

England Golf Voting Member

We are in the enviable position of having two members of our current Executive (Christine Bishop and Susanna Mitterer) interested in the role of our England Golf Voting Member role, which fell vacant earlier in the year when Phillipa Cook was elected to the main Board of Directors of England Golf. We have notified Delegates of the vacancy through the delegates meetings and have received no other expressions of interest. The entire Executive supports both candidates equally. We will therefore hold a ballot at the AGM. Personal statements from the two candidates, the current role description and ballot papers will be available at the AGM.

The current job description is set out below for your advance perusal.

Responsibilities:

1 Act as a channel of communication between England Golf, the Midlands South Region, the county and the clubs within the county. Arrange distribution of information between the parties – receive information from England Golf and circulate to the clubs in liaison with the Hon Secretary. Post occasional bulletins on the County website.

- 2 Attend / report to the following meetings:
 - England Golf:- Attend Voting Members Annual and General Meetings (usually three meetings per year held at Woodhall Spa April/September/December) plus ad hoc Regional Meetings. Deliver vote on county's behalf where necessary.
 - Midland South Representatives (linked with Voting Members meetings).
 - Exec meetings, usually five per annum. Prepare report and discuss where necessary information received from England Golf.
 - Delegates' Meetings, four per annum. Present report and discuss where necessary information received from England Golf. Collect any feedback required by England Golf.

3 Ensure that the Midland South Region Competition (maximum one per county each year) that fall under Bucks remit in any year has a nominated organiser taking responsibility for its delivery. In practice, County week is the responsibility of the Captain to arrange an organiser, the Regional Medal is organised by EG in its entirety, the MS Junior Championships is organised by the CJO and the MS Senior Championships is organised by the Seniors Captain. So the only current competitions that the VM would need to specifically to take responsibility for are:

• Australian Spoons Regional Final

• MS 4BBB

Attributes Required:

- Basic knowledge of the role of England Golf and how it relates to clubs and counties.
- Previous experience of county golf would be helpful.
- Comfortable with speaking in large meetings when required to represent the views of the County.
- Ability to attend the England Golf Meetings is essential
- Interest in participating in some England Golf ad-hoc sub groups if invited would be helpful but not essential.

Term of Office:

No fixed term but suggested 3 years, option for up to 2 year extension.

The Executive may invite the EG Regional Representative (Voting Member) to attend Executive meetings without voting rights.

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