

## **Easingwold Golf Club**

## Member Communication Friendly Inter-Club Matches for Men

Most of you will be aware that there are numerous opportunities to play friendly sociable golf in matches against other clubs both home and away. Equally so many of you will know the drill - but there may be new and old members for whom some of this is new so please bear with us.

What is not always so well understood is that anyone with an active handicap qualifies to play in at least two categories of team and many for all.

These are generally match-play events where you are paired with another Easingwold player against a pair from the other club. You put your name forward and the Captain or organiser on the day selects a team and the pairs. All events are followed by a meal. The cost is of the meal and any drinks and it is normal practice that home players will buy their opponents a drink after the match.

The Gents matches are the Men's Captain's responsibility and are usually played in the afternoon. This is the most open of categories of matches as they are open to any gentleman golfer, irrespective of age or handicap. Matches alternate home one year away the next.

The Seniors matches are held in the morning – usually Monday and in the most part there is one home and one away match against each opponent during the season. These matches are open to any gentleman golfers aged 55 years or older and of any handicap.

Rabbits - a similar format to the Gents matches but for gentlemen golfers from 16 handicap upwards. NB the Rabbit section also organises internal competitions which are usually included in a fixture list posted on the Rabbit notice board.

Mixed matches are made up of mixed pairs playing against similar from other clubs. All ages and handicaps welcome.

## **Match Dates**

These are all published in the fixture booklet and may also be found on Notice Boards

## What you need to do

For Gents and mixed matches keep an eye out for reminder emails and the notice board which will contain a sign up sheet from 3 to 4 weeks before the event.

For Seniors matches keep an eye out on the Seniors notice board and/ or let Steve Stroud know of your interest.

For Rabbit matches watch the Rabbit notice board and/ or let Jim Ferguson know of your interest

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