
Foxhills Golf Committee.

December Golf Committee meeting

Tuesday, 3rd December 2024 @ 19:00.

- Present.
- PB IH DS SG SdB PF
- Apologies for absence.
- MJ DM SF EL
- Minutes of the previous meeting. November '24, Proposed by DS, Seconded by IH.
- Matters arising not covered by agenda.
- EAGG Scratch League Golf Services to underwrite the entry fee, for the first year, then its hoped that the players may become involved enough to, in the future, make a contribution to the ongoing cost of entry.
- 2025 British Clubs Mixed Championships Club to finance entry fee. Establish two squads one to play in the various friendly fixtures, one to play in the competitive/knockout games.
- Fixtures List for 2025
- 2024/25 Ladies Representative competitions and Captains.
- No decisions made regarding comps and captains – postponed until January 2025 Committee meeting.
 - THE PEARSON TROPHY -TEAM CAPTAIN -MAGGIE GAFFNEY
Team of 5 x single matches for ladies with a Handicap Index between 13.0 – 32.0
This competition started back in October 2024. Foxhills have played 3 matches, 2 away to West Hill and Bramley and one at home to Bramley. Unfortunately, we have lost all 3. Not the start we wanted but still have away matches to play. Maggie is completing this season with Hilary Stokes as her vice captain.
 - THE WALLIS TROPHY - TEAM CAPTAIN – ORLA SWEENEY/EMMA ACTON
Team of 5 x single matches for ladies with a Handicap Index between 21.0 - 36.0.

Due to start in 2025. Registration due in January, cost expected to be similar to 2024.

- **THE HICKS TROPHY - TEAM CAPTAIN SHEILA FLEMING**
Team of 5 x single matches playing off of scratch. Starts in spring cost expected to be similar to 2024.
- **ANNODATA Golf Classic - TEAM CAPTAIN KIRSTINE MAYALL**
A national Knock-out competition (semi-finals and final in Spain!) - 5 5 match-play singles - Maximum Course Handicap 24. We are entering one team this year.
- **DAILY MAIL COMPETITION – Women** Sue Eggleton and Rita Vienheus will be representing us in 2025.
- **SURREY CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS KNOCK-OUT**
Daria Bleyz will be our representative in 2024.
- **THE WINDLESHAM CUP - TEAM CAPTAIN – SARAH HOESLI**
An inter-club competition - 2 x stroke play - Maximum H. I. 14
- Foxhills won yet again.
- **THE CENTENARY BOWL - TEAM CAPTAIN HILARY STOKES**
Team of 5 x single matches for ladies with a Handicap Index of 10 and above but playing off of scratch.
- **THE DERRY CUP - TEAM CAPTAIN – DARIA BLEYZ**
- Team of 3 – one of which can be 5.0 and under – all play off of scratch
- The team have played all teams in the initial group stages (Wentworth, Surbiton and Effingham) and have won 9 out of 12 matches. We will be top of our group and the next knock out stage starts in February.
- **INTERCLUB SCRATCH FOURSOMES TEAM CAPTAIN SHEILA FLEMING**
One pair (can be substituted) so multiple players are involved.
- **2024/25 Mens Representative competitions and Captains.**
- All approved, PF to sign up teams to comps and reclaim the money from DM.
- **TEAM CAPTAINS STATUS**
Email issued from Club Captain to members opening up for potential new captains.
Nick Church responded with interest.
Stuart Olgivy unable to commit time in 2025 to manage a team.
Ryan Harpur wishes to switch from Annodata/Kyrocea to Surrey 5's captaincy.
Proposed captaincy list for consideration/comment as below:

FOXHILLS MENS TEAM CAPTAINS		
	2024	PROPOSED 2025
Signature League	Sanjay Khuller	Paul Ford
Mens Seniors	Sam De Beaux	Sam De Beaux
Scratch Teams	Daniel Brough	Daniel Brough
Annodata/Kyrocea Team 1	Conor Sherard	Conor Sherard
Annodata/Kyrocea Team 2	Ryan Harper	Dee Shah
John Ling	Stuart Olgivy	Peter Walsham
Surrey 5's Team 1	Peter Walsham	Ryan Harper
Surrey 5's Team 1	Dee Shah	Sanjay Khuller/Nick Church

- **COMPTETION ENTRIES STATUS**

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	Entry Forms	Entry Closing Date	Number of Teams Allowed	Entry Fee	Entry Status
Surrey 5's	www.surreygolf.org/knockouts	06-Jan-25	Two	£85 per team	Outstanding
Surrey Scratch Knockout	www.surreygolf.org/knockouts	06-Jan-25	One	£85 per team	Outstanding
John Ling Seniors Trophy 2025	www.surreygolf.org/knockouts	06-Jan-25	One	£95 per team	Outstanding
Kyrocea / Annodata	www.matchplaygolf.co.uk	31-Mar-25	Two	£80 per team	Outstanding
Daily Mail Foursomes	www.mailgolf.co.uk	31-Jan-25	One Mens/ One Ladies	No charge	Outstanding
EAGG Scratch League - TBC	www.eagg.co.uk/elite-amateur-golf-league	Not defined	One (can be mixed)	£325 per team	Outstanding

- Committee unanimously agreed to fund all competitions above, with the exception of one abstention vote for the Annodata entries.

- **Last Month (Review).**

Presentation Day -10:00	Sat	Saturday, November 02, 2024	Longcross	9:00	14:00	Shotgun Texas Scramble... Clubhouse/Food	Club Competition
Committee Meeting	Tues	Tuesday, November 05, 2024	Manor House	19:30	21:30		Committee
Monthly Stableford	Sun	Sunday, November 10, 2024	Longcross	7:00	13:00		Monthly Competition
Midweek Turkey Trot (Stableford)	Wed	Wednesday, November 20, 2024	Longcross	9:00	11:30		Midweek Competition
Turkey Trot	Sun	Sunday, November 24, 2024	Longcross	7:30	12:30	Singles stableford	Club Competition
CJ Cup (Juniors vs Parents)	Sat	Saturday, November 30, 2024	Bernard Hunt	10:00	11:30		Juniors v Parents

- **Fixture list changes proposed** – Boxing Day Shotgun moves to Thursday 28th December 2024.
- **Management Report.**
 - Scratch league entry, club committed to paying 2025 fees.
 - Phase 3 Longcross renovations update
 - SG to work with chef on a menu for matches in 2025
 - Request to re-purpose committee office for golf team use.
- **Captain, outstanding items and Reports.**
- **Representative Competition entries for 2025.** Request to members for team captains? To be included in comms to request players, early 2025. SF/PF producing a list together that details all competitions and captains. Enabling ratification of decisions to made and fees to be paid. Target date of November end, ensuring approval/action early December.
- **Food for matches in 2025.** Ongoing. Requirement to meet with Foxhills Chef's and discuss what can be done for 2025 as a special feature. Maybe special menu or unique additions.
- **Friday in June for Club Invitation Day.** Date of 20th June set originally. Possible inclusion of Member/Guest day later in the year. Date in June a special day for 2025 a member/member event. Detail TBC
- **50th Celebration event.** 20th June date set shotgun followed by food entertainment and fireworks.
- **2025 Captains away trip.** Likely to be two trips first early in the year @ Princes on south coast and courses surrounding Royal Cinque Ports. Second in west country later in the year.
- **Meeting with Handicap Secretaries.** PB. Date set for End of year report meeting.
- **Catering Budget** – outstanding monies not spent during earlier part of the year – to be spent. Ongoing.
- **Winter pairs** – qualifications to play. Comps manual change – from 4 qualifying events to play in Board Comps to; 4 qualifying events to play in Trophied Comps. This then

brings the Midweek winter pairs into those competitions that need. IH to make the appropriate changes to the Competitions Manual.

- **Captains Facebook** page - access required for PB. Sue Eggleton unable to help with the transfer of responsibilities. Ongoing.
- Need to investigate how a player that has entered a competition can edit their entry on **Golf Genius**, without cancelling the entry and therefore attracting a refund **transaction charge**. NB: Question arose at AGM 2024 as to why we had so much expense to process the money - and question was asked why does an edit get charged for? Agreement from Golf Services to investigate and change where possible the functionality of system - ensuring we do not attract a charge, ongoing
- **Cash control** - can we not keep the money in the till and net off against prize fund payments? Golf Services looking into how we might nett cash off against winnings as they are transferred from committee to Foxhills for payment. Agreed between Golf Services and Club Treasurer.
- **Team captains and team entries** - need to meet and discuss common approach to Rules of engagement, communication, and team management. To include not limited to **Meeting for team Captains**, to be arranged before first representative competition starts for Captains. Requirement to have a common approach to Captaining the sides. Captain/Golf Services/Director of Golf to be involved to establish protocol.
- **AGM** minutes posting on the website. *Ongoing*
- **Club Championship** *Ongoing*. Three months medals as qualifiers? Cut between rounds 2/3. Amended Competitions manual. Completed. No cut between rounds 2/3. 3 qualifiers (top 27 and ties from each) in fixtures list for 2025, May & 2 in June (three weeks apart).
- **Knockouts finals day** - Decision made to not have a specific date for the knockout finals - replace with 3 or 4 week window in which to play the final - attendance at All Winners Day would then be in the same year as far as knockouts were concerned. Competitions manual change required and probable further discussion. Completed
- **Mixed** no report received - little/no activity.
- **Juniors** no report received - little/no activity.
- **Men** no report received - little/no activity.
- **Ladies** no report received - little/no activity.
- **Seniors Friendlies**. Burhill removed our two dates with them for 2025. Would have preferred an email. Round Robin email used, no designation on email signature.

- Treasurer December 2024.
- Comps update and upcoming events

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Midweek Christmas Stableford	Wed	Wednesday, December 04, 2024	Bernard Hunt	9:00	11:30	Christmas jumpers - Membership provide coffee/mince pies at halfway.
Christmas Stableford	Sun	Sunday, December 15, 2024	BH	9:00	14:00	Christmas jumpers - Membership provide coffee/mince pies at halfway. ShotgunClubhouse/Food
Boxing day Shotgun	Thurs	Thursday, December 26, 2024	Bernard Hunt	10:00	15:00	Shotgun start

- Any other business.
- Captains Closing Remarks. None were made.
- Meeting closed at:
- Date of the next meeting.
- Tuesday, 7th January 2025 @ Manor House Board Room 19:30