



NEWSLETTER



Invitation Day to celebrate our 125th Anniversary

As you are aware, this year marks the club's 125th anniversary. To celebrate this landmark year, the club is organising a visitor's day competition on the 19th July. We have reached agreement with the other hill clubs to shuffle the tee times around which will allow us more tee-times. We will have the course from 12:43pm until 2:41pm with the format of the competition better ball pairs (3/4 handicap). Weather permitting we hope to have a barbecue afterwards to accompany the many cold pints of nectar. The club will also put up prizes for the day. A sheet will be put up nearer the time and we'll keep you up to date with any developments including the level of prize money.

Captain vs Vice Captain

The annual match between the Capt and the Vice Capt takes place on Monday 21st April. This match signifies the start of the Monday night season and involves all members as you decide amongst your fourball who you wish to play for. The sheet is up on the board, so get your name down as it's a good laugh and the capt puts on a spread afterwards.

Saturday Tee Times

Edinburgh leisure is proposing to charge the club for unused tee times. As playing numbers on a Saturday are frustratingly low, please could you put your name up on the sheet as early as possible as this will allow the council to cancel tee times and avoid unnecessary cost.

If we start cancelling tee times this will impact on those members who decide on the Saturday morning on whether they are playing. We don't want to have members turning up and being unable to play, so please decide early and phone the club or drop one of the council a text if you want your name up on the sheet.

Club Championship

This year's club championship week commences on Saturday 21st June with the opening qualifying round. As usual the second qualifying round will take place on the following Monday (23rd) with the matchplay stages commencing on the Wednesday 25th.

The B Championship applies to members with a handicap of 10 & over and continues in it's new format whereby members qualify for the matchplay stages by submitting their best two round aggregate score from the six qualifying competitions. The qualifying competitions are the two club championship qualifying rounds and the following competitions::

- Memorial Trophy – Mon 26th May
- Summer Medal – Mon 2nd June
- Cox Medal – Sat 7th June
- Society Quaich – Mon 9th June

Reigning Champs

Stuart More – Club Champion

Iain Knox – B Champion

Other Club News

- The Harrison social calendar is filling up as George has scheduled an extravaganza of events for the year ahead. Stick the dates in your diary and pass on the word.
- Summer tee times are now in operation on a Saturday morning with the Harrison having six tee times from 10:44 am. The draw will now take place at 10:30 sharp, so please don't be late or you'll be off last.
- The sheet for the Gullane Outing is now up on the noticeboard. Please add your name and pay your £10 deposit to a council member.