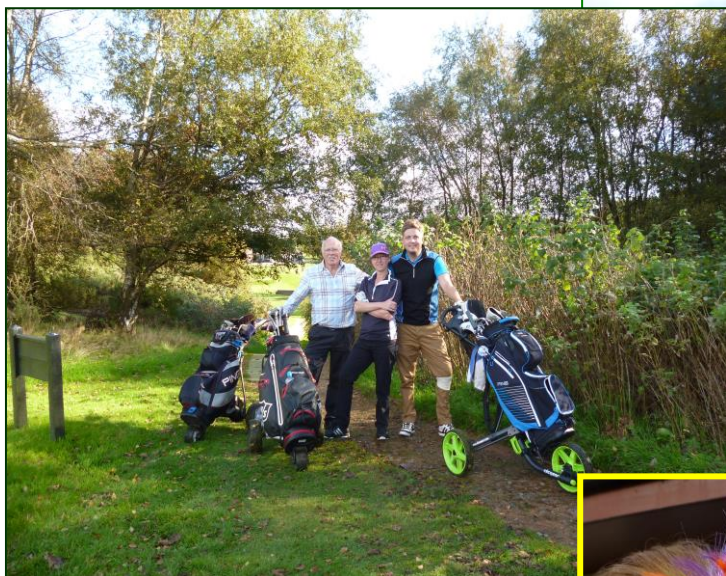




# Muckhart Golf Club End of Season News

Produced by Mo Macpherson, Director of Communications

**CLOSING DAY - SATURDAY 8 OCTOBER**



**Club AGM**

**Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> December at 15.00 hours**

## UPCOMING EVENTS

Look who Linda got  
a selfie with at the  
Dunhill Golf

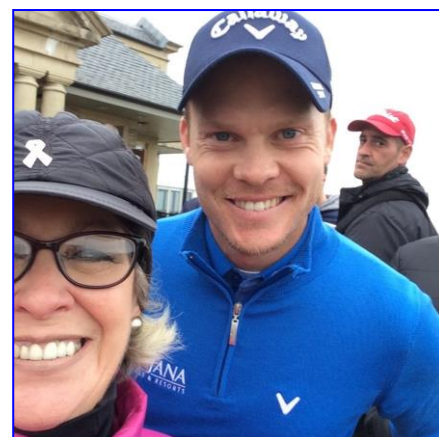
### **SOCIAL**

**Race Night - Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> October – from 6.50pm**

### **PRIZE GIVING DATES**

Ladies Dinner	Friday 4 <sup>th</sup> November
Senior Gents Dinner	Wednesday 9 <sup>th</sup> November
Gents Prize Giving	Saturday 12 <sup>th</sup> November

**Check noticeboards for further information**



The date of the next Board Meeting is

**Wednesday 26 October 2016**

I am delighted to let you know that one of the agenda items is MEMBERSHIP OPTIONS. We hope to see MGC come into the 21<sup>st</sup> Century and offer some flexible, lifestyle options. The proposal will be considered by Board members and providing it is approved, then the plan is to hold a couple of information meetings for members, scheduled to take place early in November. Following this, it will go to the AGM for approval by members.

## **How much is TOO much for a round of golf?**

Do golf courses with really high green fees just reinforce the notion that golf is an elitist sport for the privileged only?

Is £50 about the most you really want to pay?

Playing THE OLD COURSE or KINGSBARNES – is this a ‘once in a lifetime’ experience and worth paying the £175 (per person) green fee? Given that ALL the great golfers have played on this hallowed turf, I guess most club golfers think it *is* a price worth paying AND will be an unforgettable experience.

Some courses appear to cash in on the fact they have hosted an Open qualifying round, or are in close proximity to one of these venues. This doesn’t mean they should charge three figure sums for a round of golf.

So how much should golfers pay for a round of golf on an everyday golf course ..... over to you to decide!

## **Golf Club Cottage**

The Directors are delighted to say that the golf club's cottage has now been let.

Members are asked to refrain from using the short cut leading to the lower car park / practise area / junior portacabin, between the directors car park and the cottage. This is to give the tenants as much privacy as possible.

Thank you in advance for your cooperation.



## Donations Wanted!

We are raising funds for the **Muckhart Golf Club Junior Section** through the **Table Top Sale** at **Muckhart Coronation Hall** on **Saturday 22nd October 2016**.

We would be grateful if you could help us by donating any unwanted items that we can try to sell. These do not have to be golf related so feel free to clear out your cupboards in aid of a good cause!

**We will accept all items – books, bric-a-brac, ornaments, jigsaws, clothes, shoes, sports equipment etc...etc.**

**Please leave donations in MGC Golf Shop, which is open daily 9.00am – 4.00pm. Deadline is 4pm on Thursday 20th October.**

The Table Top Sale has been organised to raise funds for the Muckhart Parish Church so come along between 10.00am & 1.00pm.

Thank you in advance for your support!  
MGC Junior Section

## Race Night

*Gone to the Dogs*

Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> October

- \* An action packed fun evening open to friends and family
- \* Opportunity to Sponsor a Dog
- \* Tickets - **£5 including buffet and raffle** – are now on sale and can be purchased from Marc in the bar
- \* Money raised will go towards lounge refurbishment



**Remember, remember .....**

**\*\* WINTER RULES start from Tuesday 1 November \*\***

**NO MATTS .....** move your ball to the side when it lands on the fairway. We will all reap the benefits in 2017!

Time	Player	Club
1150	Cameron Speedie	Crieff
	Connor Graham	Blairgowrie
	Duncan Mckie	Kinross
	Euan Duthie	Muckhart
1200	Luke Volland	Muckhart
	Sebastian Sandin	Dunning
	Oliver Devlin	Muckhart
	Rory Hutchison	Milnathort
1210	Aamer Saleem	St Andrews New
	Daniel Bullen	Auchterarder
	Gregor Johnston	Dunblane New
	Brian McCormick	Milnathort
1220	Alex Turlik	Muckhart
	Tom Morton	Auchterarder
	Josh Taylor	Milnathort
	Tom Cahalin	Dunning
1230	Gregor Graham	Blairgowrie
	Harry Clark	Auchterarder
	Zoe Morton	Auchterarder
	Andrew Thornton	Muckhart
1240	Jamie Roberts	Muckhart
	Cormac Sharpe	Blairgowrie
	Campbell Gibson	Blairgowrie
	Finlay Hamilton	Muckhart

## RACE TO KINGSBARNs – P&KC Juniors

### Order of Merit

The TOP 8 players age 15 and over and the TOP 4 players age 14 and under, qualify (by accumulated points) and have been invited to compete in the final of the 'Race to Kingsbarns'. This is a season ending final competition played over the Kingsbarns Championship course, with fantastic prizes available.

It is terrific to see that 7 Muckhart Juniors qualified to play in this prestigious event. Here is the draw (first tee time is 11.50am).

Good luck and we look forward to hearing how you all get on.

### A REMINDER ABOUT CATERING

With effect from Monday 10<sup>th</sup> October

A Soup & Filled Roll Service will be provided every day during the Winter Months until the end of March.

**11am to 4pm October, November, February & March.**

**11am to 3pm December & January.**

If the course is closed kitchen & bar will be closed.

This service will be provided by Marc Foster & Campbell Keith.



## IS YOUR ROUND OF GOLF TAKING TOO LONG?

Then we would urge you and your fellow golfers to play **READY GOLF** .....

### SOME TIPS:

- Keep up with the game in front of you, not the one behind you.
- If the group in front of you are on the fairway, then your group should be on the tee.
- Be ready to hit when the group in front move forward to the next shot. Please make sure the group in front are out of range when you hit your shot.
- Pick up when you cannot score in a stableford / matchplay competition.



Keep up to date with news from our website : [www.muckhartgolf.com](http://www.muckhartgolf.com)

Muckhart Golf Club is on facebook, please find us and like us!



[www.muckhartgolf.com](http://www.muckhartgolf.com)