

2022 County Championships



The Buckinghamshire County Ladies Golf Association Championships were held over three days at Ellesborough Golf Club. The 36-hole qualifying rounds were held on Tuesday 3rd May (results below) with the top 16 moving forward to matchplay on Saturday 7th and Sunday 8th May.

The Final, followed by enthused supporters, was played between two exceptional teenagers, Ella Butteriss (Beaconsfield) and Grace Rigby-Walden (Gerrards Cross); both young ladies played outstanding golf in a contagiously friendly, competitive and sporting Final. A tight front nine, with both young ladies leading at various stages, both birdying the 9th to be all square at the turn. Grace won the 10th but Ella then followed with 5 birdies in a row claiming the Championship with a par on the 16th. Families, supporters and admirers were treated to wonderful golf with some astounding long drives passing 300 yards; a memorable three days indeed.

Many thanks to Ellesborough Golf Club for their generous and attentive hosting throughout the Competition and especially to their Lady Captain Sharon Squires and to her ladies who entered the Competition, acted as ball spotters and were such enthusiastic spectators. The Course was in fabulous condition and we want to record a special thanks to the Head Greenkeeper Dave Goodchild, and his team for their fast if not slick greens, the truly challenging pin positions and Dave's utter attention to the Course throughout the Competition.

Many congratulations go therefore to Ella Butteriss from Beaconsfield GC, our 2022 County Champion and to all those players who competed over the three days.

See more photos below.

Jackie Maher
Competitions Secretary

2022 County Championships - Qualifying



From Left to Right

Division 2 Nett Winner - Mary Hipperson (Ellesborough) (Nett 145),
Intermediate Prize - Lily Robinson (Buckingham) (Gross 152),
Baxter Bowl (Intermediate Champion) & Scratch Prize - Alice Kozlowski (Ellesborough) (Gross 143),
Division 1 Nett Winner - Georgia Lloyd (Buckingham) (Nett 148)

2022 Baxter Bowl



Of outstanding and special note Alice Kozlowski (Ellesborough) won the Intermediate Championship (for players aged between 18 & 25 with the best 36-hole gross score) for the 7th year with a score of 143. Her first 18 holes score of 68 equalled her own Ellesborough course record.

2022 County Championships - Matchplay

Round of 16	Quarter Final	Semi-Final	Final	Champion
Alice Kozlowski [1] (Ellesborough)	Alice Kozlowski [1] (Ellesborough) 9&7	Alice Kozlowski [1] (Ellesborough) 3&2	Ella Butteriss [4] (Beaconsfield) 2&1	Ella Butteriss [4] (Beaconsfield) 3&2
Jackie Edwards [16] (Burnham Beeches)				
Rachel MacKinlay [8] (Harewood Downs)	Rachel MacKinlay [8] (Harewood Downs) 4&3			
Georgia Lloyd [9] (Buckingham)				
Ella Butteriss [4] (Beaconsfield)	Ella Butteriss [4] (Beaconsfield) 8&7	Ella Butteriss [4] (Beaconsfield) 2&1		
Bev Hodgson [13] (Ellesborough)				
Anna Symons [5] (Harleyford)	Anna Symons [5] (Harleyford) 5&4			
Eleanor Barnett [12] (Ellesborough)				
Lily Robinson [2] (Buckingham)	Lily Robinson [2] (Buckingham) 7&6	Lily Robinson [2] (Buckingham) 2&1		
Lois Shoosmith [15] (Ellesborough)				
Ciara Egan [7] (Woburn)	Cathy Armstrong [10] (Ellesborough)			
Cathy Armstrong [10] (Ellesborough)	Ciara retired injured		Grace Rigby-Walden [3] (Gerrards Cross) 4&3	
Grace Rigby-Walden [3] (Gerrards Cross)	Grace Rigby-Walden [3] (Gerrards Cross) 7&6	Grace Rigby-Walden [3] (Gerrards Cross) 8&6		
Lily Rigby-Walden [14] (Gerrards Cross)				
Carol Woodland [Reserve] (Burnham Beeches)	Mary Hipperson [11] (Ellesborough) 8&6			
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3rd May 2022 – Qualifying Day

Lily Robinson (Intermediate Prize),

Alice Kozlowski (Intermediate Champion (Baxter Bowl) and Scratch Prize)



Lynda Hilton (County President),

Alice Kozlowski (Intermediate Champion)



8th May 2022

Ella Butteriss (County Champion),
Lynda Hilton (County President)



Alice Kozlowski (Intermediate
Champion)



Grace Rigby-Walden (Runner-Up),
Ella Butteriss (County Champion)



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