

# **BUCKINGHAMSHIRE COUNTY LADIES GOLF ASSOCIATION**

## Information Summary for Delegates Meeting - Wednesday 5th June 2019

#### 1 Activities since last meeting:

County juniors v Woburn boys - Woburn boys won

**Junior Par 3 championship at Wycombe Heights** - gross prize won by Rosie Kim with 58 (gross) and nett prize won by Rachel McKinlay with 54 (nett)

**BBO Team Stableford at Oakland Park** - Oxon won the team prize, Ciara Shannon (Bucks- Chesham & Ley Hill ) won the individual prize with 41 points

**County Lunch at GXGC** - supported by over 80 ladies - lovely occasion; thanks to all the clubs that contributed to the fourball voucher auction and the Plants and prosecco raffle.

First team/second team/junior match v Beds at Richings Park - win for Bucks

First team/second team/junior match v Middx at Sudbury - draw against Middx

BB&O girls championship at Calcot Park - gross prize won by Grace Rigby- Walden (GXGC)

Juniors Spring meeting at Harleyford - won by Lily Rigby-Walden (GXGC)

**Final Winter Foursomes at Lambourne** - won by Pam Heavyside and Jackie Taylor (Wexham); runners up were Fiona Robb and Margot Sharp (Buckingham)

Bucks Schools championships at Buckingham - won by Jessica Pilgrim (Stoke Park)

Vice-captains meeting - useful meeting held as a roaming information session

Seniors match v Berkshire at East Berkshire - Berkshire won 5 and 2

**Seniors Spring meeting at Buckingham** - Won by team from Woburn (Phillipa Cook, Sheila Harrison and Clare Fulton)

Junior scratch match v Oxon at Oxford- Bucks won 3 - 0

Junior handicap match v Berkshire at Temple - Berks won 4 1/2 to 1/2

**England Golf Medal regional final for Midlands South at Buckingham** - best placed Bucks Player was Anne Terry from Magnolia Park

County championships 36 hole qualifier at Burnham Beeches - Winner Alice Kozlowski (Ellesborough)

Seniors County Championships at Burnham Beeches - Winner Susanna Mitterer (Woburn)

**County championships match play at Burnham Beeches** - Winner Alice Kozlowski (Ellesborough), Runner up Amelia Curtis (Stoke Park)

Seniors match v Hampshire at Harleyford - Bucks won 4 and 3

SE schools championships at Flackwell Heath - best placed Bucks player was Jessica Pilgrim (5th)

#### 2 Competitions Update

- Summer Meeting The details of this have been published and the entries are coming in. At the moment we have only 12 teams entered (Woburn 3, Stoke Park 2, 1 each from Oakland Park, Harewood Downs, Whiteleaf, Lambourne, GX, Denham and one mixed)
- Charity Eclectic We are keen to have as many clubs as possible enter to with entry fees going to Captain's Charities Work Aid and Thames Valley Air Ambulance
- **Cygnet Trophy** Request for all Clubs to set aside a competition day or run a competition alongside a Club competition to help raise funds to support the County Junior Girls
- **County Championships** Well done to all who participated, particularly to Alice Kozlowski who won the County Championship, The Matchplay and also the Baxter Bowl. Well done to Susanna

Mitterer for winning the Senior Championship. – The full results are on the County Website; format of spreading over two weekends under review.

- The Leagues, Knockouts and Bucks Shield are all progressing well, with all the results so far, on the website.
- The Inter Club Foursomes entry form will be on the website by the end of June. The competition this year will be held at Harewood Downs on Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> October.

### 3 England Golf Representative:

Phillipa attended a series of EG meetings at Woodhall Spa on 24th and 25th April - below are the main points from those meetings:

- (1). An outline was given on the proposed golf insurance offer to clubs, which will be sent out to clubs this will be at no cost to the member, it is a benefit of the affiliation fee.
- (2). Affiliation Fee for 2020 Affiliation Year.

The EG Board recommended an increase in the affiliation fee for 2020 from £9.00 to £9.50. The reason for this increase was because the Special Projects Fund that has supported the County U14 Talent funding at £223k per year will run out at the end of 2019. The proposal to fund the U14 Talent programme and set the affiliation fee at £9.50 was passed.

(3). At the Annual General Meeting the election took place for two members to the Board of England Golf. Phillipa was one of the two nominations appointed to the Board of Directors.

Following her election to the EG Board, Phillipa is now handing over the EG Representative role to our Seniors' Captain, Susanna Mitterer who has agreed to take over this position in the interim. The post will be advertised for election at the BCLGA Annual Meeting in October. Susanna will be going to the next Voting Members' meeting at Woodhall Spa in September.

#### **MIDLAND SOUTH REGION COMPETITIONS:**

A reminder of the forthcoming 2019 Midlands South Region competitions:-

- 8th July Seniors' Champs., Temple (Berks)
- 16th July Australian Spoons, Leamington Spa (Warwicks)
- 22nd August 4BBB, Wellingborough (Northants)

The Entry Forms are on the website

### **USGA RATING:**

Phillipa reviewed Harewood Downs on 4th April following the change to their bunkers, before they resumed qualifying competitions.

She has already rated Chartridge Park and Chiltern Forest this year and arrangements are in place to do the other outstanding courses throughout the playing season.

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