

CLONMEL GOLF CLUB

Men's Results

The Captain's (Mr. Tony Horne) Prize

This Captain's Prize turned out to be the competition that will be the benchmark for all future major competitions in the Club. It had everything: Brilliant weather: Maximum turnout of members: Course set-up to die for and scores that are unlikely to be bettered again but the main reason why they may not be bettered again is because of the age profile of the winning and leading nett scorers and when all the scores were in and accounted for it was one of the oldest members on the course, Timmy Ryan, at 80 years of age, who had the winning score of 63 nett, a remarkable score for any player, let alone a 'senior' golfer. While it is agreed that there is a bit of run on the ball at the present time, to shoot a 63 on probably what was the longest course set up this year is an incredible achievement for any player and it belies all the unfavourable comments that have been heard around the Clubhouse, ie., the course is too long for the present age profile, the course is too hilly to walk etc etc because young Timmy Ryan, at age 80, and playing off of 21, put all those unfavourable comments to bed with his wonderful display of golf, shooting a nett 63 and that was after starting with a triple bogey 7 on the very first hole. But it was the only really wayward hole that Timmy had, completing the outward nine in 43 shots and coming home in a fantastic 41, just 6 over par for his total of 84 gross or nett 63...unbelievable. Mention was made above of the age profile of the winning and leading scorers and without giving away too much personal detail there was Jimmy Ryan In second place, who is also a 'senior' golfer in the Club who had a marvellous round of 66 nett playing off of 17 handicap. In third and fourth places respectively were PJ Quinlivan and Tony O'Brien, two more 'seniors' who had rounds of 66 and 68 respectively. Breaking the sequence of 'senior' golfers was Denis Conway Junior and Gavin Smyth who took the honours with gross scores, both on 74 but with Denis just pipping Gavin on the back nine for first gross. In 5th place with a score of 68 nett was Martin Quinlivan who had a better back nine than another 'senior' Tom Bolger in 6th. The Senior's Prize was won by Richie Power with a 69, the Past Captain's Prize was won by Garrett Condon also with a 69 and the Visitors Prize went to Dave Barry. Like all competitions there are always stories of the short putt missed and the bad bounce etc but the 'what could have been the story of the day' must be with another octogenarian, Tom Bourke, who had an unfortunate big score on the 18th and only just missed out on the Seniors Prize...hope the Handicap Secretary is kind to Tom! The fantastic Captain's Day did not end on the golf course because there was a marvellous night in the Clubhouse where the marvellous array of prizes was presented to the winners. The presentation was followed by an evening of song and music enjoyed by a large gathering until 'late'



Mr. Timmy Ryan being presented with the Captain's - Mr. Tony Horne - Prize, and, all the prize winners with the Captain Tony Horne, 3rd from right, the Captain's wife, 3rd from left, the winner Timmy Ryan in the centre and the winner's wife 2nd from right.

Results - Captain's Prize - Saturday 4th August

1 st	Timmy Ryan (21)	63
2 nd	Jimmy Ryan	66 B9
1 st Gross	Denis Conway Jnr (6)	74
3 rd	PJ Quinlivan (16)	66
4 th	Tony O'Brien (18)	68
2 nd Gross	Gavin Smyth (+1)	74
5 th	Martin Quinlivan (13)	68 B9
6 th	Tom Bolger (18)	68
Senior	Richie Power (18)	69
Past Captain	Garrett Condon (10)	69
Visitor	Dave Barry (21)	24pts

Results - Sunday 5th August - Club Singles

1 st	Frank O'Keeffe (21)	41pts
2 nd	Paul McGee (8)	39 pts

Monday Evening Mixed

Please note that the Monday evening mixed continues each Monday but the draw times are now, 4.45, 5.15 and 6.00.

Next Up

Sat 11 th Aug	Morris Oil Aggregate 4Ball
Sun 12 th Aug	Morris Oil Singles
Sat 18 th Aug	DID Electric Singles
Sun 19 th Aug	DID Electric Singles
Sat 25 th Aug	The Centenary Cup Singles
Sun 26 th Aug	The Centenary Cup Singles

Friday, August 17th Important Fund Raiser

Don't forget...on Friday 17th August the **Dr. Jim Morrison Perpetual Memorial Classic** will be held. All funds will go to the association of Mental Health. Booking is now available on the BRS, or on the Club Website, www.clonmelgolfclub.com or by phoning Aine at 052.6124050.

The competition is a 3-Person Scramble and Entry Fee is €25 per person. Tea/Coffee and scones before you start

This is a very worthy cause and all support is welcomed.

Saturday August 18th - Munster Junior Cup Semi-Final at 9 am at Thurles Golf Club.

We wish Keith Norris and his Junior Cup Team the very best of luck on Saturday 17th August.

This is the Club's first Munster Semi-Final for a few years and they deserve the support of the members....see you there!

Seniors

Monday, 30th July – Autumn Seniors at Clonmel GC – 4Man Champagne Scramble

1st – S. Crosse (18), N. Maher (19), M. Hannafin (17), G. Morris (20) Clonmel 103pts

2nd – P. Wall (24), L. Walsh (28), P. Coogan (21), B. McDonald (26) Callan 101pts

3rd – O. Fitzpatrick (21), P. Kenrick (14), T. O'Donnell (15) 99pts (Back 9)

Next Club Seniors on Thursday 9th August.

To accommodate Juniors on Thursdays – Seniors will start from 13th Tee at 10.30am and 1st Tee at 11.00am

Monday Evening Mixed Competition: Sponsored by John Joy:

The Mixed Competition will continue every Monday evening until September.

9 Hole Mixed Champagne Scramble. Draws will take place at 4.45pm - 5.15pm - 6pm.

Results: Monday 30th July

1st – Michael Mullane, Una Burke, Jacinta Drohan

2nd – Michael Fitzgerald, Liz Joy, Antoinette Dougan

MEMBERSHIP 2018/19

Join Clonmel Golf Club now as a full paid up member for €500 up to 31st December, 2019. Free trial round available prior to joining, by prior arrangement. This offer is open to new members and past members who have not renewed their membership within the last 7 years. GUI & ILGU fees not included. Terms and conditions apply so for full details please contact Aine at the office on 052-6124050

Dr. Jim Morrison Memorial Golf Classic.

A golf classic in memory of the late Dr. Jim Morrison will take place at Clonmel Golf Club on Friday, 17th August. The format is a 3-ball Scramble and all funds raised will go to the South Tipp Mental Health Association. Cost is €25 per person including tea/coffee and scones. Booking now open on BRS through our website www.clonmelgolfclub.com Your support would be greatly appreciated.

LOTTO

The forty-third draw in our Weekly Club Fundraising Lotto took place last Saturday 4th August in the Clubhouse. The numbers drawn were 08, 20, 24 and 28. There was no jackpot winner and there was no matched three winner.

Jackpot is now at €7,500 so be in to win!

Thanks again to everybody who supported it by buying and selling tickets. The Lotto Draw will now take place **at 5.00pm each Saturday.**

SUIR VALLEY GOLF EXPERIENCE

Play Carrick, Cahir and Clonmel for €60. Tickets available at all clubs. Great present for the golf enthusiast in your life.

WEBSITE

Please visit: www.clonmelgolfclub.com to view our weekly notes online.

LADIES Results

Saturday 28th July and Wed 1st August - 18 Hole Club Competition:

1st Roisin Quinlivan. (8). 38pts

9 Hole Competition:

1st Shula McCarthy (16). 16pts

Fixtures:

Sunday 5th August and Wednesday 8th August kindly sponsored by Fresh Fins Fish Shop

18 Hole V - Par

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9 Hole Mixed Champagne Scramble. Draws will take place at 4.45pm - 5.15pm - 6pm.

Donoughmore Cup kindly sponsored by Gwen Walshe

The Donoughmore Cup will commence early September. It is a Matchplay Competition.

The list is up in the Ladies' locker room please put your name down if you are interested in entering the competition.

Senior Alliance:

The Senior Alliance will be starting in September. Handicap 0-22. €30 Entry Fee. Please contact Katherine Morrissey if you wish to join the Alliance.

Lady Vice-Captain 2018-2019:

A sub-committee has been formed to select next year's Vice-Captain as per amended Club Constitution. Anyone that is interested in going forward for the position please contact Lady Captain Liz Binchy before the 10th August. All correspondence will be treated confidentially.

Jim Morrison Memorial Classic:

The Jim Morrison Memorial Classic in aid of Mental Health is on Friday 17th August. Both Jim & Maura have given a lot of their time to Clonmel Golf Club, your support to Maura would be greatly appreciated for this worthwhile charity.

Ladies Day Out:

Lady Captain Liz is organising Ladies Day Out on Tuesday 28th August. Venue is Tramore Golf Club. €35 for golf & dinner. First tee off time will be 11.30.am. A bus will be organised depending on interest. Please contact Liz if you're interested in going and if you wish to travel by bus