

Muckhart Golf Club : April 2017 Newsletter

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2017 MGC OPENING DAY : SATURDAY 1 APRIL

What a well organised, enjoyable 2017 Opening Day held on Saturday 1 April. Format was a 9 Hole, 4 person Texas Scramble with a shotgun start at 10am. It was fantastic to see members of all ages, from all sections participating.

The golf was followed by a prize giving and delicious lunch in the clubhouse.



Thanks to Andy Crichton and his 'dream' team for organising and many thanks to our caterers 'Big Man Catering' who were the main sponsors of Opening Day lunch, and support sponsors Brian Devlin Butchers and Ivan Wood & Sons Ltd.

WINNERS (Naemoor Course)



NAEMOOR WINNING TEAM

Left to right:

S Clode, J Powell, L Seith, C Laing

N.B. Lady Captain Ann McCrorie is 2nd left



NAEMOOR Nearest the Pin at 7th Paul Phillips

NAEMOOR Straightest Drive at 8th

Jeph Hamilton



WINNERS (Cowden Course)



COWDEN WINNING TEAMLeft to right:

Jim King, F Hamilton, Scott Smith, E Barker



COWDEN
Nearest the Pin at 7th
Peter Martin

COWDEN
Straightest Drive at 9th
Adair Campbell



Well done to all and thanks to MGC Lady Captain, Ann McCrorie, for presenting the prizes.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION: LADIES

SIGNING IN ON COMPETITION DAY

NEW! Registering your Intent to play on the Day of the Competition

On arrival, please ensure you pop up to the clubhouse to register on the computer with your MGC membership card before you collect your competition score card from The Pro Shop.

LADIES FIXTURE LIST

<u>CHANGE</u>: As the date of the Ladies Section Opening Day was changed to Tuesday 4 April, this means that the non-counting competition (Three Clubs and a Putter) due to be held on Tuesday 4 and Saturday 8 April, will be rescheduled to a date later in the season.

DRAWS FOR PARTNER: There will be a draw for your partner for the following comps:-

- Davina Pettigrew Greensome on 11th & 15th April
- 4 Ball Better on 15th & 19th August
- Closing Greensome on 3rd October

A REMINDER: MONDAY 17th April

- Is the closing date for ALL Matchplay entries
- LADIES is also the closing date for £25 payment of annual competition fees

Congratulations to Andrew Thornton, Junior Member



Andrew won the **2017 Perth & Kinross County Junior Strokeplay Championship** played at Auchterarder GC on Tuesday 4 April with an impressive level par score of 69. The runner-up — Alex Simpson (Strathmore) scored 70 (1 over par). 33 young golfers played in this event.

Footgolf: launch date

We anticipate holding the formal launch of Footgolf at Muckhart GC on Saturday 15 April.

Look out for further information as more details will be announced soon



DATES FOR YOUR DIARIES

Muckhart GC OPENS: May and June 2017

| MAY | Thursday 18 May | Ladies Senior Greensomes (age 50+) | £7 p.p. |
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| JUNE | Sunday 4 June | Mixed Pairs Greensomes | £7 p.p. |
| | Sunday 5 June | Gents 4BBB | £10 p.p. |
| | Thursday 15 June | Gents Veterans (age 65+) | £12 p.p. |
| | Thursday 22 June | Senior Gents (age 55+) | £12 p.p. |

To enter:

• Online: www.muckhartgolf.com

• Email: **shop@muckhartgolf.com**

Telephone PRO SHOP 01259 781493

Ladies Section Opening Day: Season 2017



The Ladies Opening Day Competition was held on **Tuesday 4th April**. Format was a '9' hole 3-team Texas Scramble, shotgun start at 10am, followed by a buffet lunch from our new caterers.

28 ladies took part, and enjoyed playing golf in fair weather.

Team winners were Rosemary Turlik, Linda Donegan & Cath Ferrier.

There was also a presentation to Jan King for her Lifetime Achievement Award to Sport (Clackmannanshire Sports Council) and players toasted this achievement



with a glass of prosecco. After the excellent buffet lunch, ladies were able to relax and browse / purchase golf clothing and accessories and jewellery made by Gourley Jenkins. Adele Hamilton from Integro Image, was also there with a fabulous selection of clothes for ladies to browse, try on, ask advice on, and buy. A great day was enjoyed by all.





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