Rachael and Gemma, from the Membership Department, would like to wish you all a Happy New Year. 44 new members are welcomed to the Association this month.

# Membership Update

BTME and ClubHouse will soon be upon us and once again both Gemma and I will be on the BIGGA Stand Q123 to answer all your membership queries. Why not visit us and we can answer all your questions to do with your membership package including the recent changes to the car breakdown package and personal accident insurance cover. Samples of our popular merchandise range recently highlighted in the magazine will be available to try on, alongside the usual videos and books for sale.

Rachael and Gemma will be on hand to:

Collect membership renewal forms.

Hand out replacement renewal forms.

Change Personal and Golf Club details.

Collect new membership application forms.

Hand out membership information.

Hand out field guides on production of your membership card. Answer questions on your

membership package. Hand out details of the direct debit scheme and tax relief forms.

# Haztek International launch NEW member benefit at BTME and ClubHouse



BIGGA have joined forces with Haztek International to bring a new Health and Safety benefit to members.

Haztek will be offering a 24 hour hotline offering help, advice and information on all aspects of Health and Safety in the golf environment. If a member's golf club takes up a three year Maintenance Plan then they will receive a fourth year free!

The helpline will be launched at BTME and ClubHouse and members are invited to visit the Haztek International stand at Q120 (opposite the BIGGA stand) to find out more and pick up a free Health and Safety pack.

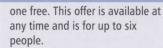
# **DUE TO POPULAR DEMAND...**

The privilege card is back! Last month we announced that we had withdrawn the privilege card, however, such was the response in favour of the card that we have decided to re-instate it.

You will all be receiving a card with your membership renewal as usual.

Why not take advantage of the card over the winter when planning what to do with the children.

Show your card at any Megabowl and buy one game get



Visit Vue cinemas between Monday and Thursday and receive discounted rates.

Feeling peckish? Dominos Pizza are offering a 30% discount on collected orders.

All these offers are available on production of your privilege card.

Don't forget to bring your card with you to BTME and ClubHouse and ask at the BIGGA stand Q123 for special offers during the week. For further information and offers call 0800 587 8800.





#### **BIGGA** welcomes...

#### SCOTTISH REGION

Robert Finnegan, Central Greg Kilgour, Central Stuart Martin, East Kevin Simpson, Central

NORTHERN REGION Andrew Merry, North West Michael O'Keeffe, North West David Taylor, North West Tracey Woollam, North West Andrew Yates, North West

#### MIDLAND REGION

ert Cass, East of England Nobert Cass, East of England John Cunningham, Midland Michael Cunningham, Mid Anglia Oliver Hemblen, BB&O Chris Meadows, BB&O Edward Mutch, Midland Andrew Ross, BB&O Ben Timms, Midland

#### SOUTH EAST REGION

Graham Case, Kent Jamie Cushing, London Nicholas Morton, London Martin Parsons, Sussex Aaron Percival, London Darren Reed, London Graham Warn, London

#### SOUTH WEST/SOUTH WALES

James Coverdale, South West Steven Gillett, South Wales James Keeley, South West Daniel Rowlands, South Coast

#### INTERNATIONAL

Jan-Ake Tyllman, Sweden Andrew Dalton, USA Stephen Lording, Australia

### STUDENT MEMBERS Daniel Smith, South West

GOLDEN KEY MEMBERS

Ashley Bennett, North West Peter Griffiths, South Wales lan Jennings, South Coast David Johnston, East Scotland Darren Mugford, Mid Anglia Jim Scott, West Scotland

### ASSOCIATE MEMBERS

Andy Ward, BBO

Derek Cowell, Ayrshire Richard Barter, Devon & Cornwall

## **JANUARY'S MEMBERSHIP DRAW WINNER**



Just introduce one or more new greenkeeping members to BIGGA and your name will be placed into a draw to win an 0.5 litre isolating flask, suitable for hot and cold drinks and soups. Our congratulations go to Stewart McBain, of Hazelhead Golf Club.