf course?
15. (a) What is the size of the putting hole?
(b) What is the minimum depth it must be sunk into the green?
16. Name the two championship courses at Gleneagles.
17. How many rounds of golf were played in the first Open Championship at Prestwick in 1860 to complete the 36 hole championship test?
18. How can observation of bird life indicate an infestation of leather jackets?
19. New Zealand golfer Bob Charles had play suspended at Sunningdale during the European Open when he reached the first green. Why?
20. Name two of the common causes of weed incursion in fine turf.
21. What is the sign used on the container of a Toxic chemical?
22. How many species of earthworm are there in the U.K. Nine Fifteen Twenty-five?
23. Which British tree is facing extinction through the activities of a beetle?
24. What year was the BGGGA in its original form, started?
25. Which architect is associated with the two tier green?

And now for this month's final five questions.

26. How many yards is the famous 10th hole at the Belfry?
27. What was the final score in the 1985 Ryder Cup?
28. Which course is Walter Woods associated with?
29. Name two of the major plant nutrients.
30. Who is the present Secretary to the R. & A?

Cut out the list of questions and attach the page to a plain sheet of paper, listing your answers from 1-30.

If you do not want to cut the magazine, a plain sheet of paper is acceptable, but don't forget to include your name and address.

Send your completed entry to the Crystal Competition Golf Greenkeeping, P.O. Box 12, Wetherby, West Yorks LS22 4SR to arrive not later than 30th November.

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